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Areas of practice

- Dispute resolution
- Restructuring and insolvency
- Investigations
- Construction

Qualification

Advocate & Solicitor, Singapore, 2019

Education

Bachelor of Laws (Cum Laude),
Singapore Management University,
2018

Memberships

- Member, The Law Society of Singapore
 - Member, Singapore Academy of Law
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Darren focuses his practice on civil and commercial litigation. He also has experience handling insolvency and restructuring matters.

Experience

- Acting for and advising **shareholders and their associate / affiliate companies** in a cross-border dispute (before the General Division of the High Court of Singapore, the Eastern Caribbean Supreme Court of the British Virgin Islands, and the China National Intellectual Property Administration) in relation to an automotive spare parts business, including claims of conspiracy, breaches of exclusive distributorship agreements and diversion of business. The matter included multiple applications in Singapore for interim injunctive relief to protect the business and associated trademark rights, and required coordination with multiple sets of solicitors acting in various jurisdictions.
- Acting for **an executor and trustee of an estate** in multiple contentious proceedings brought by a beneficiary of the estate concerning the winding up of a family company, estate administration and challenges to a family member's mental capacity in the Family Justice Courts, the Family Division of the High Court, the General Division of the High Court and the Appellate Division of the High Court.
- Acting for and advising **private trustees in bankruptcy** of two individuals in relation to claims concerning transfers of shares and funds across Singapore, Switzerland, Thailand and Hongkong, involving alleged transactions at an undervalue, unfair preferences, unauthorised dispositions and sham transactions.
- Acting for a **multinational electronics company** in a construction arbitration concerning variation claims and defects in works for its flagship building in Singapore. After an interim arbitral award was rendered (which was substantially in the client's favour), successfully resisted the contractor's application to set aside the award in the High Court of Singapore (*DOM v DON* [2025] SGHC 103).
- Acting for and advising a **local food and beverage company** in its debt restructuring involving liabilities of in excess of S\$3 million. Successful obtained a moratorium from the High Court of Singapore under section 63 of the Insolvency, Restructuring and Dissolution Act 2018 to facilitate a proposed scheme of arrangement with its creditors.
- Acting for a **property developer and commercial landlord** in proceedings the General Division and Appellate Division of the High Court of Singapore concerning the forfeiture of a hotel lease, recovery of possession and claims for double rent in excess of S\$5 million. Successfully resisted the tenant's appeal and succeeded in part on the landlord's cross-appeal: *Marchmont Pte Ltd v Campbell Hospitality Pte Ltd and ors* [2024] SGHC 108, and [2024] SGHC(A) 30.
- Acting for and advising **liquidators** on potential claims against a company's former directors and related companies arising from substantial inter-company transactions and payments following the sale of a vessel, including potential breaches of director's duties, unfair preferences and transactions at an undervalue.

- Acting for a **client** in proceedings in the High Court of Singapore where claims in excess of S\$10 million were brought against him for breaches of fiduciary duties. After a 9-day trial, the opposing parties accepted our client's prior offer of settlement.
- Acting for an **international group of manufacturing companies** against a former director and CEO over issues of bribery and corruption, conspiracy, diversion of a multi-million dollar business and serious breaches of fiduciary duties in the Singapore International Commercial Court: *Beyonics Asia Pacific Ltd and another v Goh Chan Peng and another* [2022] 1 SLR 1.
- Acting for the **joint provisional liquidators of Opus Offshore Ltd** (the parent company of a group providing marine and drilling services) and its **subsidiaries** in proceedings in the High Court of Singapore.
- Acting for a **leading Indian technology services company** against a major Singapore statutory corporation in respect of a dispute over the performance of a large technology services contract. The claims and counterclaims in the dispute exceeded S\$1 million.
- Acting for a **local property developer** regarding the issuance of Payment Responses under the Building and Construction Industry Security of Payment Act (Cap 30B, 2006 Rev Ed) and in an Adjudication of a Payment Claim dispute in respect of a claim in excess of S\$2.5 million.
- Acting for a **local property developer** in proceedings in the High Court of Singapore; successfully resisted applications to set aside statutory demands, and succeeded in the subsequent appeals.

Publications

- *Inheritance and Family Conflicts: Son Challenges Elderly Mother's Mental Capacity in Asset Distribution* [2024] SGHC 1