



Candidates to the HKCCA Executive Committee

Incumbent

1. Davyd Wong

Davyd Wong is a legal counsel, SC(RO)1, at the Hong Kong Monetary Authority (HKMA). Davyd joined the HKMA in 2018, and prior to that he worked at KPMG China, where he looked after the legal needs of the Advisory business units. In addition to Davyd's in-house corporate counsel experience, he has worked in private practice in Sydney, Australia and in Hong Kong specialising in commercial dispute resolution, restructuring and insolvency. During his private practice career, Davyd has had the opportunity to engage in pro bono work and to further his interests in related policy issues, which remains a passion of his to this day. Davyd holds a BCom / LLB from the UNSW, Australia and is admitted to practice in Australia and Hong Kong. He is a fellow of the Chartered Institute of Arbitrators, and is also a current member of the Law Society's Pro Bono Committee.

As a member of the Executive Committee of the HKCCA, Davyd contributes to the core activities of the association, including co-chairing the ACC Hong Kong's Pro Bono Legal Services Sub-Committee and helping to organize the Inaugural 2018 ACC Hong Kong Pro Bono Legal Services Stakeholder Summit.

2. Gordon Chan

Gordon Chan is currently the Vice President – Legal, Asia Pacific of Hyatt Hotels & Resorts covering the company's businesses and development projects in Asia Pacific. He is also the Hyatt Thrive (Hyatt's Corporate Social Responsibility Program) Committee Leader for Asia Pacific. Hyatt Thrive is the company's global corporate responsibility platform. Gordon has been in regular contact with various organizations in the local community and throughout the region. The article published in the August 2012 edition of Hong Kong Lawyer titled "Corporate responsibility: implications on daily legal work" was written by Gordon.

Before joining Hyatt Hotels & Resorts as an in-house counsel, Gordon was in private practice with a major law firm in Hong Kong. He worked in London and Beijing before. His practice area has been focused on cross-border real estate developments and property management schemes, including hotel management, and property acquisition works (involving public companies' assets and mixed-use development projects).

He studied law at the University of Hong Kong and was admitted as a solicitor in both England and Wales (Non-Practising) and Hong Kong. Gordon also holds a BSc from the University of British Columbia, Canada and a MSc (Financial Management) from the University of London

3. Grace Chan

Grace Chan is Senior Counsel, Asia-Pacific of ARRIS Hong Kong Limited, part of the ARRIS International Plc (NASDAQ: ARRS) Group. ARRIS is a provider of communications solutions and equipment in the US and internationally.

As a seasoned in-house lawyer based in Hong Kong, Grace has over 10 years of experience in advising regional and international businesses on IT and telecom contracts and providing legal support in a broad range of commercial and related matters across the Asia-Pacific region.

She holds a LL.B (Hons) from Aberystwyth University and a LL.M in Information Technology Law from the University of Hong Kong. She was admitted as a solicitor in England and Wales (Non-Practising) and in Hong Kong.

4. Beverly Chau

Beverly Chau is Asia Pacific Legal Counsel, L'Oréal, a global cosmetic giant with 100+ years' history, Euro 25 billion+ annual sales and 78,000+ employees worldwide as at 2016. L'Oréal is richly endowed with a portfolio of unique international brands, covering all lines of cosmetics and responding to the diverse needs of consumers all over the world. In L'Oréal's digital transformation, Beverly dedicates in providing fast-paced and efficient legal advisory service in IT, digital and data protection matters.

Prior to L'Oréal, she was Senior Counsel, Privacy at Uber (US\$70-billion Silicon valley start-up) and Legal Counsel & Company Secretary of digital media South China Morning Post (now an Alibaba subsidiary), respectively. Before assuming in-house role, Beverly gained solid private practice experience in major law firms including Baker & McKenzie and Norton Rose Fulbright as corporate commercial lawyer.

She graduated from University of London (LL.B.) and holds M.B.A. degree at HEC Paris. Beverly qualified in two (2) jurisdictions (Hong Kong and England and Wales), and speaks four (4) languages (English, Cantonese, Mandarin and French). She's passionate in aerial yoga and helping underprivileged groups.

New Candidates

1. Kit Wilson

Kit Wilson is Deputy General Counsel at HSBC. He is responsible for the legal coverage of HSBC's Global Banking & Markets businesses for the Asia-Pacific region. In addition to managing the legal team, Kit sits on a number of risk management and governance committees.

Kit started his legal career in New York at Simpson Thacher & Bartlett, then moved with them to Singapore and Hong Kong, before moving in-house to JPMorgan in 2004, where he covered mainly capital markets. Beginning in 2015, Kit then spent a year working for a bank in Boston in the US, as Deputy General Counsel, before returning to Hong Kong to work at HSBC.

Kit is admitted to the bars of New York and Massachusetts and graduated from Columbia Law School. He obtained double majors in Economics and Russian from Bates College in Maine, US.

2. Raymond Goh

Raymond is the Executive Director, Legal & Compliance, of Anbang Overseas Holdings Co. Limited where he oversees the Legal & Compliance aspects of Anbang Insurance Group Co. Limited's principal investments, strategic initiatives and subsidiaries around the world.

He and his team has received several industry awards, including "In-house Team of the Year: Chinese Financial Institution" (China Law & Practice Awards 2016), "Lawyer of the Year, Insurance and Reinsurance, Hong Kong" (Finance Monthly FinTech Awards 2017), and was recently recognized in The Legal 500's GC Powerlist for China and Hong Kong (2017).

