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David is an Independent Arbitrator, with offices in Hong Kong and New Zealand.

He is a leading arbitrator in Asia of intellectual property, software, digital media, licensing and technology disputes, included on the Hong Kong and Singapore panels of IP specialist arbitrators and on the CPR Institute's specialist Cyber Panel in New York.

David has been appointed presiding arbitrator, sole arbitrator or co-arbitrator in more than 30 international arbitration references, including ICC, HKIAC, SIAC and ICDR administered and *ad hoc* proceedings. He has also served as panellist in more than 150 Internet domain name cases, involving some 400 disputed domain names. Many of his panel decisions were written by David in Chinese.

David feels right at home dealing with technology and IP issues. His 30+ year legal career includes 14 years as general counsel to telecommunications heavyweights China Mobile and Vodafone.

Formerly the Chairman of the New Zealand National Committee of the ICC International Court of Arbitration, David was an Alternate Member on the Court from 2014 to 2017.

David is a licensed solicitor and attorney-at-law in England, Hong Kong, New York, New Jersey, California, Florida and Washington, D.C. He speaks fluently and reads Mandarin Chinese in addition to his native English.

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