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Educational/Professional Memberships

- LL.B (Hons), National University of Singapore
- Fellow, Chartered Institute of Arbitrators (FCIArb)
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- Advocate & Solicitor, Supreme Court of Singapore
- Roll of Solicitors, England & Wales
- Registered Patent Agent, Singapore
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- Panellist, Special Panel of the World Intellectual Property Organisation (WIPO) Film and Media Mediators, Arbitrators and Experts
- Member, WIPO List of Mediators for Trademark Disputes Pending Before Intellectual Property Office of Singapore
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- Senior Vice Chairman, International Bar Association Communications Law Committee
- Honorary Secretary, Asian Patent Attorney Association (Singapore Chapter)
- Council Member, Asian Patent Attorney Association
- Member, Intellectual Property Committee of the Law Society of Singapore
- Member, Inquiry Panel (under section 84 of the Legal Profession Act)
- Member, International Trademark Association
- Associate Faculty, Singapore University of Social Sciences
- Speaker and Examiner, "Special Topics – Remedies & Exploitation" module, Graduate Certificate in IP Law course conducted by IP Academy Singapore and Faculty of Law, National University of Singapore

Current Position

Head and Partner – Intellectual Property (IP), Technology & Media, Telecommunications and Data Protection Practices

Professional & Arbitration Experience

- Advised and represented local and international clients in disputes and agreements involving intellectual property (including patents, copyrights, trade marks and designs), media, technology and telecommunications, including:
 - investment agreements and joint ventures
 - franchise and brand licensing
 - research and development
 - marketing and distribution
 - information technology, systems integration and outsourcing
 - technology and media licensing
 - film, computer game and music production
 - sports events and sports licensing
- Arbitrations involving technology disputes, breaches of research and development agreements, technology licence agreements, franchise and joint venture agreements.
- Domain name disputes under the UDRP

- A leading practitioner in his areas of expertise, having won many awards and accolades including:
 - Winner of the Telecommunications category award for Singapore at International Law Office's Client Choice Awards 2016;
 - Winner of the Intellectual Property: Trademarks award for Singapore at International Law Office's Client Choice Awards 2015;
 - Named one of the "15 most highly regarded individuals in the world" by Who's Who Legal for the area of Telecoms & Media in 2014; and
 - Only Singapore lawyer ranked for all three areas – technology, media and telecommunications – in the Expert Guides – Technology, Media & Telecommunications, 2015.

Recognised as a leading practitioner in various legal directories, including Best Lawyers; Chambers Asia-Pacific; The Legal 500; Managing IP: IP Stars Handbook; World Trademark Review 1000; Asialaw Leading Lawyers; Asialaw Profiles; Who's Who Legal: Telecommunications Media & Technology; and Who's Who Legal: Life Sciences amongst others.

Publications

- Author of Singapore chapter, "The Art Collecting Legal Handbook" published by European Lawyer Reference Series, a division of Thomson Reuters (2013 and 2016 edition)
- Author of Singapore chapter, "Data Protection & Privacy: International Series (3rd edition)" published by Sweet & Maxwell, Thomson Reuters (2016)
- Author of Singapore chapter, "Communications: Regulation and Outsourcing Global Guide", published by Thomson Reuters (2015)
- Author of chapter, "Data Protection & Privacy: Jurisdictional Comparisons (2nd edition)" published by Sweet & Maxwell, Thomson Reuters (2014)
- Author of chapter, "Communications and Competition Law: Key Issues in the Telecoms, Media and Technology Sectors" published by Wolters Kluwer (2014)
- Author of chapter, "IP Strategies in a Growing Knowledge-Based Economy" in IP Client Strategies in the Asia-Pacific published by Aspatore Books, a division of Thomson Reuters (2011)
- Author of "Social Media – A New Legal Frontier?", Law Gazette, Singapore, published by Butterworths
- Author of "Louis Vuitton Fails in Quatrefoil Case", published in Trade Mark World
- Author of "Internet Keyword Advertising & Trade Mark Infringement – The Singapore Position", published in IBA Newsletter
- Author of articles published in The Law Gazette, Trade Mark World and the International Bar Association's IP and Entertainment Law newsletter
- Contributor, Computer Law & Security Review, Reed Elsevier (Ongoing, bi-monthly)

Languages

English and Chinese both written and spoken