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Educational/Professional Memberships

LL.B. (Hons), University of London (1981); Barrister-at-law, Gray's Inn (1982); Fellow, Chartered Institute of Arbitrators; Fellow, Singapore Institute of Arbitrators; Admitted to the Bar of England and Wales in 1982 and to the Singapore Bar in 1983; President of the International Association for the Protection of Intellectual Property – Singapore Group; Member of the Law Society of Singapore, the Singapore Academy of Law and the Asian Patent Attorneys Association.

Current Position

Partner, Deputy Managing Director and Head of the Patent Division in Drew & Napier.

Professional Experience

He has earned a wide reputation for innovation, creativity, entrepreneurship and forward thinking, he was selected by his peers for inclusion in *Best Lawyers Singapore® 2009* in the field of Intellectual Property. He handles patent registration, as well as all aspects of Intellectual Property Litigation, including Patent Litigation, Trademark, Copyright and Design Infringement and Passing Off Cases. He is also experienced in General and Civil Litigation and has a niche practice in Insurance Litigation.

Arbitration Experience

Acted on two local Singapore Institute of Arbitrators mandated arbitration involving quantum Claims/counterclaims of USD15, 000/USD70, 000 and AUD400, 000/S\$618,901 in 2003/2006 respectively.

Publications

Often named in leading publications as a leading Intellectual Property practitioner in Singapore. *Chambers Asia 2009* and *Asia Law Leading Lawyers 2009* has ranked him as a leading individual in Singapore for Intellectual Property work. He was recommended by the *Practical Law Company Which Lawyer? Yearbook 2009* for Intellectual Property works. He is listed in the *2007 Guide to the World's Leading Patent Law Experts* and *The International Who's Who of Trademark Lawyers* as a pre-eminent Intellectual Property practitioner. Morris is also listed in the *Asia Pacific Legal 500 2008/2009* Edition as a leading individual for the 8th consecutive year and the *Global Counsel Handbook: Intellectual Property 2003*, a Practical Law Company publication, highly recommends him for Intellectual Property practice in Singapore.

Languages

English