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Brief Biography

Samuel Chan is a practising barrister who was called to the Hong Kong Bar in 1989. His practice covers a wide range of commercial, company and insurance litigation. He is appointed by the HKSAR Government as Chairman of the Competition Commission (競爭事務委員會) and Member of the ICAC Operations Review Committee (廉政公署審查貪污舉報諮詢委員會). He was also former Vice-Chairman of the Consumer Council (消費者委員會), Non-Executive Director of the Insurance Authority (保險業監管局) and Deputy Chairman of the Town Planning Appeal Board (城市規劃上訴委員會). He sat as a Deputy District Judge in 2006 and has considerable experience as adjudicator and member in many statutory tribunals and appeal boards.

Principal Areas of Practice

- Commercial litigation / arbitration
- Corporate insolvency
- Land law & equity
- Personal injuries

Professional Qualifications

- Insurance law
- Shareholders disputes
- Carriage by sea or by air
- Professional negligence

Fellow of Chartered Institute of Arbitrators (FCIArb) (英國特許仲裁司學會院士) Fellow of Hong Kong Institute of Arbitrators (FHKIArb) (香港仲裁司協會資深會員) Panel of Arbitrators, Shenzhen Court of International Arbitration (深圳國際仲裁院仲裁員) Panel of Arbitrators, South China International Arbitration Center (華南(香港)國際仲裁院仲裁員) List of Arbitrators, Hong Kong International Arbitration Centre (香港國際仲裁中心仲裁員)

Notable Cases

- Sun Yan v Superb Jade Ltd [2023] HKCFI 1433
- Re GW Electronics Co Ltd [2022] 5 HKLRD 857
- Win City Ltd v Shum Ho [2022] HKCFI 420
- Li Guozhu v New Century Iatrical Inv. Management Ltd [2020] 3 HKLRD 464
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- *SA v KB* [2016] 2 HKLRD 1249
- *Re ATV Television Ltd* [2015] 1 HKLRD 607
- Sit Wing Yi Sibly v Berton Industrial Ltd (2013) 16 HKCFAR 104
- Re New China Hong Kong Group Ltd [2013] 2 HKLRD 897
- Chan Pak Ting v Chan Chi Kuen (No.2) [2013] 2 HKLRD 1
- Chan Pak Ting v Chan Chi Kuen [2013] 1 HKLRD 634
- New China Hong Kong Highway Ltd v Ng Kwai Kai Kenneth [2011] 5 HKLRD 216
- Leung Kin Fai v IDS Logistics (Hong Kong) Ltd [2010] 3 HKLRD 267
- *Re PCCW Ltd* [2009] 3 HKC 292
- *Re Mahr China Ltd* [2008] 4 HKLRD 141
- Yeung Chung Lau v I/O of Century Industrial Centre [2007] 4 HKLRD 25
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- Japan Leasing (HK) Ltd v Shun Kai Finance Co Ltd [2001] 2 HKC 179
- Ip Fung Yee v The Norwegian Missionary Society [1998] 1 HKLRD 94

Languages

English, Cantonese and Mandarin