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CURRENT POST

- 2014 - Present Associate Professor, Faculty of Law, University of Hong Kong
- 2014 – Present Deputy Head, Department of Law, University of Hong Kong
- 2009 - Present Deputy Director, LLM in Arbitration and Dispute Resolution, Faculty of Law, University of Hong Kong (Acting Director 12/2009-7/2010)

EDUCATION

- PhD University of California, Berkeley**
Jurisprudence and Social Policy Program, 2007
Examination Fields: Public Law; Law and Development in Asia
Research: International Arbitration and Mediation in East Asia
Committee: Malcolm Feeley, Philip Selznick, David Caron, KaiPing Peng
- JD University of California, Berkeley**
Boalt Hall School of Law, 2005
Boalt Hall Fellowship; Berkeley Journal of International Law
- MA Landegg International University**
Department of Consultation & Conflict Resolution, Departmental Honors 2002
Hopkins-Nanjing Program, School for Advanced International Studies
Graduate-level Mandarin-immersion in Chinese Philosophy, Law and Public Policy
Honors: Steven D. Hassenfeld Fellowship
- BA Stanford University**
Department of International Relations and Chinese Language, 1998
University Distinction, Departmental Honors

PREVIOUS POSTS

- 2006- 08 **Baker & McKenzie, LLP**, Associate, International/Commercial Trade Group, San Francisco, USA (Focus: Trade compliance; import/export controls, FCPA, IP/IT, e-commerce, copyright, corporate structuring, China legal operations)
- 2004-06 **United Nations Office of Human Resource Management**, Mediation/Negotiation Trainer, QED Consulting, New York, USA
- 2001-06 **DPK Consulting**, Governance and Justice Sector Reform Research Consultant, (Rule of Law and ADR program monitoring and evaluation), San Francisco, USA
- 2004 **U.S. District Court, Northern District of California**, Oakland, CA, Judicial Extern for Magistrate Judge Wayne Brazil

AREAS OF SCHOLARSHIP

Much of my work draws on empirical and participatory methods to explore arbitration and dispute resolution, governance and law and development in a comparative context.

GRANT RECORD

External Research Grants Awarded - PI

- 2015 Government of Hong Kong Research Grants Committee (RGC), General Research Fund (GRF), “Balancing the Scales of Procedural and Substantive Justice: Assessing the Efficacy of Civil Mediation Reform” (PI; HK\$627,500/ US\$80,967)
- 2012 Government of Hong Kong Research Grants Committee (RGC), Early Career Scheme Grant (ECS), “New Governance and Humanitarian Aid: The Relationship between Law, Globalization and New Forms of Decision Making to Address Humanitarian Health and Nutrition Relief Efforts in East and West” (PI; HK\$ 706,886/US\$91,121)
- 2010 Government of Hong Kong Research Grants Committee (RGC), Public Policy Research Grant (PPR), “Promoting Economic Integrity through Institutional Alternative Dispute Resolution: A Law and Policy Perspective” (PI; HK\$372,000/US\$47,952)

Internal Research Grants Awarded

- 2015 University of Hong Kong Research Committee (URC), Small Project Funding: “Eastern Values in International Arbitration: An Initial Exploration” (PI; HK\$72,800 / US\$9,391)
- 2014 University of Hong Kong Research Committee (URC), Small Project Funding: “An Analysis of the Perceptions of Norms and Formal Law in Local Mediation Committees” (PI; HK\$52,387/ US\$6,756)
- 2013 URC/CRCG Conference Grant, ABA Conference on Dispute Resolution Spring Conference, New Governance and Humanitarian Aid (HK\$16,500)
- 2012 University of Hong Kong Research Committee (URC), Seed Funding: “Responsive Mediation: A Comparative Perspective” (PI; HK\$72,300 / US\$9,389)
- 2012 URC/CRCG Conference Grant, ABA Conference on Dispute Resolution Spring Conference, Civil Discourse (HK\$16,500)
- 2012 ExCEL3, Applying Core Values in the Leadership, Management and Service of NGO’s (Leadership and Governance) (Team member; HK\$200,000 / US\$25,759; PI: Dr. David Palmer)
- 2012 Faculty Development Fund Grant, Annual Law and Society Association Meeting. (16,500)
- 2011 URC/CRCG Conference Grant, 14th Annual ABA Conference on Dispute Resolution Spring Conference, Civil Discourse and Collaborative Governance (HK13,662)
- 2011 Faculty Development Fund Grant, Annual Law and Society Association Meeting. (16,500)
- 2011 University of Hong Kong Research Committee (URC), “Women’s Participation in Grassroots Decision Making: A Law and Policy Perspective” (PI; HK\$49,800 / US\$6,467)

- 2010 URC/CRCG Conference Grant, Onati International Institute for the Sociology of Law, Current Socio-Legal Perspectives on Dispute Resolution (HK\$15,800)
- 2010 University of Hong Kong Research Committee (URC), Merit Grant for GRF Application “Prospects and Limits of Customary Mediation in Contributing to Responsive Governance at the Grass Roots in Contemporary China: A 12 Year Review” (PI; HK\$25,000/US\$3,246)
- 2009 URC/CRCG, Conference Grant, Berkeley Journal of International Law Riesenfeld Symposium on International Arbitration (HK\$10,200)
- 2009 University of Hong Kong Research Committee (URC), Research Funding: “Measuring Success in Sustainable Resource Dispute Resolution” (PI; HK\$41,000/ US\$5,256).
- 2009 University of Hong Kong Research Committee (URC), Seed Funding: “An Empirical Study of International Arbitration in East Asia” (PI; HK\$120,000/US\$15,384).
- 2009 University of Hong Kong Travel Grant to Visit Mainland University for Delivering Paper on International Arbitration Survey in East Asia (7,000)

Other Grants Awarded/Collaborations

- 2014 Centre for Law and Business, National University of Singapore, “The UNCITRAL Model Law on International Commercial Arbitration in Asia” (Project Collaborator, PI: Gary Bell)
- 2012 Government of Hong Kong Research Grants Committee, Theme Based Research, “Enhancing Hong Kong’s Future as a Leading Financial Centre” (Project Collaborator; HK\$15,000,000; PI: Professor Douglas Arner)
- 2011 UNICEF, “Assessing Human Rights Education in Hong Kong” (Collaborator on proposal/survey; HK\$300,000/US\$38,671; PI: Pujja Kapai, Feliz Polat)
- 2005 UC Berkeley Center for the Development of Peace and Well-Being, “Understanding the Roots of Prejudice and Inequality” (PI; HK\$5,850/US\$750)
- 2005 UC Berkeley, Office of the Graduate Dean, “Toward a Responsive International Regulatory Order: a Comparative Case Analysis of Local Participation in Global Natural Resource Regulation in China, Peru and the United States” (PI; HK\$39,000 / US\$5,000)
- 2003-05 United States Agency for International Development (USAID), “Assessment of West Bank/Gaza Rule of Law/Administration of Justice Program” (team member; part of US\$125,000,000 Indefinite Quantity Contract (IQC)/HK\$975,000,000)
- 2004 UC Berkeley Center for the Development of Peace and Well-Being, “Concepts of Justice and Mediated Resolution in China and the West” (PI; HK\$70,200/ US\$9,000)
- 2001-05 World Bank / International Finance Corp. (WB/IFC), “Evaluation of Community Natural Resource Mediation Program in Cajamarca, Peru” (Co-I; HK\$2,067,000 US\$265,000)
- 1997 Stanford University, “Neighborhood Mediation and Legal Reform in Beijing, Shanghai and Changsha, China” (PI; HK\$78,000/ US\$10,000)

HONORS/FELLOWSHIPS/AWARDS

2016	HKU Incentive Grant (University Research Committee)
2015	University Outstanding Young Researcher Award, University of Hong Kong
2015	University Research Output Prize, University of Hong Kong
2014	Faculty Outstanding Teaching Award, University of Hong Kong
2014	Visiting Scholar, Renmin University School of Law
2013	Visiting Scholar, UC Berkeley Center for the Study of Law and Society
2013	Member, Academic Council, Institute for Transnational Arbitration
2013	University Research Output Prize, University of Hong Kong
2012	Overseas Fellowship Award, University of Hong Kong
2011	Faculty Research Output Prize, Faculty of Law, University of Hong Kong
2010	HKU Incentive Grant (University Research Committee)
2007	UC Berkeley Deans Normative Time Fellowship
2006	UC Berkeley Boalt Hall Fellowship
2005	Selznick Fellowship, Jurisprudence and Social Policy Program, UC Berkeley
2005	Graduate Fellowship in East Asian Studies, UC Berkeley East Asian Institute
2005	Graduate Fellowship, Jurisprudence and Social Policy Program, UC Berkeley
2003	Foreign Language and Area Studies Fellowship (Mandarin), US Department of Education
2002	Foreign Language and Area Studies Fellowship (Mandarin), US Department of Education
2001	Stephen Hassenfeld Fellowship, Hopkins-Nanjing Center
1998	Departmental Honors/University Distinction, Stanford University
1998	Firestone Medal for Excellence in Research, Stanford University
1997	Stanford University Barbie Fields Memorial Scholarship for International Relations Research
1996	Outstanding Contribution, Institute for Int. Mediation and Conflict Resolution (IIMCR)
1995	Building a Better World Public Service Grant
1994	California Scholarship Federation

PUBLICATIONS

Books

1. Ali, S., *BALANCING THE SCALES: ASSESSING THE EFFICACY OF GLOBAL COURT MEDIATION REFORM* (Under Review).
2. Ali, S, I. Bantekas, T. Cole, P. Ortolani, *COMMENTARY ON THE UNCITRAL MODEL LAW ON INTERNATIONAL COMMERCIAL ARBITRATION* (Cambridge University Press: forthcoming 2018)
3. Ali, S. *GOVERNING DISASTERS: ENGAGING LOCAL POPULATIONS IN HUMANITARIAN RELIEF* (Cambridge University Press: forthcoming 2016).
4. Ali, S. (2013). *CONSUMER FINANCIAL DISPUTE RESOLUTION IN A COMPARATIVE CONTEXT: PRINCIPLES, SYSTEMS AND PRACTICE* (Cambridge University Press) vii-xiv, 1-267.
5. Ali, S. (2010). *RESOLVING DISPUTES IN THE ASIA PACIFIC: INTERNATIONAL MEDIATION AND ARBITRATION IN EAST ASIA AND THE WEST* (Routledge). v-xiv. 1-146.

