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LL.B (Hons), Queen Mary College, University of London

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#### **Career & Professional Experience:**

Advocate & Solicitor, Supreme Court of Republic of Singapore  
Counsel in Singapore court litigation  
Counsel in international arbitration  
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#### **Legal Knowledge relating to Shipping, Arbitration Practice and Procedure:**

21 years of practice as an Advocate and Solicitor in the Supreme Court of the Republic of Singapore and as counsel in international maritime arbitration. Actively dealing with shipping cases, including ship arrest, ship mortgage enforcement, carriage of goods by sea, charterparty and contracts of affreightment disputes, shipbuilding, ship conversion, ship repair and offshore construction disputes, maritime joint ventures and other investment disputes. Familiar with arbitral practice and procedure, having been involved in SCMA, SIAC, ICC, LMAA, BANI, ICDR, etc. arbitrations either as counsel or as arbitrator. Chair of the committee that drafted the Law Society Arbitration Rules. Senior officer (Administrator) of the Comité Maritime International, an international organisation that seeks to unify maritime laws and is responsible for drafting and proposing international conventions on shipping. Former Secretary of the Maritime Law Association of Singapore. Liaison between the Law Society of Singapore and the Supreme Court on admiralty matters. Member of the rules committee of the Singapore International Commercial Court.

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