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PRACTICE AREAS

- Dispute resolution
- Cross-border arbitration and dispute resolution

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Prior to joining Han Kun Law Offices, Mr. Zhao worked in the Hong Kong office of Quinn Emanuel Urquhart & Sullivan LLP.

Since beginning his legal career, Mr. Zhao has been assisting Chinese and foreign clients in resolving disputes arising from their "going global" and cross-border transactions. His practice spans a broad range of high-tech and manufacturing sectors, including innovative pharmaceutical investment, research and development (R&D), manufacturing, and commercialization; medical devices; photovoltaic equipment manufacturing and supply; new energy materials production and supply; telecommunications equipment design and manufacturing; specialty industrial gas production and supply; chemical equipment procurement; industrial automation equipment design and manufacturing; and financial technology (fintech).

In arbitration, Mr. Zhao has represented clients in disputes under the rules of the China International Economic and Trade Arbitration Commission (CIETAC), Shanghai International Arbitration Center (SHIAC), Shenzhen Court of International Arbitration (SCIA), Beijing Arbitration Commission (BAC), Hong Kong International Arbitration Centre (HKIAC), Singapore International Arbitration Centre (SIAC), International Chamber of Commerce (ICC), American Arbitration Association (AAA), Shanghai Arbitration Commission (SAC), United Nations Commission on International Trade Law (UNCITRAL), and the International Centre for Settlement of Investment Disputes (ICSID). He has also provided advice on issues related to the annulment or enforcement of arbitral awards.

In litigation, Mr. Zhao has represented both domestic clients and foreign clients — including those from Germany, the United States, France, Italy, and other jurisdictions — in securing favorable judgments or negotiated settlements before courts in Shanghai, Shenzhen, Zhejiang, Jiangsu, Jiangxi, Shandong, and other regions. He has also provided PRC law opinions in support of legal proceedings in the United States, the United Kingdom, Singapore, Hong Kong, and Taiwan.

In recent years, Mr. Zhao has expanded his practice to encompass cross-border asset tracing and recovery, including matters involving digital assets and cryptocurrency.

EDUCATION

Harvard Law School (LL.M.); Peking University School of Transnational Law (J.D. in American Law;

J.M. in PRC Law); Sun Yat-sen University (Bachelor of Philosophy, major in Logic).

QUALIFICATIONS

Member of the PRC Bar

Member of the New York State Bar

HONORS AND AWARDS

Private Practice Powerlists (Arbitration; China), Legal 500, 2023

Recommended Lawyer (Arbitration), Legal 500, 2022, 2023

SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITIES

YSIAC, Committee Member (two terms)

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WORKING LANGUAGES

Chinese, English, Cantonese



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业务领域

- 争议解决
- 跨境仲裁与争议解决

工作经历

加入汉坤之前，赵宇先律师曾经在美国昆鹰律师事务所香港分所工作。

从业以来，赵宇先律师一直协助中国和外国客户处理他们在“出海”和跨境交易中遇到的纠纷，这些纠纷多涉及高新技术和生产制造业，例如：创新药投资、研发、生产及销售、医疗器械、新型光伏设备生产供应、新能源材料生产供应、通信设备设计生产、特殊工业气体生产供应、化工设备采购、工业自动化设备设计生产、金融科技等。

在仲裁方面，赵宇先律师曾经代理客户处理中国国际经济贸易仲裁委员会（CIETAC）、上海国际仲裁中心（SHIAC）、深圳国际仲裁院（SCIA）、北京仲裁委员会（BAC）、香港国际仲裁中心（HKIAC）、新加坡国际仲裁中心（SIAC）、国际商会仲裁院（ICC）、美国仲裁协会（AAA）、上海仲裁委员会（SAC）、联合国国际贸易法委员会规则（UNCITRAL）、国际投资争端解决中心（ICSID）规则下的纠纷案件。他还为仲裁裁决的撤销或执行等问题提供过建议。

在诉讼方面，赵宇先律师曾协助国内客户以及来自于德国、美国、法国、意大利等国家的外国客户在上海、深圳、浙江、江苏、江西、山东等地的法院取得有利判决或和解结果。此外，赵宇先律师还在美国、英国、新加坡、香港、台湾等国家和地区的诉讼程序中，提供中国法方面的意见。

近年来，赵宇先律师还为国内外客户在跨境资产追索方面提供协助，包括涉及虚拟资产的追索。

教育背景

哈佛大学法学院（法学硕士）；北京大学国际法学院（中国法法学硕士、美国法法学硕士）；中山大学（逻辑学专业）。

执业资格

中华人民共和国律师执业资格
美国纽约州律师执业资格

荣誉与奖项

首届私人执业权威榜单（仲裁；中国），Legal 500，2023
推荐律师（仲裁），Legal 500，2022，2023

社会任职

新加坡国际仲裁院青年仲裁委员会，委员会成员（两届）
新加坡国际仲裁院，用户顾问

工作语言

中文、英文、粤语