Edited Volume

1. Ali, S., Ginsburg, T., Eds. (2013) *INTERNATIONAL COMMERCIAL ARBITRATION IN ASIA* (Juris Publishers). iii-xlvi. 1-634.

Refereed Journal Articles

1. Ali, S. and Repousis, O. (2016) *Investor-State Mediation and the Rise of Transparency in International Investment Law: Opportunity or Threat?* Forthcoming.
2. Ali, S. and Rubino-Sammartano, M. (2015) Winds of Change as to Intra-Arbitration Appellate Proceedings Have Reached Asia, *ASIAN DISPUTE REVIEW*
3. Ali, S. (2016) *Mass Claims Mediation in China*, *JOURNAL OF COMPARATIVE LAW*.
4. Ali, S and Kabau, T. (2015) *A Human Rights Based Approach to the Global Regulation of Humanitarian Relief: The Emerging Obligation to Incorporate Local Participation*, *BROOKLYN JOURNAL OF INTERNATIONAL LAW*
5. Ali, S. (2015) *Asian Disasters, Global Impact: Japan's Fukushima Disaster and Prospects of Utilizing Investor-State Mediation and UNCITRAL Transparency Rules for Polycentric Environmental Disaster-Related Disputes*, *ASIAN DISPUTE REVIEW*
6. Ali, S. (2015) *Toward Peer Presence in Post-Disaster Governance: An Empirical Study*, *HASTINGS INTERNATIONAL AND COMPARATIVE LAW REVIEW*
7. Ali, S and Kabau, T. (2014) *Non-State Actors and the Evolution of Humanitarian Norms: Implications of the Sphere Charter in Health and Nutrition Relief*, *JOURNAL OF INTERNATIONAL HUMANITARIAN LEGAL STUDIES*, Brill/Nijhoff.
8. Ali, S (2014). *Crowd Sourced Governance in a Post Disaster Context*, *INTERNATIONAL AND COMPARATIVE LAW QUARTERLY*, Cambridge University Press.
9. Ali, S. and Kabau, T. (2014). *Self Governance by Humanitarian Non-State Actors in Health and Nutrition*

10. Ali, S., (2013). *The Jurisprudence of Responsive Mediation: An Empirical Examination of Chinese Peoples Mediation in Action*, JOURNAL OF LEGAL PLURALISM AND UNOFFICIAL LAW, Routledge. 1-22.
11. Ali, S., (2013). *Globalization and Financial Dispute Resolution: Examining Areas of Convergence and Informed Divergence in Financial ADR*, JOURNAL OF DISPUTE RESOLUTION, (Fall 2013).
12. Ali, S. (2013). *Lessons for the US System of Financial Arbitration: A Responsive Empirical Exploration of Arbitration and Ombudsman Services*, FRONTIERS OF LAW IN CHINA, Vol. 4.
13. Ali, S. and Huang, H. R. (2012). *Financial Dispute Resolution in China: Arbitration or Court Litigation?* ARBITRATION INTERNATIONAL, Vol. 28, No. 1. 77-100.
14. Ali, S. and DaRoza, A. (2012). *Alternative Dispute Resolution Design in Financial Markets – Some More Equal than Others: Hong Kong's Proposed Financial Dispute Resolution Centre in the Context of Experience in the United Kingdom, the United States, Australia and Singapore*, PACIFIC RIM LAW AND POLICY JOURNAL. Vol. 21, No. 3. 485-531.
15. Huang, H.R., and Ali, S. (2012). *Governing Financial Disputes in China: What Have we Learned from the Global Financial Crisis of 2008?* EAST ASIA LAW REVIEW. Spring 2012. 195-220.
16. Ali, S. and Mak, S.P. (2012). *Exploring Effective Financial Dispute Resolution Design Models through a Learning Orientation; Experiences from East Asia*, BEIJING ARBITRATION QUARTERLY. 142-159.
17. Noguchi, L. & Ali, S. (2011). *Women, Decision Making and Sustainability: Exploring the Experience of the Badi Foundation in China*, HASTINGS WOMEN'S LAW JOURNAL. 295-315.
18. Ali, S. & Lee, F. (2011). *Resolving Financial Disputes in the Context of Australian and Canadian Civil Justice Reform*, AUSTRALIAN DISPUTE RESOLUTION JOURNAL. 125-131.
19. Ali, S. & Lee, F. (2011). *Lessons Learned From a Comparative Examination of Global Civil Justice Reforms*, INTERNATIONAL JOURNAL OF LAW AND MANAGEMENT. Vol. 53, Issue 4. 262-280.
20. Ali, S. & Wang, J. K. (2011). *After Lehman: International Response to Financial Disputes – A Focus on Hong Kong*, RICHMOND JOURNAL OF GLOBAL LAW AND BUSINESS. 151-177.
21. Ali, S. (2011). *Financial Governance in the Context of Globalization*, SOOCHOW LAW JOURNAL.
22. Ali, S., Davis, W. E. & Lee, J. (2011). *Multi-Stakeholder Dispute Resolution: Building Social Capital Through Access to Justice at the Community Level*, PEPPERDINE DISPUTE RESOLUTION LAW JOURNAL. Vol.11, Issue 2. 181-206.
23. Ali, S. (2011). *The Morality of Conciliation: An Empirical Examination of Arbitrator Role Moralities in East Asia and the West*, HARVARD NEGOTIATION LAW REVIEW. 1-30.
24. Ali, S. (2010). *Measuring Success in Devolved Collaboration*, JOURNAL OF LAND USE AND ENVIRONMENTAL LAW. 93-112.
25. Ali, S. (2010). *Barricades and Checkered Flags: Examining Perceptions of the Roadblocks and Facilitators of Settlement among Arbitration Practitioners in East Asia and the West*, PACIFIC RIM LAW AND POLICY JOURNAL. 243-278.

26. Ali, S. (2009). *Approaching the Global Arbitration Table: Comparing the Advantages of Arbitration as Seen by Practitioners in East Asia and the West*, THE REVIEW OF LITIGATION. Vol. 28, Issue 4. 791-844.
27. Ali, S., Davis, B. & Katbeh, L. (2005). *Creating Commercial Dispute Resolution Centers in the West Bank/Gaza*, DISPUTE RESOLUTION JOURNAL. 66-72.

Invited Book Chapters

1. Ali, S., *Transnational Arbitration: Developments and Controversies* in OXFORD HANDBOOK OF TRANSNATIONAL LAW (Peer Zumbansen Ed, forthcoming). Oxford University Press.
2. Ali, S. *Harmonizing UNCITRAL Conciliation and State Mediation Law: Developments in Civil Mediation Reform* in UNCITRAL CONCILIATION IN ASIA (M.P. Ramaswamy Ed, forthcoming) UNCITRAL Commission on International Trade Law RCAP.
3. Ali, S. *Adoption of the UNCITRAL Model Law in Hong Kong* in ARBITRATION REFORM IN ASIA (A. Reyes and W. Gu Ed, forthcoming)
4. Ali, S. *Soft Law* in CAMBRIDGE COMPENDIUM OF INTERNATIONAL COMMERCIAL AND INVESTMENT ARBITRATION (A. Bjorklund, F. Ferrari and S. Kroll, forthcoming) Cambridge University Press.
5. Ali, S (2016) *Hong Kong's Adoption of the UNCITRAL Model Law* in THE UNCITRAL MODEL LAW AND ASIAN ARBITRATION LAWS (Gary Bell Ed, forthcoming). Cambridge University Press.
6. Ali, S. and Koo, A. (2013). *Mediation and its Impact on the Legal System in Hong Kong* in MEDIATION IN THE ASIAN PACIFIC: A PRACTICAL GUIDE TO MEDIATION AND ITS IMPACT ON LEGAL SYSTEMS (Wang Guiguo and Yang Fan, Eds.), Wolters & Kluwer. 225-242.
7. Ali, S. and Koo, A. (2013) *Mediation in Hong Kong* in MEDIATION IN A GLOBAL PERSPECTIVE (Kluwer Law).
8. Ali, S. (2013). *Arbitration in Asia in a Comparative Perspective: Examining the Role of the Arbitrator in Facilitating Settlement* in INTERNATIONAL COMMERCIAL ARBITRATION IN ASIA (Juris Publishers). Ch. 1.
9. Ali, S. (2013). *The Arbitrators Perspective: Cultural Issues in International Arbitration* in INTERNATIONAL ARBITRATION PRACTICE IN THE 21ST CENTURY, (Lexis Nexis), Vol 3. Ch. 6.
10. Ali, S., Kang R., Emery A., Ta-Wei, C., and Matz, D. (2013) *Innovations and Pitfalls in Chinese ADR Pedagogy: Experiences from the Field* in EDUCATING NEGOTIATORS FOR A CONNECTED WORLD (RETHINKING NEGOTIATION TEACHING SERIES, VOL. 4) (DRI Press). 145-170.
11. Delicado, N., Falcao, H., Deason, E., Press, S., Ali, S., Blanchot, E., Chamoun-Nicolas, H. (2012). *Assessing Negotiation Competitions* in ASSESSING OUR STUDENTS: ASSESSING OURSELVES (RETHINKING NEGOTIATION TEACHING SERIES, VOL. 3) (DRI Press). 213-246.
12. Ali, S. (2010). *The Arbitrators Perspective: Cultural Issues in International Arbitration* in INTERNATIONAL ARBITRATION PRACTICE IN THE 21ST CENTURY, (Lexis Nexis) Vol 1. Ch 6.

