PROFILE

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LLB (First Class Honours), London School of Economics & Political Science (2018)

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ABOUT CHLOE

Chloe is an Associate Director in our Dispute Resolution practice group with an active practice in complex commercial and corporate litigation and international arbitration.

She has successfully represented multinational corporations, high-net-worth individuals and investment funds in a broad range of high-value, cross-border disputes before all levels of the Singapore Courts. She also has experience acting in international arbitrations under the SIAC Rules and UNCITRAL Rules across various sectors, including pharmaceuticals, hospitality, gaming, technology and renewable energy.

Chloe has particular expertise in fraud, cross-border investigations, asset recovery, and shareholder disputes. She regularly advises clients on breaches of fiduciary duties, investment and joint venture disputes, and regulatory investigations.

Chloe graduated with First Class Honours from the London School of Economics & Political Science in 2018 and is dual-qualified in Singapore and England & Wales.

EXPERIENCE

Some of the matters in which Chloe has acted include:

Fraud, Investigations & Asset Recovery

- Successfully acted for a high-net-worth individual in Singapore High Court proceedings concerning the fraudulent disposition of assets exceeding S$41 million in value, uncovered through extensive forensic investigations (*Wang Xiaopu v Koh Mui Lee and others* [2023] SGHC 73).
- Successfully acted for a high-net-worth individual in committal proceedings before the Singapore High Court and Court of Appeal against a prominent Singaporean doctor arising from the intentional concealment of assets exceeding S$15 million in breach of court orders (*Goh Seng Heng v Wang Xiaopu* [2022] SGCA 48).
- Successfully acted for a high-net-worth businessman before the Singapore High Court and Court of Appeal in a cross-border investment dispute concerning a mixed-development in Cambodia involving findings of concealment and wrongful retention of profits exceeding US$35 million by a fiduciary (*Ratan Kumar Rai v Seah Hock Thiam and others* [2021] SGHC 276 and *Tan Teck Kee v Ratan Kumar Rai* [2022] SGCA 62).
- Advised a prominent real estate developer on a broad range of contentious, regulatory and compliance issues arising from a defunct members-only club in Singapore, including investigations concerning alleged breaches of the Personal Data Protection Act 2012, tenancy disputes, corporate insolvency and bankruptcy matters, employment disputes and regulatory compliance issues, and licensing matters.
- Advised a multinational dye manufacturing company in connection with investigations conducted by the Ministry of Corporate Affairs of India.

Commercial & Corporate Litigation

- Successfully defended a multinational dye manufacturing company before the Singapore International Commercial Court and Court of Appeal against a counterclaim exceeding US$50 million arising from an alleged breach of a preferred supplier agreement (*DyStar Global Holdings (Singapore) Pte Ltd v Kiri Industries Ltd and Manishkumar Pravinchandra Kiri* [2021] SGHC(I) 12 and *Kiri Industries Ltd v DyStar Global*

Holdings (Singapore) Pte Ltd and another appeal [2023] SGCA(I) 3).

- Successfully acted for a multinational dye manufacturing company valued at US$1.6 billion in proceedings brought by its minority shareholder before the Singapore International Commercial Court seeking, among other things, the winding up of the company (*Kiri Industries Ltd v Senda International Capital Ltd and another* [2024] SGHC(I) 14).
- Successfully acted for a global distressed debt investment firm in Singapore High Court proceedings concerning the recovery of outstanding debt exceeding US$30 million (*AI MTBL SPV, LLC v MTBL Global Fund and another* [2024] SGHC 255).
- Successfully acted for a former shareholder of a Vietnamese pharmaceutical company in an appeal before the Appellate Division of the Singapore High Court involving a novel issue concerning the assessment of a receiver's solicitor's bills (*Victory International Holdings Pte Ltd v Borrelli, Cosimo and another* [2025] SGHC(A) 1).
- Acting for a leading manufacturer of synthetic rubber parts in proceedings before the Singapore High Court concerning breaches of directors' duties and diversion of corporate opportunities, with claims exceeding S$12 million.
- Acting for a high-net-worth individual in appellate proceedings before the Appellate Division of the Singapore High Court against the judgment of the lower court (*Astrawati Aluwi v Lo Yew Seng and another (Infinity Capital Group Ltd and others, third parties)* [2025] SGHC 188) involving findings of fraudulent misrepresentation, negligent misstatement and conspiracy by unlawful means.
- Acting for a leading Vietnamese IT distributor in a shareholder dispute before the Singapore High Court involving claims exceeding US$15 million.

International Arbitration

- Acted for a former shareholder of a Vietnamese pharmaceutical company in a Singapore-seated arbitration conducted under the UNCITRAL Rules.
- Acting for an India-headquartered power producer in an SIAC arbitration arising from disputes concerning the sale of renewable energy assets.
- Successfully acted for an Indonesian high-net-worth businessman in an SIAC arbitration concerning a dispute arising from the sale of two hotels.
- Successfully acted for a Singapore gaming company in an SIAC arbitration concerning the validity of a settlement agreement.
- Advised an international multi-category retailer in relation to potential arbitration proceedings arising from disputes under a shareholders' agreement.
- Advised an individual in relation to potential arbitration proceedings against a prominent Curaçao-incorporated cryptocurrency gambling platform.

White Collar Crime

- Acted for an individual and 2 companies facing criminal charges under the United Nations (Sanctions — Democratic People's Republic of Korea) Regulations 2010 arising from the import of alcohol into North Korea.
- Acted for an individual and a company facing criminal charges under the Money-changing and Remittance Businesses Act.

Corporate & Transactional Advisory

- Advised a multinational dye manufacturing company on an *en bloc* sale of its shares, capital reduction and share buy-back exercise.

ACCOLADES

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APPOINTMENTS/MEMBERSHIPS

- Member, Law Society of Singapore
- Member, Singapore Academy of Law