Prior to joining Anbang in 2015, he spent six years as an in-house counsel with one of the leading international investment banks where he focused on capital markets transactions (debt and equity), cross-border mergers and acquisitions, derivatives, strategic initiatives and principal investments across Asia. Before that, he was in private practice with a Magic Circle law firm where he worked in London, Beijing, Shanghai, Hong Kong and Singapore.

Raymond is admitted as a solicitor in England and Wales, Hong Kong and Singapore, and is also a graduate of The Wharton School's Advanced Management Program for Senior Executives.

3. Loong Jia Wei

Loong Jia Wei is a Director at BOC International Holdings Limited, where he joined the company legal counsel in 2012. Jia Wei has a diverse experience gained in overseas jurisdictions in both private practice and in-house roles, including:

- March 2012 to Nov 2012: Legal Counsel with Wilmar International Limited.
- June 2010 to December 2011: Director (Capital Markets) with Daiwa Capital Markets Hong Kong Ltd.
- January 2010 to April 2010: Legal Counsel with CMC Markets Singapore Pte. Ltd.
- July 2008 to September 2009: Assistant Manager (Assistant Vice President) with Mizuho Corporate Bank, Singapore Branch in the Legal and Compliance Department.
- September 2007 to June 2008: On sabbatical leave to study for the New York Bar Exam and a Director of a Malaysian grass root Chinese community association, non-profit organization performing community, welfare and social works.
- June 2007 to August 2007: Completed a compulsory 3 months pupillage with a Singapore legal firm, Messrs Tan Rajah & Cheah for admission to the Singapore Bar.
- July 2002 to August 2007: Practising as a sole proprietor in Messrs J W Loong & Associates, Malaysia with special focus on corporate, commercial laws, financial products and civil litigation.
- November 2000 to April 2001: Practising as a corporate lawyer in Messrs Yoong & Partners, Malaysia, a firm associated with Messrs Yoong & Partners, Singapore.
- January 2000 to November 2000: Practising as a corporate lawyer in capital markets and corporate litigation in Messrs K M Chye & Murad, Malaysia, a firm formerly associated with Messrs Khattar Wong & Partners, Singapore.

He graduated in 1995 from the University of Leeds (UK) with a Bachelor of Law (Honours) (Second Class Upper). He has a Graduate Diploma in Singapore Law from the National University of Singapore (2016), and has a Master in Law from the University of Hong Kong (2016). He is qualified in various jurisdictions:

- Advocate & Solicitor, High Court of Malaya, Malaysia (1998).
- Solicitor of the Supreme Court of England & Wales (since 2007)
- Advocate & Solicitor of the Supreme Court of Singapore (since 2007).
- Attorney and Counselor of the State of New York (since 2009).
- Solicitor of the High Court of Hong Kong (since 2013).

He is a native Cantonese speaker and is fluent in English, Mandarin, and Malay.

4. Jonty Lim

Jonty Lim has extensive experience in advising sophisticated counterparties such as global financial institutions, international bondholders, regulatory agencies and PE houses in both contentious and non-contentious settings in the United States, Europe and Asia. Jonty's experience focuses on the entire corporate life cycle ranging from capital formation, mergers & acquisitions, restructuring to maturity. He has also dealt with the flow and proprietary books of leading investment banks and has advised on a spectrum of leading capital markets transactions ranging from equity and debt offerings to private placements and various bank financing matters.

Jonty is a Director and Legal Counsel at KPMG China for over 7 years where he was involved in several of the leading turnaround and advisory engagements in the region. He also holds a practise development role in the firm and has extensive in-house experience in dealing with risks and compliance issues from and execution perspective for the business. He has also previously practiced in the bank financing and US capital markets teams at the law firms of Shearman & Sterling in New York, Herbert Smith and Eversheds Sutherlands in Hong Kong. He was also an academic and has taught at the Hong Kong University of Science and has taught as a part time lecturer in company laws at the City University of Hong Kong and at the HKICPA's Professional Diploma in Insolvency program.

5. Eddie Bao

Eddie Bao is Corporate Counsel at Ciena and is a trusted business advisor for the Ciena team across the Asia Pacific region. He works with a broad range of teams across Ciena including being a core team member of the sales and operations teams responsible for creating and delivering innovative telecommunications solutions that achieve key customer objectives. Eddie provides advice regarding a wide range of legal issues including general commercial contracts, intellectual property, logistics, construction, workplace relations and data privacy. Working at a US company whilst being based in Hong Kong gives him a strong understanding of the cultural and practical issues that arise for working with a multinational company.

Eddie is currently a member of the Hong Kong Corporate Counsel Association Technology, Media and Telecommunications Sub-Committee. This provides Eddie with a fantastic platform to assist members to grow their legal network and connect with other legal and compliance professionals. He feels very privileged to be part of the sub-committee and looks forward to assisting fellow members of the Hong Kong Corporate Counsel Association to network and learn from one another. Having moved to Hong

Kong without a large legal network, he knows some of the difficulties associated with building a professional network and hopes to help other professionals build their network through the HKCCA.

Eddie is an Australian qualified lawyer and has been based in Hong Kong for the past 5 years. Prior to moving to Hong Kong, Eddie worked with King & Wood Mallesons and Gilbert + Tobin in Melbourne. He also spent 2 years at one of Australia's leading telecommunications companies.

Eddie completed a Bachelor of Laws (1st class Honors) and Bachelor of Commerce at Monash University in Melbourne and holds a practicing certificate in Victoria, Australia.