13. Ali, S. (2008). *Negotiation Preparation* in PEACE PROCESS NEGOTIATIONS BRIEFING BOOK, (Public International Law and Policy Group/USAID).
14. Ali, S. (2003). *Foreign Service Act of 1946* in MAJOR ACTS OF CONGRESS, (Macmillan). 113-114.
15. Ali, S. (2003). *US Information and Exchange Act (1948)* in MAJOR ACTS OF CONGRESS, (Macmillan).
16. Ali, S. (1998, 2001). *Global Crime, Global Enforcement: A Case for International Legal Jurisdiction over Acts of Terrorism* in TERRORISM: THE GLOBAL PERSPECTIVE (ed. A.S. Narang and P. Srivastava, New Delhi: Kanishka).

Policy/Working Papers

1. Ali S. (2014). *Arbitrating Disasters*, KLUWER ARBITRATION BLOG.
1. Ali, S., (2014). *Crowd Sourced Governance in a Post Disaster Context*, HKU WORKING PAPER SERIES.
2. Ali, S., (2014) *Self Governance by Humanitarian Non-State Actors in Health and Nutrition Relief*, HKU WORKING PAPER SERIES.
3. Ali, S et al., (2012) *IBA Rules on Investor-State Mediation*, INTERNATIONAL BAR ASSOCIATION MEDIATION COMMITTEE, STATE MEDIATION SUBCOMMITTEE.
4. Ali, S., (2012) *Globalization and Financial Dispute Resolution: Examining Areas of Convergence and Informed Divergence in Financial ADR* (January 11, 2012). ASIAN SOCIETY OF INTERNATIONAL LAW (ASIANIL) 3RD YOUNG SCHOLARS WORKSHOP.
5. Ali, S. (2012) *Public Participation in the Financial Dispute Resolution Design*, ADR IN ASIA.
6. Ali, S. (2012) *Development of Collaborative Practice in Hong Kong*, ADR IN ASIA.
7. Ali, S. (2011) *Innovations in ADR Teaching: Experiences from the Field*, ADR IN ASIA.
8. Ali, S., (2011) *Facilitating Settlement at the Arbitration Table: Comparing Views on Settlement Practice Among Arbitration Practitioners in East Asia and the West*. ONATI SOCIO-LEGAL SERIES, Vol. 1, N.6.
9. Ali, S. (2011) *Comparative Assessment of Problem Solving Assessment Tools: HK*, ADR IN ASIA.
10. Ali, S. (2011) *Got Disputes? Asian/Western Insights on Resolution*, MEDIATE.COM.
11. Ali, S. (2010) *Reward Outperforms Punishment in Repeated Public Goods Games*, ADR IN ASIA.
12. Ali, S. (2010) *New Hong Kong Study: Enhancing Group Decisions: Beyond Strict Unanimity and Roberts Rules*, ADR IN ASIA.
13. Ali, S. (2010) *New Report of the Hong Kong Working Group on Mediation Available for Public Comment*, ADR IN ASIA.
14. Ali, S. (2010) *Making Justice Accessible in Cambodia*, ADR IN ASIA.
15. Ali, S. (2010) *Community Mediation in Nepal*, ADR IN ASIA.
16. Ali, S. (2007). THE INTERNATIONAL NEGOTIATIONS HANDBOOK: SUCCESS THROUGH PREPARATION, STRATEGY AND PLANNING. (Baket & McKenzie and the Public International Law and Policy Group). (Contributor).
17. Ali, S. (2004). *Research Review: Overcoming the Roots of Prejudice and Inequality*, CENTER FOR THE DEVELOPMENT OF PEACE AND WELLBEING (CDPW Research, UC Berkeley).

PROFESSIONAL PRESENTATIONS

Conference Presentations/Papers

2016

1. Ali, S. (2016) *Transnational Law and Global Dispute Resolution*, Jessup's Bold Proposal: Engagements

- with Transnational Law After Sixty Years, Kings College London, London, UK.
2. Ali, S. (2016) 平衡程序和实体公义的尺度：评估民事调解改革的功效, Shanghai Law School, Shanghai, China.
 3. Ali, S. (2016) *The Legal Framework for Med-Arb Developments in China: Recent Cases, Institutional Rules and Opportunities*, 19th Annual IBA International Arbitration Day: The Future of Arbitration, Shanghai, China.
 4. Ali, S. (2016) *A Multi-Country Study of Dispute Resolution Reform: Initial Assessments of the Efficacy of Civil Mediation Reform*, Institute for Transnational Arbitration Academic Council: Works in Progress, Washington DC, USA.
 5. Ali, S. (2016) *Synergizing Eastern and Western Constructs of Mediation Reform: Initial Assessments of the Efficacy of Civil Mediation Reform in Selected Jurisdictions*, 7th Asia Pacific Mediation Forum Conference, Lombok, Indonesia.

2015

6. Ali, S. (2015) *Harmonizing UNCITRAL Conciliation and State Mediation Law: Developments in Civil Mediation Reform*, UNCITRAL Emergence Conference, Macau, SAR.
7. Ali, S. (2015) *Balancing the Scales of State and Non-State Law: Community Mediation in China*, UNSW-HKU Research Symposium: State and Non-State Law (via skype), Sydney, Australia.
8. Ali, S. (2015) *Adoption of the UNCITRAL Model Law in Hong Kong*, Comparative Study of Arbitration Reform in the Asia Pacific, University of Hong Kong Faculty of Law, Hong Kong SAR.
9. Ali, S. (2015) *Early Mediation of Complex International Investor State Disputes in Asia*, Singapore International Arbitration Forum, Singapore.
10. Ali, S. (2015) *Transforming Disaster Response Initiative Through Collective Access, Participation, Generation, Application and Diffusion of Knowledge: Three Case Studies*, Advancing the Life of the Mind, ABS, Orange County, CA, USA.
11. Ali, S. (2015) *Examining Dynamics of Community Participation in Global North and South*, Law and Society Association Annual Conference, Seattle, WA, USA.
12. Ali, S. (2015) *Seeking Governance Solutions in Global-Local Post-Disaster ADR*, ABA Section on Dispute Resolution – Spring Conference, Seattle, WA, USA.
13. Ali, S. (2015) *Overcoming Barriers to Mediation*, ABA Asia Pacific Mediation Summit, New Delhi, India.
14. Ali, S. (2015) *Transnational Governance Workshop*, Kings College London, London, England.
15. Ali, S. (2015) *Hong Kong's Position as an ADR Centre*, Asia Pacific ADR Summit, Hong Kong.

2014

16. Ali, S. (2014) *Addressing Land Disputes in Myanmar through Community Level Consultation: Experiences of Daidanaw following Cyclone Nargis*, Myanmar Public Law Workshop, HKU, Hong Kong, SAR.
17. Ali, S. (2014) *Prospects of Utilizing Investor-State Mediation and UNCITRAL Rules on Transparency for Polycentric Environmental Disaster-Related Disputes: The Case of Vattenfall v. Germany*, UNICTRAL Asia Pacific Conference, Macau, SAR.
18. Ali, S. (2014) *Post Disaster Conflict Management: Crowd Sourced Governance at the Local Level*, International Association of Conflict Management, Leiden, The Netherlands.
19. Ali, S. (2014) *Addressing Inequality Through Global-Local Collaboration in Humanitarian Relief*, Law and Society Association Annual Meeting, Minneapolis, MN, USA.
20. Ali, S. (2014) *Disaster Mediation in China*, Shantou University Mediation Conference (invited).
21. Ali, S. (2014) *Developments in Dispute Resolution in Asia: Cultural, Commercial and Policy Changes*, 1st ICC International Mediation Roundtable, ICC, Paris, France. (plenary)

2013

22. Ali, S. (2013) *International Law and Dispute Resolution: Challenges and Opportunities of Forging Collaborative Partnerships for Humanitarian Relief in Precarious Times*, 2013 ILA-ASIL Asia-Pacific Research Forum, Taipei, Taiwan.
23. Ali, S. (2013) *Advancing Human Security Through Post-Disaster Open Source Collaborative Governance at the Local Level*, Human Security: Humanitarian Perspectives and Responses, Istanbul, Turkey.

