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Areas of practices

Antitrust Law, WTO and International Trade, Civil and Commercial Dispute Resolution.

Work experience

Gao has extensive experience advising on antitrust, mergers and acquisitions, legal compliance, commercial litigation/arbitration, and international trade. He advises companies in securing merger control and foreign direct investment approvals from competition and other regulatory authorities in China. He regularly assists clients in the defense of cartel and other anti-competitive practice investigations (including abuse of dominance cases) brought by SAMR.

Educational background

Europa Institut, Saarland University, LL.M.

Law School, Renmin University of China, LL.M.

Work experience

Gao previously worked for Hammonds LLP (Brussels office), Jingtian Gongcheng Law Firm, and Global Law Office.

Representative cases

- Google's acquisition of Motorola Mobility
 - L'Oréal's acquisition of Magic Holdings International Limited
 - Metinvest's acquisition of PSC Ilyich-Steel, PJSC Ilyich and Steel Works
 - Establishment of Joint Venture between China Eastern Airlines Corporation Limited and Qantas Airway Limited
 - Grand Astor Limited's acquisition of Chevron Phillips Chemical (China) Co., Ltd
 - Representation of the Ministry of Commerce of China in the WTO v. US 301 Tariff Measures (WTO Dispute)
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Awards

Gao is currently an LLM supervisor at Law School of Renmin University, a member of the Anti-monopoly Committee of the Beijing Bar Association, and a member of Studienvereinigung Kartellrecht. He has published multiple papers on competition law in top international and Chinese academic journals, such as the Economic Law Review, Concurrence, and Price:THEORY&PRACTICE.

Working language

- Chinese
- English