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Solicitor/Barrister Admissions

- 1983** Solicitor (Hong Kong)
 - 1986** Solicitor (England & Wales)
 - 1988** Barrister & Solicitor (ACT Australia)
 - 1991** Barrister & Solicitor (BC Canada)
- (Now, a non-practising lawyer)

Arbitrator's Memberships

- 1999** Fellow of The Chartered Institute of Arbitrators
- 2013** Panel Member of HKIAC Panel of Arbitrators
- 2014** Panelist of the Asian Domain Name Dispute Resolution Centre
- 2021** Member of Silicon Valley Arbitration and Mediation Center (SVAMC)

Education & Academic Background

- 1980** LLB (Hons), University of Hong Kong
- 1983** Master of Social Sciences (Public Administration), University of Hong Kong
- 2000** LLM (International Business Law with Merit), University of London
- 2017** Awarded by WIPO Academy Advanced Course Certificates on: -
 - (1) Software Licensing Including Open Source;
 - (2) Intellectual Property Management;
 - (3) Basics of Patent Drafting;
 - (4) Collective Management of Copyright & Related Rights for Legal Practitioners; and
 - (5) Trademarks, Industrial Designs & Geographic Indications.

Dispute Resolution & Professional Experience

- 2011-present Raymond HO, Independent Arbitrator**
Full-time Arbitrator– appointed to act as tribunal chair, sole, co-arbitrator and emergency arbitrator in various ad hoc and administered arbitrations on various kinds of insurance contract disputes; franchising, intellectual property, patents, software development contract; loan agreement, shareholders’ agreement and other contractual disputes; international sale of goods and internet domain name disputes.
- 2016-2017 Of Counsel, Fred Kan & Co.**
Part-time consultant of the firm.
- 2006-2011 Deputy Secretary General (2006-2007) & Secretary General (2008-2011) of The Law Society of Hong Kong.**
As the chief executive officer responsible for the management and administrative affairs of the Law Society; and overseeing its statutory and non-statutory powers and duties as the regulator and the professional body of the solicitors’ branch of the legal profession and the foreign lawyers and foreign law firms in Hong Kong.
- 1983-2006: Solicitor/Barrister** in private practice as a litigator and a commercial lawyer for 23 years, including various appointments, including
(a) Crown Counsel of the former Hong Kong Attorney General’s Chambers;
(b) Partner of Fred Kan & Co. in Hong Kong;
(c) Associate of Alexander Holburn Beaudin + Lang LLP in Vancouver, Canada; and
(d) Registered Hong Kong Legal Consultant of Shandong Qindao Law Firm in Qingdao, China.
With diverse experience in both contentious and non-contentious matters related to international business transactions, insurance, banking and financial matters; corporate, commercial and real estate transactions; mergers & acquisitions, IP infringements, technology acquisitions and transfers, etc.
- 2002-2003** Appointed by the Chief Justice as **Temporary Deputy Registrar** of the High Court of Hong Kong SAR and heard civil disputes in court chambers for a period in 2002-2003.

Languages Conducts arbitral hearings in English, Cantonese and Putonghua; and issues Arbitration Awards in the English and Chinese languages.

Citizenship Canadian

Arbitration cases handled include:

Sole arbitrator in a dispute arising from the customization of a management solution software by an Australian consultant for a bank in Hong Kong;

Sole arbitrator in a dealership dispute between a European supplier and a PRC dealer on certain sports installations and equipment;

Presiding arbitrator in a dispute between Taiwanese and Singaporean companies on the design, supply and installation of software for a telecommunication system;

Emergency arbitrator in a settlement agreement dispute between a Taiwanese electronics company and a Shenzhen hi-tech company in respect of the use and/or infringement of certain trade secrets and/or patent technologies;

Presiding arbitrator in a franchise agreement dispute between a Hong Kong franchiser and a Beijing IT company;

Presiding arbitrator in a dispute of the shareholders' agreement in a chemical industrial manufacturing company between a Hong Kong shareholder and a Mainland Chinese shareholder;

Sole arbitrator in a dispute on a claim for indemnity under a Contractors' "All Risks" insurance policy;

Sole arbitrator in a dispute on a claim for indemnity under an export credit insurance;

Sole arbitrator in an international sale of goods contract dispute between an Indian supplier and a Shanghai buyer;

Sole arbitrator in an agricultural supplies' agreement dispute between a BVI company and a buyer in China;

Sole Arbitrator in a dispute of product purchase agreements and performance guarantees amongst a number of parties.

Domain name disputes handled include:

<evergreen-packaging.com> & <jiahe-evergreen.com>; <evergreen-packaging.org>;
<newulife.xin>; <h-steinway.com>; <bilutvb.com>; <wotvb.com>; <havaians.hk>;
<newulife.hk>; <jp-iqos.hk>; <fwdlife.cn>; <puma.hk >; <rossmann.hk>;
<klook.hk>; <pccvvglobal.com>; <moodys.hk>; <sf-dhl.com>;
<dysonelectriccar.cn>, <dysonev.cn>, <dysonauto.cn>, <dysoncar.cn> &
<dysoncars.cn> ; <bitmexx.cn> ; <crown-relocation.com> & <crown-
relocations.com>; <evergranderealestate.com>; <vogue.hk >; <neurobion.com.cn>;
<zewa.club>; <tvbybhk.com>; < neurobion.com.cn> ; <pur.com.hk>; <zgbasf.com>;
<qqfamily.com>; <wechat.hk>; <renault.com.cn>; <rdfoceaneering.com>;
<wetnwild.cn> & <wetnwild.com.cn>; <pentair.com.hk >; <ci-labo.cc>; <grana.cn>
& <grana.com.cn>; <buypaulsmithbags.com> & <top-paulsmith.com>;
<dellemcservices.com>; <trainingmask.cn>; <suningfc.com> <suningfc.win>
<suningfc.xyz><jssuningfc.cc> <jssuningfc.win> <suningdianjing.com>
<suningsucks.com> <suninglemon.club> & <suninglemon.com>;
<facebookmessenger.cn> <facebooklite.cn> <facebooknews.cn> <facebookvr.cn>
<facebookvr.com.cn> <facebook.hk.cn> & <efacebook.com.cn>; <longinnsz.com>
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