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Overview

Jojo is an associate in Dentons' Hong Kong office, and is engaged in investment funds, asset management and ESG practice areas.

Jojo has been developing a focus on corporate and commercial matters, in particular on asset management and financial services matters. She has gained diverse exposure and experience in the areas of private investment funds, structured finance and compliance and regulatory issues relating to the financial services sector in Hong Kong.

Jojo has also accumulated knowledge and experience working on matters relating to charities, social enterprises, impact organisations and B Corps. In particular, she has assisted on the establishment of a social finance arrangement in Hong Kong, as well as advising charitable organisations on setting up and governance matters, donation agreements and giving and receiving donations, and dealing with the Inland Revenue Department and Companies Registry in relation to obtaining tax exempt status in Hong Kong.

Experience

- **Hong Kong LPF:** Assisting a Hong Kong fund manager on the structuring and establishment of a private equity fund using the Hong Kong limited partnership fund structure.
- **Hong Kong OFC:** Assisting a Hong Kong fund manager on the establishment of a Hong Kong open-ended fund company.
- **Various fund formations:** Assisting on the formation of private and public investment funds, including fund of funds (FOFs) and funds to be listed on the Cayman Islands Stock Exchange.
- **Note structure:** Assisting on the set up of a private note structure linked to an investment management arrangement of an investment portfolio.
- **Hong Kong B Corps:** Certified B Corps are a new type of businesses and a global movement of companies that believe in business as a force for good, balancing profit and purpose; assisting in advising B Lab and B Market Builder Hong Kong & Macau on the "Legal Requirement" for Hong Kong B Corps, aligning B Lab's

global standard on corporate governance and mission-lock for B Corps and adapting to Hong Kong corporate and companies law; and assisting in advising on relevant legal issues of adopting B Corp status and related requirements of B impact assessment on E, S & G aspects.

- **Social finance arrangement:** Assisting Social Ventures Hong Kong and Sustainable Finance Institute on structuring and establishing the Community Resilience Fund, a Covid emergency community relief fund for Hong Kong social enterprises, with potential to evolve into a first of its kind social finance vehicle in Hong Kong.
- **Philanthropy:** Advising charitable organisations on setting up and governance matters, donation agreements and giving and receiving donations, and assisting on applications to the Inland Revenue Department for tax exempt status under section 88 of the Inland Revenue Ordinance.

Areas of focus

Practices

- Corporate
- Investment Funds and Income Trusts

Issues and opportunities

- ESG: Global Solutions

Education

- The Chinese University of Hong Kong, 2018, PCLL
- The Chinese University of Hong Kong, 2017, JD
- The Chinese University of Hong Kong, 2014, BBA

Admissions and qualifications

- Solicitor, Hong Kong, 2021

Languages

- Cantonese
- English
- Mandarin