



# Adil Akbar

## Associate

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## Bar Admission

Ontario 2023

## Law School

University of Western Ontario

## Practices

Mergers & Acquisitions

Capital Markets

Corporate Governance & Public

Companies

## Industries

Retail & Consumer Markets (RCM)

Cannabis

Private Equity & Investments

Technology

Adil is an associate in the Business Law Group in Toronto. He maintains a general corporate and commercial practice, with experience in mergers and acquisitions, capital markets, and technology matters. Adil has assisted both public and private clients in several industries, such as: food and beverage; cannabis; retail; technology; and energy.

Adil joined the firm as a summer student in 2021 and completed his articles with the firm in 2023. As an articling student, Adil was seconded to Nestlé Canada Inc., where he supported the company's legal team with various corporate and transactional mandates.

Adil earned his Juris Doctor with the Business Law Area of Concentration at Western University's Faculty of Law. While at law school, Adil worked as a case manager for Sport Solution, a legal clinic serving Canadian national athletes. Adil was also president of the Western Law French Society and a mentor in the South Asian Law Students' Association. Prior to law school, Adil completed a Bachelor of Arts in Philosophy, Political Science, and Sociology at McGill University. While there, Adil was a writer and editor for a popular student-run publication.

Adil was called to the Ontario bar in 2023 and is a member of the Law Society of Ontario and the South Asian Bar Association.

## Recent Experience

- **Scholastic announces definitive agreement to invest US\$186M in 9 Story Media Group**  
March 12, 2024
- **Victor Capital Partners Fund II, LP acquires The Coats Company**  
January 9, 2024
- **DATA Communications Management has completed private placement of common shares of its company**  
May 25, 2023

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- **DATA Communications Management Corp. acquires Canadian operations of R.R. Donnelley & Sons**

April 24, 2023

## Recent Insights

- **2023 Year in Review – Structured Finance Canada**

January 25, 2024