24. Ali, S (2013) *Addressing Inequality through Global-Local Collaboration in Humanitarian Relief*, Law and Society Association Annual Conference, Boston, MA, USA.
25. Ali, S (2013) *Dispute System Design in the Public Sector*, Conference on Electronic Financial Dispute Resolution, Renmin University, Beijing, PRC. (keynote)
26. Ali, S (2013) *Advancing Humanitarian Technology through Open Source Collaborative Applications at the Local Level*, Humanitarian Technology Conference 2013 (poster), Sendai Japan.
27. Ali, S (2013) *Sustaining Post Disaster Open Source Governance*, International Humanitarian Conference 2013, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia.
28. Ali, S (2013) *Pursuing Open Source Justice: Challenges and Opportunities of Humanitarian Relief in Precarious Times*, Law and Society Association Annual Meeting, Boston, MA, USA.
29. Ali, S (2013) *Humanitarian Relief in East Asia: Challenges and Opportunities of Forging Collaborative Partnerships for Aid Distribution*, Law and Society in East Asia Conference, Shanghai, PRC
30. Ali, S (2013) *Designing Responsive ADR Mechanisms in Financial Markets: Synthesizing Experiences in the UK, US, Australia and Singapore in Designing Hong Kong's Financial Dispute Resolution Centre*, Law and Society in East Asia Conference, Shanghai, PRC
31. Ali, S (2013) *New Governance and Humanitarian Aid*, ABA Section on Dispute Resolution Spring Conference, Chicago, IL.
32. Ali, S (2013) *Regulating Disasters through Private and Public Law: Compensation and Policy* (workshop participant), Regulating Disasters through Private and Public Law: Compensation and Policy, University of Haifa, Haifa, Israel.

2012

33. Ali, S (2012) *China Related Research Findings on Promoting Economic Integrity through Institutional Alternative Dispute Resolution: A Law and Policy Perspective*, HKU/UNSW Research Forum/International Economic Law Group, China Roundtable, Hong Kong.
34. Ali, S (2012) *Conflict Management through Conflict Prevention: Comparing First Stage Models of Pre-Dispute Consultation in the Context of Consumer Financial Dispute Resolution Systems*, International Association of Conflict Management (IACM), Cape Town, South Africa.
35. Ali, S (2012) *Bridging Dispute Resolution Islands in Financial Markets: Synthesizing Experiences in the UK, US, Australia and Singapore in Developing Hong Kong's Proposed Financial Dispute Resolution Centre*, International Law and Society Association Annual Conference, Honolulu, Hawaii.
36. Ali, S. (2012) *Globalization and Financial Dispute Resolution: Examining Areas of Convergence and Informed Divergence in Financial ADR*. 3rd National University of Singapore- Asian Society of International Law Young Scholars Workshop: Asian Approaches to International Law, NUS Faculty of Law, Singapore.
37. Ali, S (2012) *Civic Engagement & Collaborative Governance: Examining the Public Consultation Process Regarding the Establishment of the Financial Dispute Resolution Center in Hong Kong*, ABA Section on Dispute Resolution Spring Conference, Washington DC, USA.

2011

38. Ali, S (2011) *Examining Best Practices in Financial Dispute System Development: A Comparative Perspective*, Asia Pacific Mediation Summit: From Talk to Action, Bangkok, Thailand.
39. Ali, S. (2011) *International Perspectives on Financial Dispute Resolution*, HKU Conference on Financial Dispute Resolution, University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong SAR.
40. Ali, S. (2011) *Financial Dispute Prevention and Resolution in China: Synthesizing Global Experience*. 2011 Annual Meeting of the Asian Law and Economics Association, University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong SAR.
41. Ali, S. (2011) *Governing China's Financial Disputes in the Aftermath of the Global Financial Crisis of 2008*. University of Hong Kong Center for Chinese Law Conference: From Economic Development to Human Flourishing – The Case of China, Hong Kong SAR
42. Ali, S. (2011) *Exploring Effective Financial Dispute Resolution Design Models through a Dialectic Process: Experiences from East Asia*. 2nd East Asian Law and Society Conference, Yonsei University, Seoul, Korea.

2010

43. Ali, S. (2010) *The Impact of Globalization on Financial Dispute Resolution*. Conference on International and Comparative Law, Chinese Society of Comparative Law, Soochow University School of Law, Taipei, Taiwan.
44. Ali, S. (2010) *Hong Kong as an International Mediation and Arbitration Centre – A Success Story of a Community Wide Partnership*, Knowledge Exchange Conference, Hong Kong Polytechnic University.
45. Ali, S. (2010) *Facilitating Settlement at the Arbitration Table: An Empirical Examination of Arbitration Practices in East Asia and the West*. Onati Institute Conference on Socio-Legal Perspectives on Dispute Resolution, Gizpuzkoa, Spain.
46. Ali, S. (2010) *Measuring Success in Devolved Collaboration*. Law and Society Association Annual Conference, Chicago, USA.
47. Ali, S. (2010) *The Growth and Development of Legal Education in International Business Transactions and Dispute Resolution in Hong Kong*, Dong A Journal of International Business Transactions Law Seminar, Busan, Korea.

2009

48. Ali, S. (2009) *Comparing Roadblocks and Facilitators of Settlement Among Arbitrators in East Asia and the West*. International Association of Conflict Management, Kyoto, Japan.
49. Ali, S. (2009) *Principle Based Evaluation of Sustainable Development Practice: Evaluating Community Based Resource Decision Making Processes*. Kadoori Institute, Hong Kong.

Before 2008

50. Ali, S. (2004) *Building Social Capital Through Community Based Decision Making*, with Bill Davis, International Association for Conflict Management Annual Conference, Chicago, USA.
Ali, S. (2003) *Principle-based Indicators for Development*, with Bill Davis, Social and Economic Development Conference for the Americas, Florida, USA.
51. Ali, S. (2002) *Confucian Principles of Dispute Resolution in Traditional and Contemporary China*, Pacific Rim Institute for Development and Education, Los Angeles, CA.

Book Reviews

2. Ali, S. (2014) Review: *Religion and Human Security: A Global Perspective* (James K. Wellman Jr and Clark B Lombardi, Eds.), OXFORD J LAW RELIGION, (2014) 3(1) 189-190.
3. Ali, S. (2013) *Book Review: Designing Systems and Processes for Managing Disputes*, TAN PAN: CHINESE ENGLISH JOURNAL ON NEGOTIATION.
4. Ali, S. (2011) *New Book: International Commercial Arbitration: An Asia Pacific Perspective*, ADR IN ASIA.
5. Ali, S. (2010) *New Book: Mediation in Hong Kong: The Way Forward* (Katherine Lynch and Erica Chan Eds), ADR IN ASIA.
6. Ali, S. (2010) *New Book: Resolving Disputes in the Asia Pacific Region* (Routledge), ADR IN ASIA.
7. Ali, S. (2007). *Book Review: The Culture of Flushing: A Social and Legal History of Sewage* by Jamie Benidickson, LAW AND POLITICS BOOK REVIEW. 777-780.
8. Ali, S. (2006). *Review of Elaçar Barkan and Alexander Karn's Taking Wrongs Seriously: Apologies and Reconciliation*, LAW AND POLITICS BOOK REVIEW. 653-656.

Case Comments

1. Ali, S. (2012) *1.2 Bn Renewable Energy IP Dispute to be Arbitrated by BAC*, ADR IN ASIA.
2. Ali, S. (2011) *Hong Kong Mediation Bill to be Introduced by the DOJ on Nov 18*, ADR IN ASIA.
3. Ali, S. (7/2011) *New Arbitration Ordinance in Hong Kong Effective June 1 2011*, ADR IN ASIA.
4. Ali, S. (2011) *China Issues Guidelines on Resolving Social Conflict*, ADR IN ASIA.
5. Ali, S. (2011) *Hong Kong Introduces Mediation Bill*, ADR IN ASIA.
6. Ali, S. (2010) *Joint Cooperation Agreement Between CCPIT and HK Judiciary*, ADR IN ASIA.

7. Ali, S. (2010) *New Arbitration Ordinance in Hong Kong Provides for Med-Arb*, ADR IN ASIA.

Translations

- Ali, S. (2001). 张文显主编, 《法律学》北京: 高等教育出版社, 1999 (2001 重印)
全国高等学校法学专业和新课程教材 (Zhang Wen Xian, Jurisprudence, Beijing Higher Education Press, 1999 (2001) Sections on: Legal Research & Legal Education; The Nature of Law; The Forms and Validity of Law; The Principles of Law; The Nature of Rights; The Rule of Law and the State Ruled by Law; The Spirit of the Rule of Law.)

