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## Asia-Pacific Dispute Resolution Summit 2015

GUIDE TO MANAGING DISPUTES IN AN INCREASINGLY  
COMPLEX CROSS-BORDER ENVIRONMENT

SEPTEMBER 24 2015 ★ THE RITZ-CARLTON, HONG KONG

### Benefits of attending:

- Hear tips on how best to manage cross-border disputes and the latest trends in arbitration, mediation and litigation
- Learn how to enforce judgments in challenging jurisdictions
- Exchange views on forum shopping throughout the region
- Learn what remedies are available for investment disputes
- Explore tactics in defending your organisations' IP and crisis management

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The Asialaw Asia-Pacific Dispute Resolution Summit will be returning to Hong Kong on September 24, covering the latest regional challenges that are facing practitioners today. Working in a global business environment, counsel from corporates and banks are dealing with increasingly complex cross-border disputes. Regional counsel are confronted with disputes that can arise in challenging jurisdictions with uncertain legal systems. And are expected to plan for potential disputes while balancing their organisations' commercial interests.

Over 250 delegates were attracted to the event last year and the summit will bring together the region's legal practitioners and business people to deliver a top-level business symposium. The summit will feature discussions and expert advice on key legal and business issues impacting foreign and domestic companies doing business in Asia.

At this event you will be able to interact and hear from experts and peers to learn how best to navigate disputes in Asia. Registration is now open and free to corporate and bankers counsel. Contact [sarah.wall@legalmediagroup.com](mailto:sarah.wall@legalmediagroup.com) to register.

## Who should attend:

- Litigation counsel
- Bankers counsel
- Corporate counsel
- Regulators
- Academics
- Barristers
- Accredited arbitrators and mediators



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## AGENDA

### 8.10 Registration

### 8.50 Welcome from asialaw – Ralph Cunningham, Asia publisher, Euromoney Legal Media Group

### 9.00 Keynote speech – The Honourable Justice Godfrey Lam, president, Competition Tribunal Hong Kong

### 9.15 Strategies for success: managing cross-border disputes

- Developing your cross-border litigation strategy: how multinational corporations are managing multi-jurisdictional disputes
- Forum selection: what are strategic differences between various jurisdictions across litigation, arbitration and investigations
- Tips for cross-border case management, counsel selection, dispute resolution costs, expedited and summary procedures
- Insight of regional in-house counsel: how to handle Asia-Pacific specific disputes with consideration of global strategies

Shaun Wu, partner, **Kobre & Kim**

Christopher Monahan, chief legal counsel – Asia Pacific, **AECOM**

Kellie Hyae-Young Yi, in-house counsel, international legal team, **Hyundai Heavy Industries**

Li Qing, partner, **JunHe**

### 10.05 Brand and reputation management: protecting your organisations' IP and dealing with crisis management

- Dispute resolution mechanisms for IP infringement, such as licensing, technology transfer agreements and counterfeiting claims
- Defending your organisation's reputation in a crisis: tips to implement for regional IP management and brand protection across the jurisdiction
- Processes when multi-parties and joinders are involved

Carolina Cordero di Vanzo, head of IP department – Asia Pacific and EMEA, **Techtronic Industries**

Andrew Robinson, consultant and former global director of brand integrity, **International Tobacco Manufacturer**

Winnie Tam SC, barrister, **Des Voeux Chambers**

Chiann Bao, secretary-general, **HKIAC**

### 10.55 Networking and coffee break

### 11.15 Is Hong Kong still a leading jurisdiction for resolving commercial disputes?

- Resolve business disputes successfully: independence of the Judiciary, the legal profession and the rule of law in commercial disputes in Hong Kong
- Sector highlights: finance, investment, international trade, maritime law, IP and construction
- Key developments in the legal system: how Hong Kong can remain attractive as a dispute resolution destination

Charles Allen, partner, **Sidley Austin**

The Honourable Mr Justice Jonathan Harris, judge, **Court of First Instance of the High Court**

Charles Manzoni SC QC, barrister, **Temple Chambers**

### 11.45 Investment disputes: trends in investment arbitration

- Types of investment disputes arising from Free Trade Agreements and Bilateral Investment Treaties and remedies available to the investor, including investor-state mediation
- ICSID vs non-ICSID investment treaty arbitration
- A closer look at recent cases, including allegations of investor misconduct and evidentiary challenges
- Enforcing a decision: the attitudes of national governments and the public

Nicholas Lingard, partner, **Freshfields Bruckhaus Deringer**

Masako Takahata, general counsel, **Eurus Energy Holdings Corporation**

Bruce Collins QC, barrister and arbitrator, **XXIV Old Buildings**

Professor Julien Chaisse, director centre for financial regulation and economic development, faculty of law, **The Chinese University of Hong Kong**

### 12.35 Networking lunch

### 13.25 Cross-border restructuring and insolvency

- An increasingly distressed environment: global restructuring trends
- Case studies for major multi-jurisdictional corporate and debt restructurings
- Restructuring tools and structures in Asia and the US
- Practical tips when involved in litigation funding and developments on the horizon

Alan Linning, partner, **Sidley Austin**

Clive Bowman, chief executive – Australia and Asia, **IMF Bentham**

Dominic James, counsel, **Sidley Austin**

Davyd Wong, director, legal counsel, **KPMG**

### 14.15 Enforcing arbitral awards in Asia

- Distinguishing enforcement approach in jurisdictions whether they are party to New York Convention or not
- Tactics used by parties to prevent enforcement of judgments
- Challenges with asset tracing and different classes of judgment debtors

Rory McAlpine, partner, **Skadden Arps Slate Meagher & Flom**

Tim Meng, partner, **GoldenGate**

Victoria Ashworth, executive director – litigation, Asia Pacific, **JP Morgan Chase**

Arthur Ma, partner, **Da Hui Lawyers**

Katrina Shi, vice-president – general counsel, **Total China**

### 15.05 Networking and coffee break

### 15.25 Combating regulatory risks and disputes

- Lessons learned: how enforcement attitudes are evolving with cases such as Citron Research and Tiger Asia
- Information governance: handling extraterritorial demands, including defending US production orders and conflicts with local compliance requirements
- What the increasing clampdown on AML enforcement means for self-reporting obligations
- Reacting to regional and extra-terrestrial enforcement actions: tips for managing cross-border investigations and major differences to consider

Tim Mak, partner, **Freshfields Bruckhaus Deringer**

Mark Lin, partner, **Hogan Lovells**

David Kreider Esq, international chartered arbitrator

### 16.15 When litigating in China

- When should you arbitrate and when you should go to court?
- Being alert to procedural twists: when do strict rules of evidence affect you in arbitration and how?
- Overcoming challenges with discovery and enforcement

Leanne Zheng, partner, **JunHe**

Chen Xu, chief counsel – Greater China, **Cargill Investments (China)**

Brad Wang, counsel and case manager, **CIETAC Hong Kong Arbitration Center**

### 17.05 Close of conference

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