



Shardul Amarchand Mangaldas



Shruti Kinra

Partner

General Corporate

Shruti Kinra is a Partner with the General Corporate practice at Shardul Amarchand Mangaldas & Co. (the “Firm”), which is Ranked “**Band 1**” in India by Chambers and Partners.

Shruti has extensive experience in matters pertaining to mergers & acquisitions, joint ventures, foreign investment into India, greenfield investments, India market-entry strategy, corporate restructuring and general corporate advisory. Shruti has been instrumental in setting up the Korea desk of the Firm. As part of the Firm’s Korea desk, Shruti has played a leading role in advising large and mid-sized Korean companies, including, LG Electronics, POSCO group, Samsung Display, Hyundai group, Kia Motors and NH Bank.

She has received the **India’s Future Legal Leaders 2026** for Corporate & commercial, joint ventures & M&A by IBLJ and Legal Era ‘**40 under 40 Rising Star**’ award, which recognises her leadership, innovation, and accomplishment in the legal fraternity.

Shruti has previously worked with Herbert Smith Freehills, London (then Herbert Smith LLP) as a corporate lawyer, advising on several complex M&A transactions.

Select Experience Statement

Korea Desk

- Advised **LG Electronics India Limited** in relation to its proposed initial public offering in India.
- Advising **POSCO Group** in relation to its 50:50 joint venture with JSW Steel Limited for setting up an integrated steel manufacturing plant in Odisha.
- Advised **Kia Motors** in setting up its green field manufacturing facility in India.
- Advised **Samsung Display Company Limited** Korea on setting-up of its business in India and continued operations.
- Advised **Nonghyup Bank, South Korea**, in opening of its first branch office in India.
- Advised **POSCO India Processing Center Private Limited** in acquiring the entire equity stake of LX International Corp. in POSCO-India Pune Processing Center Private Limited.
- Advised **LS Automotives Indian Private Limited** on its insurance claims against an Indian insurance company.

Location

- Delhi

Education

- B.A. LL.B, (Hons), University of Warwick

Practices

- General Corporate

Professional Membership

- Bar Council of Delhi

Awards & Recognitions

- **India’s Future Legal Leaders 2026** for Corporate & Commercial, Joint Ventures, and M&A by IBLJ
- **Rising Star 40 Under 40** Award by Legal Era, 2019
- **Client Recommendation** for Corporate by RSG India, 2019





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- Advised **Yanolja Co. Ltd.** and **Yanolja Singapore Pte, Ltd.** in connection with their investment in eZee Technosys Private Limited.

Select M&A experience statement

- Advised **Sony Group** on its proposed merger of Zee Entertainment Enterprises Limited with Sony Pictures Networks India Private Limited. This transaction was finally not concluded due to commercial reasons.
- Advised **JSW Steel Limited** on the merger of JSW Ispat Special Products Limited and Creixent Special Steels Limited with JSW Steel Limited.
- Advised **SZS Tech Private Limited** and its promoters on the sale of the entire shareholding of the company to Google LLC.
- Advised the promoters of **Altimetrik Corp.** on the sale of their majority stake in Altimetrik Corp. to TPG Capital.
- Advised **Visteon Corporation** on its joint venture with High Value Ventures Limited to carry the business of manufacturing of display modules. This transaction has not yet been consummated due to regulatory hurdles.
- Advised **Cash Flow Management LLC** on its acquisition of 100% shareholding of ESQ Management Solutions India Private Limited.
- Advised **Dronebase, Inc.** on its acquisition of FWCloud Technologies Private Limited.
- Advised **SBI Cards** on the merger of two of its operating entities i.e. SBI Business Process Management Services Private Limited and SBI Cards and Payment Services Private Limited.
- Advised **Plurilock Security Inc.** on its acquisition of software assets of CloudCodes Software Private Limited.
- Advised **Level 3 Audio Visual, LLC** on sale of its 100% legal and beneficial membership interest to Online Instruments (India) Private Limited.
- Advised **Vattikuti Ventures LLC** on its pre-IPO subscription of shares of Hero Fincorp Limited.
- Advised **ASEC Inc.** on its acquisition by Verdantas LLC (backed by Sterling Investment Partners).
- Advised **SRF Limited** on acquisition of certain assets from Kanpur Plastipack Limited.
- Advised **Seagate Technology HDD (India) Private Limited** on sale of hard-disc business assets to LSI India Research & Development Private Limited.
- Advised **Apollo Global** in connection with its acquisition of Indian business of Mitsubishi Aluminum Co., Ltd.
- Advised **Apollo Global** in connection with its acquisition of Indian business of Tech Data Corporation.
- Advised **Apollo Global Management Singapore Pte. Ltd.** in connection with its investment in JSW Cement Limited.



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- Advised **AION Direct II Singapore Pte. Ltd. and Rhinestone Holdings Inc.** in connection with their acquisition of 100% shareholding and controlling interest in InterGlobe Technologies Private Limited and IGT-InterGlobe Technologies Philippines Inc.
- Advised an affiliate of **ChrysCapital VIII LLC** in connection with the sale of majority shareholding held by it in GeBBS Healthcare Solutions Private Limited to EQT Group.