OpEds

1. Ali, S. (2012) *China-ASEAN Legal Cooperation Center Opens*, ADR IN ASIA.
2. Ali, S. (2012) *Emerging Mediation Opportunities: HK Financial Dispute Resolution Center and the HK Law Society*, ADR IN ASIA.
3. Ali, S. (2011) *Peaceful Resolution of China/Tajikistan Border Dispute*, ADR IN ASIA.
4. Ali, S. (2011) *Bridging East and West through the Arts*, ADR IN ASIA.
5. Ali, S. (2011) *Survey on Financial ADR*, ADR IN ASIA.
6. Ali, S. (2011) *Women, Decision Making and Sustainability*, ADR IN ASIA.
7. Ali, S. (2011) *The Morality of Conciliation*, ADR IN ASIA.
8. Ali, S. (2011) *Multi-Stakeholder Dispute Resolution: Building Social Capital through Access to Justice*, ADR IN ASIA.
9. Ali, S. (2011) *Australasia Legal, Mediation & Arbitration Forum in HK*, ADR IN ASIA.
10. Ali, S. (2011) *Measuring Success in Devolved Collaboration*, ADR IN ASIA.
11. Ali, S. (2010) *Financial Dispute Resolution Center in Asia-2012*, ADR IN ASIA.
12. Ali, S. (2010) *Welcome to ADR in Asia*, ADR IN ASIA.
13. Ali, S. (2009) *Upcoming Conference on ADR in Asia*, ADR IN ASIA.
14. Ali, S. (2009) *Optional Mediation for Hong Kong Lehman Minibond Investors*, ADR IN ASIA.
15. Ali, S. (2009) *Hong Kong Encourages Mediation in Civil Cases*, ADR IN ASIA.

Invited Talks

1. Ali, S. (2016) *Publishing and Speaking in the Field of International Arbitration*, Young OEGMID Arbitrator Global Virtual Symposium, Facilitated by Prof. Stacy Strong.
2. Ali, S. (2016) *Mediating Financial Disputes*, HKMC Continuing Education Series, Hong Kong
3. Ali, S. (2015) *China's Concept of Common Destiny of Humankind*, Chinese Law Group, HKU (Putonghua)
4. Ali, S. (2013) *Community Deliberation*, HK Waste Management Dialogue, Hong Kong Stock Exchange
5. Ali, S. (2013) *Panel Member – What are Values For?* HKU, Hong Kong
6. Ali, S. (2012) *Arbitration and Dispute Resolution (Legal CPD)*, Kornerstone Institute, Hong Kong
7. Ali, S. (2012) *Financial Dispute Resolution Training*, AIIFL, HKU, Hong Kong
8. Ali, S. (2012) *Publishing in US Law Reviews*, HKU Graduate Seminar, Hong Kong
9. Ali, S. (2012) *Negotiation Skills for the Banking Sector*, AIIFL, HKU, Hong Kong
10. Ali, S. (2012) *The Promise of World Peace*, Talk presented at HKU Student Discussion Series.
11. Ali, S. (2012) *Community Reflection on Study Circle Sustainability in Hong Kong*, HK Training Inst.
12. Ali, S. (2011) *Learning About Community Capacity Building for Service in Hong Kong*, HK Training Inst.
13. Ali, S. (2011) *Scientific and Character Education of Children*, Pokfulam Community Gathering.
14. Ali, S. (2011) *Review of Financial Dispute Resolution Center Development in East Asia*, Presentation for Professor Yang Dong and his research students from Renmin Daxue.
15. Ali, S. (2011) *Meaningful Dialogue*, HK Training Institute.
16. Ali, S. (2011) *Enforcement of Foreign Export Sanction/Regulations*, Talk presented at the China Supply Chain Briefing: Baker & McKenzie Hong Kong.
17. Ali, S. (2010) *Socio-Legal Perspectives on When Not to Use Mediation*, Mediation Roundtable, Hong

- Kong International Arbitration Center, Hong Kong.
18. Ali, S. (2010) *Ethics in International Mediation and Arbitration: A Cross Cultural Perspective*, Hong Kong International Arbitration Center, Hong Kong.
 19. Ali, S. (2010) *Promoting Peace and Resolving Conflict: New Youth and the Promotion of Peace*, International Day of Peace Conference, Chinese University of Hong Kong.
 20. Ali, S. (2010) *Morality of Conciliation in International Arbitration*, Advancing International Arbitration, UC Berkeley Reisenfeld Symposium, Berkeley, CA., USA.
 21. Ali, S. (2006) *Promoting Participatory Learning in the Classroom*, Graduate Student Instructor Seminar, UC Berkeley, Berkeley, CA., USA.
 22. Ali, S. (2006) *Promoting the Advancement of Civilization: Young Scholars Panel*, Association for Baha'i Studies Conference, San Francisco, CA, USA.
 23. Ali, S. (2004) *Confucian Influence on Dispute Resolution in China*, Conference on Law and Society in Japan, UC Berkeley, Berkeley, CA, USA.
 24. Ali, S. (2004) *Panelist: International Research Opportunities*, UC Berkeley Office of Overseas Resources for International and Area Studies, UC Berkeley.
 25. Ali, S. (2003) *Principle-based Indicators for Development*, with Bill Davis, Social and Economic Development Conference for the Americas, Florida, USA.
 26. Ali, S. (2002) *Confucian Principles of Dispute Resolution in Traditional and Contemporary China*, Pacific Rim Institute for Development and Education, Los Angeles, CA, USA.
 27. Ali, S. (1995) *Consultation: Decision Making Without Fracture*, UN Conference on Women, Beijing, PRC.
 28. Ali, S. (1995) *Consultative Decision Making as a Tool for Promoting Gender Equality*, UN Conference on Women, Beijing, PRC.

Chair/Discussant at a Conference/Workshop Panel

- Ali, S (2016) Discussant, Ethical/Legal Challenges in the Practice of Law, by Richard Weisman, EBBF Forum, Hong Kong.
- Ali, S (2015) Chair, *Issue Estoppel Under the NY Convention*, by Sir Bernard Eder, University of Hong Kong.
- Ali, S (2015) Discussant, *Conceptualization of Arbitration*, by Prof. Tony Cole, Towards a Theory of Arbitration: A Decentering Approach to Globalization, Harvard-Yenching Institute, Chinese University of HK.
- Ali, S (2015) Organizer, *Mediation Advocacy* talk by Michel Kallipetis, University of Hong Kong.
- Ali, S. (2014) Chair, Center for Chinese Law, *Rights Protection Mechanism for New gTLDs and the Use of ODR* by Mr. Dennis Cai, Assistant Secretary-General of Hong Kong International Arbitration Centre (HKIAC), Hong Kong
- Ali, S. (2014) Group Discussant, *Institute for Transnational Arbitration and Institute for Energy Law Forum*, Houston, Texas, USA
- Ali, S. (2013) Group Discussant, *Regulating Disasters through Private and Public Law: Compensation and Policy*, University of Haifa, School of Law, Haifa, Israel
- Ali, S. (2013) Chair, *How Non-Signatories Can Avail Themselves of an Arbitration Agreement* Talk by Mr. James Kwan, University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong
- Ali, S. (2013) Co-Chair of *Developing and International Arbitration Practice* Public Talk by Dr. Robert Gaitskell QC, University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong
- Ali, S. (2013) Chair of *International Commercial Arbitration: Does it Cost?* Public Talk by Dr. Urs Lauchli, University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong
- Ali, S. (2012) Chair of *Reciprocal Mediation* Public Talk by Trip Barthel, Dialogues in Dispute Resolution Series, University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong
- Ali, S. (2012) Chair of *Comparative Financial Dispute Resolution Mechanisms Track*, Asia Pacific Mediation Forum, Bangkok, Thailand.
- Ali, S. (2012) Chair of *Ethics in Mediation* Public Talk by Trip Barthel, Dialogues in Dispute Resolution Series, University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong
- Ali, S. (2011) Panel Chair *Dispute Resolution & Regulation in the Financial Sector*, 2011 Annual Meeting of the Asian Law and Economics Association, University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong
- Ali, S. (2011) Chair of *ADR and the Rule of Law* Public Talk by Richard Reuben, Dialogues in Dispute Resolution Series, University of Hong Kong/HKIAC, Hong Kong.

