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**Languages:**

Korean (mother tongue) and English (fluent)  
Japanese (capable of reading Japanese legal materials, with modest speaking capability)

**EDUCATION and QUALIFICATION**

- Yale Law School, New Haven, CT, U.S.A. (LL.M., 1983, J.S.D., 1990)
- Graduate School, Seoul National University, Seoul, Korea (LL.M., 1981)
- Judicial Research and Training Institute, Supreme Court of Korea  
(1975-1977, *summa cum laude*)
- College of Law, Seoul National University (LL. B, 1975, *summa cum laude*)
- Admitted to Korean Bar (1977)

## **PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

### **Current Positions**

- Arbitrator, Twenty Essex Chambers, London/Singapore
- Professor (*emeritus*), Seoul National University School of Law, Seoul, Korea  
Courses include international business law, international dispute settlement, and international investment law.
- Member of the Governing Board of the International Council for Commercial Arbitration (ICCA)
- Member of the International Advisory Board of the Vienna International Arbitration Centre (VIAC)
- Vice President, Asia Pacific Regional Arbitration Group (APRAG) (2016. 10. – present)
- Listed on the panel of arbitrators of the International Centre for Settlement of Investment Disputes (ICSID), AAA/ICDR (International Panel of Arbitrators), Hong Kong International Arbitration Centre (HKIAC), Singapore International Arbitration Centre (SIAC), The Japan Commercial Arbitration Association (JCAA), Shenzhen Court of International Arbitration (SCIA), Distinguished Panel of Thailand Arbitration Center (THAC) and Korean Commercial Arbitration Board (KCAB)
- Member of International Commercial Expert Committee, Supreme People’s Court of China (2018- present)

### **Past Professional Experience**

- Partner, Kim & Chang (the leading Korean law firm), Seoul, Korea (1980 - 2007).  
Practice areas included: cross-border transactions, including international trade, licensing, foreign investment, joint ventures, and the resolution of disputes arising therefrom.
- Chairman/Commissioner (non-standing), Korea Trade Commission (The Trade Remedy authority of the Republic of Korea, 2016.8 –2019.8)
- Chairman (non-standing), KCAB INTERNATIONAL, the international division of the Korean Commercial Arbitration Board (2018.4 – 2022.7)
- Member, ICCA-Queen Mary Task Force on Third-Party Funding (2015-2017)
- Member, Joint ICCA-ASIL Task Force on Issue Conflicts in Investor-State Arbitration (2013-2015)
- Member, Task Force for the amendment of the Arbitration Act of Korea, the Ministry of Justice, Republic of Korea (2013 - 2015)

- Chairman, Special Commission on the enactment of special legislation for the promotion of international arbitration, the Ministry of Justice, Republic of Korea (2014 - 2015)
- Vice President, Korea Mediation Society (2009 - 2011)
- Director for International Affairs, Korean Bar Association (1999-2001)
- Lecturer, Arbitration Academy, Paris (July 2012): “Investment Treaty Practice of China, Japan, and Korea”
- Faculty, ICDR International Symposia in Advanced Case Management Issues, Tokyo, Japan (2014)
- President, Investment Treaty Arbitration Law Forum, Seoul, Korea (2012 - 2020)
- Non-executive (non-standing, outside) Director, Korea Development Bank (2014 - 2018)
- Non-executive Director, Woori Finance Holdings Co., Ltd. (2008 - 2013); Chairman of the Audit Committee of Woori Finance Holdings Co., Ltd (2010 - 2013)

#### **RECENT ARTICLES/BOOKS**

- “ICSID Administrative and Financial Regulations” in “ICSID Rules and Regulations 2022, Article-by-Article Commentary” (Happ and Wilske eds., Verlag CH.H. Beck, 2022)
- “Balancing the Protection of Foreign Investors and States’ Responses in the Post-Pandemic World: Perspectives from Korea” in “Balancing the Protection of Foreign Investors and States Responses in the Post-Pandemic World (Y. Levashova and P.A. Lorfing, eds., Wolters Kluwer, 2022)
- “Explore the Synergy of Dispute Prevention Tools and Mediation” in “The Use of Mediation in ISDS” in “Proceedings UNCITRAL Working Group III on ISDS Reform” Inter-Sessional Meeting, 28-29 October 2021, Hong Kong SAR, China (Asian Academy of International Law, Cambridge University Press).
- “The Potential for Arbitrators to Also Act as Mediators for Facilitating Settlement of Disputes” in “Proceedings UNCITRAL Working Group III,” 9 November 2020, Hong Kong SAR, China (Asian Academy of International Law, Cambridge University Press).
- Korean chapter in “The UNCITRAL Model Law and Asian Arbitration Laws” (G. Bell ed., 2018, Cambridge University Press).
- Annulment, in “Building International Investment Law, The First 50 Years of ICSID” (Meg Kinnear et al. eds, 2016)
- Korea’s Experience with International Investment Agreements and Investor-State

- Dispute Settlement, *The Journal of World Investment & Trade* 16 (2015) (co-author)
- The Regionalization of Investment Treaty Arrangements: Developments and Implications, *Investment Treaty Law Current Issues V*, British Institute of International and Comparative Law (2014)
  - International Investment Arbitration and Public Policy: Review of Recent Arbitral Awards and Decisions (in Korean, co-editor, Seoul National University Press, 2014)
  - UNCITRAL Arbitration Rules and the Investment Treaty Arbitration Practice (in Korean, 2013)
  - Korean chapter in “Commentaries on Selected Model Investment Treaties” (Oxford Commentaries on International Law (C. Brown ed., 2013)
  - Balancing the Domestic Regulatory Need to Control the Inflow of Foreign Direct Investment Against International Treaty Commitments, *Asia Pacific Law Review*, Vol 19, No 2 (primary writer) (2011)
  - The Domestic Decision-making Process and Its Implications for International Commitments, *Yale Journal of International Law*, Vol. 34
  - The Domestic Decision-Making Process and Its Implications for International Commitments, in “Looking to the Future: Essays on International Law in Honor of W. Michael Reisman” (2010, Martinus Nijhoff Publishers)
  - An Ombudsman as One Avenue Facilitating ADR and Socio-Cultural Aspect Affecting ADR in Investment Treaty Dispute Resolution, in UNCTAD, “Investor-State Disputes: Prevention and Alternatives to Arbitration II” (2010)
  - The Transnational Investment Process from the Perspective of the New Haven School of Jurisprudence, *Asia Pacific Law Review*, Vol 18, No 1 (2010)
  - Korean chapter in “International Product Liability Law: A Worldwide Desk Reference” (co-author, 2003)

#### **MEMBERSHIP in PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS**

- LCIA Users’ Council
- SIAC Users’ Council
- International Council for Commercial Arbitration (ICCA) (Governing Board member)
- ISDS Academic Forum (UNCITRAL WGIII)
- American Society of International Law
- Korean Bar Association

- Korean Arbitrators' Association
- Korean Society of International Trade Law
- Korean Society of International Economic Law
- Korean Mediation Society