White & Case 15th Annual Taiwan Legal Symposium 2020 – Autumn Webinar Series

Program

This year, we are celebrating our 15th Annual Taiwan Legal Symposium. You are invited to join us for a series of webinars in which we will examine the latest legal developments in global trade and investment trends, and their implications for Taiwanese investors and companies doing business abroad.

Date/Taiwan Time	Session	Speakers
Thursday 3 September 2020 5:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.	Webinar 1 HP v. Quanta Storage and FTC v. Qualcomm – Implications for Your Supply Chain and EU's Renewed Focus on the Tech Sector – Apple, Broadcom, FRAND and the IoT Noah Brumfield will be discussing antitrust rules for interactions with competitors and customers, studying the lessons from HP v. Quanta. We will learn to face the challenge when customers are also competitors, and the takeaways from FTC v. Qualcomm for your supply chain. The European Union has a renewed focus on the technology sector. James Killick will also present the latest EU antitrust cases in this sector and its inquiry into the Internet of Things (IoT). Additionally, he will discuss how the automotive sector is driving the FRAND debate as well as the new EU powers on FDI and subsidized acquisitions.	Noah Brumfield Partner, Washington, DC James Killick Partner, Brussels
Wednesday 9 September 2020 5:30 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.	Webinar 2 Global FDI Trends, Export Control and Trade Issues FDI screening has substantially increased across the globe over the past three to four years and, after the outbreak of COVID-19 and an impending economic recession, FDI restrictions are also used to combat opportunistic M&A from companies and jurisdictions with deep pockets. In this webinar, Farhad Jalinous and Tilman Kuhn will focus on how deal-making has been impacted by changes to Foreign Direct Investment (FDI) regimes, with a specific focus on the US (CFIUS) and Europe. Cristina Brayton-Lewis, a partner focusing on export controls and sanctions, will discuss the aggressive expansion of US export controls over the past 12 months, particularly those related to technology, and how they affect Taiwanese exports. Finally, Christopher Corr will discuss how the "new normal" has affected trade and its implications for Taiwan exporters. He will explain how moving around the tariff wall has gotten more difficult and more dangerous, and that Taiwan-invested companies using third-country parts should take note, taking into account recent USG proposals could make it worse. As competing FTAs in the region pose challenges and opportunities for Taiwan exporters, Christopher will review how to mitigate risks and seize opportunities in these uncertain times.	Farhad Jalinous Partner, Washington, DC Tilman Kuhn Partner, Dusseldorf Cristina Brayton-Lewis Partner, Washington, DC Chris Corr Counsel, Beijing
Wednesday 16 September 2020 9:30 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.	Webinar 3 The New Rocket Docket – WD Texas. Strategies for a Successful Defense In this presentation, our Intellectual Property lawyers Bijal Vakil and Henry Huang will discuss the rise, since 2018, of the Western District of Texas as a patent litigation venue, the strategies for patent defendants and how Judge Albright has become one of the busiest US patent judges due to his rules and practices. Technology companies must be prepared to litigate in WD Tex. on a fast schedule, understanding the court's views on common defenses and strategies.	Bijal Vakil Partner, Silicon Valley Henry Huang Associate, Silicon Valley
Thursday 17 September 2020 5:30 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.	Webinar 4 Trends in Regional Private Equity, M&A and Finance The past 12 months, in particular 2020, witnessed several "black swan" events that have impacted deal-making in Asia-Pacific and elsewhere globally. These challenges, however dire, present new opportunities for financial institutions and companies. In this webinar, Daniel Yeh, Steve Sha, Alexander McMyn and Eugene Man will assess the key impact these events have had on investments and financings across Asia-Pacific in the past 12 months and how these events may shape investment and finance structuring in certain sectors and geographies in the near term.	Daniel Yeh Partner, Hong Kong Steve Sha Partner, Hong Kong Eugene Man Partner, Hong Kong Alexander McMyn Partner, Singapore



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