- Ali, S. (2011) Co-Chair of *Financial Dispute Resolution Conference: Effective Application of Dispute Resolution in the Financial Services Industry in Hong Kong*. With Professor Doug Arner, Charles Lam and Ms. Mandy Wong, Principal Asst. Sec. for Financial Services and the Treasury, HKSAR.
- Ali, S. (2011) Chair of *ICAC Collaborative Governance to Combat Corruption*.
- Ali, S. (2011) Co-Chair of *The Practice of International Arbitration in the Asia Pacific Region*, HKU
- Ali, S. (2010) Co-Chair of *Practice Direction on Mediation: Public Feedback Session*, University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong. With Sou Chiam, DOJ.
- Ali, S. (2010) Co-Chair of *Mediator Ethics: Court-Annexed Mediation*, University of Hong Kong
- Ali, S. (2010) Discussant of *Resolving Territorial Disputes in East Asia*, LSEA Conf, Hong Kong.
- Ali, S. (2009) Chair of *Governing Global Health Security: Crisis at the World Health Organization and Newly Emerging Configurations of Power*, Dialogues in Dispute Resolution, HKU.
- Ali, S. (2009) Chair of *Humonetarianism: The New Correctional Discourse of Scarcity*, University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong. With Dr. Hadar Avriam.
- Ali, S. (2009) Chair of *Use of the Legal Process in Curtailing the Basic Human Rights of Advocates and Activists in the Philippines*, CCPL Talk, University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong.
- Ali, S. (2009) Chair of *The Globalization of ADR: Opportunities and Risks* by Professor Nadja Alexander, University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong.
- Ali, S. (2006) Panel Chair & Discussant of *Work, Trade and Rights in a Global Context*, Law & Society Assc.
- Ali, S. (2005) Panel Discussant of *Alternative Dispute Resolution in Latin America*, Law & Society Assc.

TEACHING

Since joining HKU, my average teaching score for lecture and seminar courses has been 83.66 (above the departmental average). In recognition of my contribution to teaching, in 2014, I was awarded the Faculty Outstanding Teaching Award. Examples of student comments about my teaching include the following:

2004, Berkeley (GSI): “Instructor is insightful and organized. Socratic questioning, respectful commentary”; “very respectful of student opinions and comments... Overall, one of the best GSI’s I have yet had. A great class overall.”

2006, Stanford (Lecturer): “Practical and well organized”; “enthusiastic; group activities supported course objectives quite well.”

2009-13, HKU (Assistant Professor): “Clear and precise presentation with good materials provided”; “Highly interactive, Interesting activities in classes; promoted open creative thinking”; “Encouraging”; “Approachable, eager to help”; “Very patient so students are willing to share their views.”; “my current research [has] greatly benefited from your teaching and sharing...”

- 2009-Present **Assistant Professor**, Faculty of Law, University of Hong Kong
Courses:
LLAW 6138: Arbitration Law
LLAW 6196: Preventative Law
LLAW 6022: Advanced Research Methodology
JDOC1011: JD Dissertation
LLAW 6163: Negotiation: Settlement and Advocacy
LLAW 6161: Mediation
LLAW 6158: Contract Law
LLAW 3159: Negotiation Theory and Practice
LLAW 2016: Legal Research & Writing V (tutor)
LLAW 1001: Law of Contract I (tutor)
LLAW 1002: Law of Contract II (tutor)
LLAW 6014: Dissertation
Supervisor, 4 PhD/SJD dissertations
Co-Supervisor, 1 PhD/SJD dissertations
Examiner, 8 Master’s/LLM theses
Committee Member, 8 PhD dissertations
- Nov 2014 **Visiting Faculty**, NUS International Arbitration Academy, National University of Singapore
Course: International Arbitration for ASEAN state representatives (invited)
- Sept 2014 **Visiting Faculty**, School of Transnational Dispute Resolution, Univ. Milan/Lisbon
Course: Intercultural Dimensions of Dispute Resolution (invited)
- July 2013 **Visiting Faculty**, Duke University/University of Hong Kong, HK
Course: Legal Traditions and Cultures: East and West
- July 2011 **Visiting Lecturer**, - HKU School for Professional & Continuing Education, Hong Kong
Course: HK Company Law & Anti-Bribery Ordinance (Putonghua)
- July 2010 **Visiting Faculty**, - Duke University/University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong
Course: International Arbitration Law

- June 2010 **Visiting Lecturer**, Santa Clara Summer Program, University of Hong Kong, HK
Course: Public International Law of Investor State Arbitration
- June 2006 **Instructor**, Stanford Summer Program, Beijing, PRC
Course: Cross Cultural Dispute Resolution in a Global Environment
- Oct 2005 **Lecturer**, United Nations Office of Human Resource Management, NY, NY
Course: Collaborative Negotiation
- Fall 2004 **Graduate Student Instructor**, University of California, Berkeley, Berkeley, CA
Course: Law and Society in China
- Oct 2003 **Assistant Lecturer**, United Nations Office of Human Resource Management, NY
Course: Mediation for Managers
- Spring 2002 **Instructor**, University of California, Berkeley, Berkeley, CA
Course: Education for Social Change
- Spring 2001 **Instructor**, German Legal Institute, Nanjing, PR China
Course: Corporations

CURRICULUM DEVELOPMENT

In order to help expand the learning opportunities for law students, LLM ADR students and post-graduate research students, I have been active since joining HKU in 2009 in developing three new courses and significantly revising existing course materials for our post graduate Advanced Research Methods course:

University of Hong Kong Curriculum Development

- LLM Course: Arbitration Award Writing – course proposal, syllabus, objectives, design (2014)
- LLM/RPG Course: Advanced Research Methods – redesigned course and syllabus including all reading materials, revised assignments and materials (2012)
- LLM/LLB Course: Preventative Law & Dispute System Design in a Comparative Context – developed course design, overview, syllabus (2010)
- LLB Course: Negotiation Theory and Practice – designed syllabus, assignments, materials (2009)
- LLM Course: Negotiation: Settlement & Advocacy - development and design of course (2009)

Other Curriculum Development

- Developed new course for Duke/HKU summer program in Legal Traditions and Cultures: East and West and International Arbitration Law.
- Developed lectures in HK Anti-Bribery Law and Investor State Arbitration (Santa Clara University).
- Developed course material for Stanford summer program in Cross Cultural Dispute Resolution in a Global Environment (2006)
- Co-developed course material for UC Berkeley course in Education for Social Change (2002)

STUDENT MOOTING

I actively supervise and coach HKU law student teams in international dispute resolution moot competitions including the following:

- Coach, HKU ICC International Mediation Team (2014)
- Faculty Trainer, Briefing for Bailiffs: 12th Red Cross Int. Humanitarian Law Moot (2014)

- Coach, HKU ICC International Mediation Team (2010-2011, won “best opening statement” and best “lawyer-client collaboration”, ranked in the top 16 out of 56 international teams)
- Coach, HKU International Negotiation Team (2010)

RESEARCH SUPERVISION AND EXAMINATION

Areas of Supervision

My area of post graduate research supervision include: law and development, global trade law and policy, humanitarian aid and intervention, arbitration and dispute resolution, resolution of private consumer disputes, dispute resolution design and reform, organizational ombuds mechanisms, collaborative governance.

Supervision of University of Hong Kong RPG Students

1. Kabau, Tom (PhD), Humanitarian Intervention in the African Union, 2012
2. Komolo, Erick (PhD), Law and Development in Africa, 2011
3. Mak, Ida, (PhD), Corporate Dispute Resolution in Hong Kong, 2010
4. Lipert, Guy (PhD), Mediation and Conciliation of Financial Disputes, 2010
5. Wu, Ming Fat Simon, (SJD) Factory-Based Mediation Systems in the PRC (Co-supervisor, February 2009 to the present)

Internal Reviewer

1. Mr. Zhou Anlei (PhD Candidate) University of Hong Kong, May 2015
2. Ms. Zuo Changwu, (PhD Candidate) University of Hong Kong, March 2014
3. Mr. Xiong Hao, (PhD Candidate) University of Hong Kong, July 2013

External Reviewer

1. Mr. Rishi Wagle, (PhD Candidate), FHDC, UHK, 20 March, 2009
2. Mr. Yazid, (PhD Candidate), FHDC, UHK, 8 March, 2009
3. Mr. Wu Chonghao, (PhD Candidate), FHDC, UHK, 8 December 2009
4. Wan Li Li, (MA) Shandong University Department of Philosophy, March 2009.
5. Xu Hong (Ph.D) Shandong University, Department of Philosophy, May 2009.

COMMUNITY ADR & LEGAL SKILL DEVELOPMENT

In order to support the development of dispute resolution skill training in the wider Hong Kong community, I have helped organized and design the following lectures and workshops since 2009 onward:

- Organizer, “Designing ADR Systems in the Public and Private Sector: Experiences from the US and Beyond”, Mrs. Stephanie Smith, HKU (November 2013)
- Organizer, “Comparative Analysis of Court Annexed ADR in the Dongguan Courts,” Judge Jiang HePing, HKU (November 2013)
- Organizer, “International Commercial Arbitration: Does it Cost?” Dr. Urs. Lauchli, HKU
- Organizer, “How Non-Signatories Can Avail Themselves of an Arbitration Agreement” James Kwan, HKU (2013)
- Co-Organizer, “Forum for the Resolution of Financial Disputes, HKU-HKCIAC (June 2013)
- Organizer, “Reciprocal Mediation” Trip Barthel (May 2012)
- Co-Organizer, “Comparative Financial Dispute Resolution Working Group Track” Asia Pacific Mediation Forum (December 2011)
- Organizer, “Ethics in Mediation” Trip Barthel (March 2012)

