

Biography



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Expertise

Corporate Services

Kelly is a legal director in our Hong Kong office. She is responsible for new business origination, overseeing the legal function and providing transactional and legal advisory support for the Corporate Trust and Agency Services team.

She is a Hong Kong qualified solicitor and has extensive experience advising a global bank in a wide range of complex, cross-border syndicated and structured financings which include corporate loans, pre-IPO financing, equity-backed financing, asset-based loans, real estate, structured trade and other financing transactions. Additionally, She is well versed in both agency and trustee-side work for standalone bonds, Medium-term note (MTN) programmes, private placements and equity-linked transactions and has particular exposure in advising corporates, banks, funds and private credit lenders on innovative escrow and custody arrangements supporting a variety of transactions.

Prior to this role, she worked as a corporate lawyer with Allen & Overy at its Hong Kong and Beijing offices specialising in cross-border and international merger and acquisition, private equity and venture capital investments, general corporate and commercial advisory matters.

Kelly holds a Master of Laws with the University College London a Bachelor of Laws and a Bachelor of Commerce with the University of Sydney. She is a member of the Law Society of Hong Kong and an associate member of CPA Australia.

Kelly is fluent in English, Cantonese, Mandarin and speaks conversational Shanghainese.