

TAYMOUR ABBASSI

- 2nd year law student
- Aiming for a career in commercial law.
- Passionate about sports: padel tennis and basketball
- Current Debating Secretary of the Law Society
- Keen on social interactions, networking, and community building.









EXPERIENCE

Debating Secretary

- Partnered with societies across Leeds, London, Derby, and Bristol.
- Increased debate participants from 8 to 60
- Secured potential sponsorship and an in-office final round for the competition.

Internship at Baker McKenzie

- Acquired legal and **financial experience** by reviewing financial documents.
- Recalculated employment contract figures.
- Ensured the accuracy of company revenue financials.

High School Student Council Treasurer

• Managed **financial operations** for events and trips, serving 300 students, under the mentorship of the school's financial secretary.

Model United Nations Conference Treasurer

- Led **financial management** tasks, set pricing strategies, handled transactions.
- Maintained a balanced financial sheet, ensuring financial integrity.

Financial Initiatives

Inclusive Social Funding: Maintain substantial bar tabs for socials and allocate funds for non-alcoholic and career-focused events to foster inclusivity.

Membership Affordability: Make membership more affordable by clarifying reimbursement processes for members.

Charity & Education Support: Enhance partnerships with the law school for more impactful charity contributions, focusing on hospitals and educational initiatives.

Budget Optimisation: Conduct a detailed review of budget and expenditures for strategic financial management.

Executive Initiatives

Sponsorship Expansion: Actively seek new sponsorships from firms and chambers with persuasive presentations to gain more support.

Collaboration & Summit: Increase collaboration with other societies and universities, including organizing a Leeds Law Society Summit.