- Co-Organizer, “Concession Strategies for Mediators” Prof. Richard Reuben (May 2011)
- “Workshop on Mediation for Academic Management” Prof. Richard Reuben (May 2011)
- Co-Organizer, “Financial Dispute Resolution Conference: Effective Application of Dispute Resolution in the Financial Services Industry and Preparing for the Financial Dispute Resolution Center in Hong Kong” (with Professor Doug Arner, Charles Lam and Ms. Mandy Wong, Principal Assistant Secretary for Financial Services and the Treasury, the Government of HKSAR) (4/2011)
- Organizer, “ICAC Collaborative Governance to Combat Corruption” (March 2011)
- Organizer, “The Practice of International Arbitration in the Asia Pacific” Catherine Mun (2/2011)
- Co-Organizer, “Practice Direction on Mediation: Public Feedback Session” Sou Chiam, DOJ, University of Hong Kong, (April 2010)
- Co-Organizer, “Mediator Ethics: Court-Annexed Mediation” Robert Moberly, University of Hong Kong, (April 2010)

PARTICIPATION IN TEACHING ENHANCEMENT SEMINARS

- Teaching Arbitration Law, Policy and Practical Skills, ABA Section on ADR (April 2015)
- ADR Legal Educators Colloquium, ABA Section on Dispute Resolution Conference (April 2015)
- Teaching Mediation Advocacy, Legal Educator Colloquium, ABA Sect on DR (April 2013)
- Making Simulations More Realistic & Effective, Legal Educators Colloquium (April 2013)
- Teaching Collaborative Law, Legal Educators Colloquium, ABA Section on DR (April 2013)
- Faculty Feedback & Assessment Seminar, University of Hong Kong (May 2013)
- Use of IT/AV in Centennial Classrooms, University of Hong Kong (September 2012)
- Starboard Software Teacher Training, University of Hong Kong (August 2012)
- Induction to University Learning and Teaching, CETL, University of Hong Kong (23 March 2010)
- Standards Based Assessment and Honors Classification, UGC, (March 1, 2010)
- Teaching Seminar on Outcomes Based Approaches to Student Learning (OBASL), Faculty of Law, University of Hong Kong, (September 16, 2009)
- Seminar in Creativity in Classroom Lectures, CETL (September 2009) (Peer Evaluation Feedback Scores: 3.5/4)
- Teacher Feedback in SBA: A Motivating Force, University of Hong Kong, Faculty of Education (11 May 2009)
- Building Rubrics for Efficient and Effective Grading, University of Hong Kong, Centre for the Advancement of University Teaching. (May 14, 2009)
- Portfolio Based Assessment, University of Hong Kong, Centre for the Advancement of University Teaching (April 1, 2009)
- Syllabus and Course Design, UC Berkeley, Teaching Resource Center. (April 4, 2006)

REGIONAL/INTERNATIONAL SERVICE

International Working Groups

- Asian Mediation Consultancy Group, IFC/WB (2014)
- Academic Council, Institute for Transnational Arbitration (2013)
- Asia-Pacific Mediation Forum, Executive Committee (2013)
- Public Interest Dispute Resolution Council, Accord 3.0 (2014)
- Expert Respondent, WJP Rule of Law Index 2012-13 (2013)
- Member, Drafting Team - IBA Working Group on Investor State Mediation Rules (2012)
- Global Collaborative Governance Working Group (2011)
- IBA Working Group on Investor-State Mediation Rules (2011)
- Governance and Law Working Group, Institute for Global Civilization (2011)

Editorial Boards

Editorial Board, Journal of IP Dispute Resolution, 2013-present

Editorial Board, Journal of Law and Conflict Resolution, 2009-present

Editorial Board, Dong-A Journal of International Business Transactions Law, 2009-present

Articles Editor, Berkeley Journal of International Law, 2002

Manuscript/Journal Reviewer/Referee

Oxford University Press (2016 – present)

Cambridge University Press (2016 – present)

Law and Society Review (2016 – present)

Asian Journal of International Law (2016 – present)

Law and Social Inquiry (2015 – present)

Routledge: Taylor & Francis, Asia (2010-present)

Juxta Publishing (2011-present)

Hong Kong Law Journal (2009-present)

Asian Journal of Criminology (2009-present)

Hong Kong Law Journal

Disasters Journal

Journal on Humanitarian Logistics and Supply Chain Management

Media/Interviews

- Interview, “Developments in Arbitration and Mediation in Hong Kong,” Federation of Hong Kong Industries, by Claire Li, Hong Kong (November 2012)
- Interview, “Chinese Groups turn to Law in Disputes”, Financial Times, by Simon Rabinovitch, Shanghai (August 2012)
- Interview, “HKU’s LLM in Arbitration and Dispute Resolution” Metro Daily Newspaper, Hong Kong (3 February 2010)

DEPARTMENT/FACULTY/UNIVERSITY SERVICE

Faculty/Department of Law, HKU

Deputy Head, Incoming/Exchange Students, (2014-present)

- Assist with exchange student orientation, special issues, integration, support.
- Part of deputy management committee together with department Head and 3 deputies. Consult as group on teaching and learning, departmental reviews, credit policies for RPG supervision, research

development, exchange agreements.

Deputy Director, LLM in Arbitration and Dispute Resolution, (2009-Present)

- Teach courses within the program (Negotiation, Arbitration Law, Contract Law, Mediation)
- Recruitment of students
- Admissions Chair and Board member – for annual admissions review for incoming students
- LLM Welcome reception presentation; program website development
- Assist with invitation of visiting/guest speakers for Dialogues in Dispute Resolution series
- Assist with invitation of DVSS faculty
- Coach, HKU Mediation Team (2010-2011, won “best opening statement” and best “lawyer-client collaboration”, ranked in the top 16 out of 56 international teams)
- Coach, HKU Negotiation Team (2010)
- Connecting recent graduates to career, internship opportunities

Member, Faculty Research/Higher Degree Committee, Faculty of Law, UHK (2009-Present)

- Review RPG PhD/SJD/MPhil Application
- Selection of Fellowship recipients
- Review Faculty human research ethics applications/policy

Co-convenor, ADR and Civil Procedure Research Group (2014-present)

- Appointed to help coordinate research exchange sessions for sharing of ideas/collaboration.

University Service, HKU

Acting Deputy Chairman, University Research Ethics Committee, HKU (15/2/2014-15/4/2014)

- Review non-routine human research ethics cases in the humanities & social sciences

Member, University Research Ethics Committee, University of Hong Kong (2010-Present)

- Review non-routine human research ethics cases in the humanities & social sciences
- Consult on human research ethics procedures for University

Member, Applied Research Working Group, University of Hong Kong (2009-Present)

GOVERNMENT/REGULATORY SERVICE ACTIVITIES

Member, Department of Justice, Regulatory Subcommittee on Mediation, DOJ, 2014-present

Member, Financial Dispute Resolution Appointments Committee, FDRC 2014-present

Asian Mediator Resource Person, Office of the Compliance Advisor Ombudsman (CAO), International Finance Corporation/World Bank Group for Community Bank Disputes (2014)

Shortlisted Candidate, WB Group, Egyptian Financial Dispute System Design Project (2014)

Consultant, Financial Consumer Protection Bureau, Peoples Bank of China (2014)

Co-facilitator, HK Waste Management Public Dialogue, HK Stock Exchange

Facilitated a 3 hour public dialogue for 150 members of the HK public on waste management policy, 2013.

Party-Appointed Representative, HK Administrative Appeals Board, Privacy Commission Hearing, HK SAR

Co-facilitator, Global Collaborative Governance Working Group, Washington DC.
Supported this academic/practitioner-founded group dedicated to sharing experiences of collaborative governance across the globe in order to promote mutual learning. April 2012.

Program Associate, U.S. District Court, Alternative Dispute Resolution Program, San Francisco, CA
Created “Mediation Guides for Intellectual Property, Employment and General Claimants of the Federal Mediation Program.” 2004.

Curriculum Development, United Nations/QED Consulting, NY, NY
Consulted on curriculum development for collaborative negotiation and mediation training materials for UN staff and management. 2004.

Coordinator/Interpreter (Mandarin), United States Congress Delegation, Nanjing, China
Collaborated with the Aspen Institute in organizing and providing Mandarin translation for a delegation of 30 US Congresspersons and academic scholars highlighting social/economic change within China. 2002.

OTHER SERVICE ACTIVITIES (Global, National and Local Community)

Coordinator, Hong Kong Training Institute, Hong Kong SAR.
Support and coordinate the delivery of 20 neighborhood based study circles that aim to build capacity for service to the community. Host regular tutor reflection gatherings. Prepare quarterly reports. 2010-present.

Treasurer/Secretary, Institute for Global Civilization (IGC), Hong Kong SAR
Coordinate budget planning and oversight for annual operations budget of HK 1.2 million. Distribute remittances to project sites/activities in Mainland China. Prepare annual report. June 2011-present.

Board Member, Institute for Global Civilization (IGC), Hong Kong SAR
Consult on annual projects, collaboration agreements with overseas Universities, multi-year research and translation projects, and working groups activities (including law and governance) aimed at promoting a discourse on the role of values in social development. June 2011-present.

Legal Advisor, Institute for Global Civilization (IGC), Hong Kong SAR
Provide legal assistance for staffing contracts and regulatory compliance. February 2009-present.

Instructor, Pok Fu Lam Neighborhood Children’s Class, Hong Kong SAR
Plan and organize regular community children’s classes aimed at character building and community service.

Consultant/Advisor, BIHE
Provide pro-bono graduate academic advisory services for an underground university that provides higher educational opportunities to minority students systematically denied access to education in Iran.

Drafting Group Collaborator, Institute for Studies in Global Prosperity, Haifa, Israel
Participated in providing feedback on draft statement on justice. July 2010

Member, Assembly of Hong Kong, HK SAR,
Elected as one of nine members of the administrative body of Hong Kong that oversees the needs of the community including matters community education and youth empowerment. April 2013-present.

Secretary, Assembly of Southern District, Hong Kong, SAR.
Elected as one of nine members of the local administrative body of the Southern district of Hong Kong that oversees the needs of the Baha’i community including matters community education and youth empowerment. Prepare meeting and annual reports. April 2010-present.

Member, National Teaching Committee, Chicago, IL, USA

Appointed as one of five members of a national body focused on exploring the development of community building efforts in the United States, including youth empowerment. 2007-2008.

Vice-Chair, Assembly of San Francisco, San Francisco CA.

Elected as one of nine members of the local administrative body of the 350-member Baha'i community of San Francisco that oversees the needs of the community. Responsible for conducting meetings in the absence of the Chair on the basis of democratic consultation and reference to relevant guidance. 2007-8.

Member, UC Berkeley Committee on the Status of Women and Ethnic Minorities, Berkeley, CA

Participated in Dept/Faculty audits on gender/ethnic equity. Examined best practices. 2005-07.

Development Collaborator, Community Assessment Program, Suba District, Kenya

Participated in two week community assessment process in rural Kenya. Participated in daily life of community and co-hosted consultations aimed at joint identification of development priorities. 2001.

Director/Vice-President/ECOSOC Representative, Pathways to Peace, Larkspur, CA

One of 8 members of board of an international peacebuilding, educational and consulting organization. 1994.

Administrative/Research Aid, Center for International Counselors, BWC, Haifa Israel

Monitored program development and budgets of 14 national training institutes. Elected member of the Aids Advisory Team. Compiled country and regional reports. Trained and supervised 4 staff members. Researched and synthesized a 150 page map-based portion of internal web site. 1998-2001.

Board Member, Northern California Association for Baha'i Studies, Berkeley, CA

Reviewed papers, and assisted in the planning of two Northern California conferences: "Profound Faith and Freedom of Thought" and "Integrating the Good, the Beautiful, and True." 1997-1998.

Board, Students Speaking About Race and Culture (SSPARC), Stanford University, Palo Alto, CA

Collaborated with seven-member team under the dean of students; co-organized and facilitated student dialogues on race and ethnicity. 1996-1998.

Vice President, Okada House, Stanford University, Palo Alto, CA

Developed resident programs including dialogues on gender and racial equality. 1994

Researcher, BIC/US-UN Office, NY, NY

Conducted country specific UN treaty research for a Human Rights diplomatic training manual. Published articles on US involvement in the UN. Developed and conducted training seminars for youth. 1998

Researcher, Public Interest Lawyers Group, San Francisco, CA

Provided research materials on China's legal development for an International Conference on Judicial Reform held at University of California at Berkeley. 1997

Research Associate, Stanford Center on Conflict and Negotiation, Palo Alto, CA

Served as part-time assistant to the editor of the ABA Journal on Alternative Forms of Dispute Resolution. Provided logistical support for the 1998 Hewlett ADR Theory Conference. Assisted with web-site. 1997-8

Program Associate, California Lawyers for the Arts, San Francisco, CA

Compiled annual development report for Hewlett grant sponsors. Co-facilitated mediation training. 1996

Performer, CCTV/Hunan Television Station, PR China

Actress in documentary film on the life of Shen BingShan (blind artist from Fuzhou); performed as 'Fu Da Jie' in production of Liu Hai Kan Qiao (Hunan opera). 1995-6

INTERNATIONAL RESEARCH CONSULTANCIES

ADR Program Design

1. USAID: A study of “The Creation of Commercial Dispute Resolution Centers in the West Bank/Gaza” (2005) with Bill Davis (data collection, interviews, literature review, drafting).
2. USAID: A technical proposal regarding “Women’s Family Law Centers in Egypt” (2005) directed by DPK Consulting (review of literature & family law resources, drafting)
3. US DISTRICT COURT - ADR Office: Creation of “Mediation Guides for Intellectual Property, Employment and General Claimants of the Federal Mediation Program” (2004), (review & synthesis of existing guides, creation of informational brochures)
4. UN/QED Consulting, curriculum development/consultation for negotiation and mediation training materials (2004)
5. SCCN (Stanford Center on Conflict and Negotiation): A study of “Mediation Resource Centers, Programs & Academic Institutions in the United States” (1997) (data collection)

Legal Reform/Assessment & Evaluation

1. USAID: A study of “Legal Reform Programs in the Context of a Fragile State Strategy” (2005) directed by DPK Consulting (literature review, data analysis, drafting, editing)
2. California Administrative Office of the Courts, Office of the General Counsel: A study of “California Court Annexed Arbitration Program Assessment Methods” (2005) (review & synthesis of existing studies, creation of survey forms)
3. World Bank/IFC: “Evaluation of Community Natural Resource Mediation Program in Cajamarca, Peru” (mesa de dialogico, created following a mining spill in the region).
4. USAID/DPK Consulting: Creation of “Research Tools/Evaluation Standards for Assessment of West Bank/Gaza Rule of Law/Administration of Justice Program” (2004) (review of existing assessment tools, program data, creation of survey forms & instructions)
5. UC Berkeley: Research on “Rights Consciousness and Legal Empowerment in Africa and Asia” (2003) directed by Steven Golub (literature review)

International Public Law/ Post-Conflict Reconstruction:

1. PILPG (Public International Law and Policy Group): Constitutional Drafting Support, (2008) Constitutional Research project for the Government of a South East Asian Nation seeking to revise its constitutional provision on freedom of religion. Summarized successes/challenges of over 35 state constitutional provisions. Wrote executive summary, introduction and key learnings/best practices and edited 35 country reviews. The document was used in the state’s constitutional revision project.
2. PILPG (Public International Law and Policy Group): Post-Conflict Reconstruction, Environmental Dispute Resolution Reconstruction Team. (2007-08). Worked collaboratively with a team of four attorneys in consultation with local representatives to draft a proposed structure for an environmental commission and land conflict resolution process for an African state in the midst of civil war.
3. PILPG (Public International Law and Policy Group): Post-Conflict Reconstruction, Property Restitution Team. Collaborated with a team of 5 attorneys to draft a proposed structure for a land commission for a South East Asian nation undergoing civil war. (2006)
4. UC Berkeley: A study of “International Legal Principles Pertaining to the Status of Un-uniformed Soldiers in International Warfare” (2003) directed by Professor Chris Kutz (literature review)
5. Norwegian Ministry of International Development, Customary property law project for the Sri Lankan peace negotiations.

MEMBERSHIP IN PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

State Bar of California
Law and Society Association
Northern California International Arbitration Club
International Association for Conflict Management
Society for the Study of Social Problems, Conflict, Social Action and Change Group
Accord 3.0 Conflict Resolution Professionals

Arbitration Panel Membership

- Arbitrator, CIETAC, (2014-present)
- Arbitrator, ADNDRC, Hong Kong International Arbitration Centre (2013 to present)
- Arbitrator, Shenzhen Court of International Arbitration (2012 to present)
- Public Arbitrator, FINRA (March 2011 to the present)

Mediation Panel Membership

- Mediator, Hong Kong Mediation Accreditation Association Limited (“HKMAAL”) (2013)
- Mediator, Macau International Arbitration Center (December 2009 to the present)
- Mediator, Hong Kong Mediation Council (May, 2010 to the present)
- Mediator, Building and Lands Tribunal, Hong Kong Judiciary (2010 to present)

Representative Cases

- Cases have included: General commercial (ongoing); Securities (ongoing); Professional responsibility (April 2008); Family (May 2008); Commercial Real Estate (July 2009); Airline (January 2010)

Mediation/Arbitration Certification

- Arbitrator Chairperson Training, FINRA
- Arbitrator Training, FINRA
- Arbitration Expungement Training, FINRA
- Mediation Certification, Institute for International Mediation and Conflict Resolution (IIMCR), The Hague (200 hour course), Selected as “Outstanding Contributor”.
- MA degree in Consultation & Conflict Resolution, Landegg University, Switzerland (90+ hrs training in mediation and conflict resolution theory and skills).

Specialization Programs/ Mandarin Language Training

- Graduate Program: Constructing a Framework for Social Action, FUNDAEC (The Foundation for the Application and Teaching of the Sciences) (2013)
- Graduate Certificate in Chinese/American Studies, Nanjing University, Hopkins-Nanjing Program for Chinese and American Studies, Nanjing, PR China. (1 year intensive Mandarin) (2001-02)
- Hunan Teachers College, 1 year intensive Mandarin training, (1996-97)
- Beijing Language and Culture Institute, Intensive Mandarin Course, (1995)
- Shanghai Jiatong University, Mandarin language training, (1994)

SKILLS/LANGUAGE PROFICIENCY

Languages: English (fluent), Mandarin (advanced), Farsi (intermediate), Russian (basic).