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EMPLOYMENT

National University of Singapore, Faculty of Law

Lecturer

Academic Fellow, Centre for Asian Legal Studies
Sheridan Fellow
Research Assistant, Centre for Asian Legal Studies

Jul 2022 – Present

Jul 2019 – Present

2017 – Jul 2022

2016 – 2017

Joyce A. Tan & Partners LLC

Associate (former Trainee Solicitor)

2014 – 2016

PUBLICATIONS

Journal Articles

1. **Samantha S Tang**, *Sustainability Reporting and Shareholder Engagement: The Case of Singapore*, COMPANY & SECURITIES LAW JOURNAL (forthcoming)
2. Dan W Puchniak & **Samantha S Tang**, *Singapore's Puzzling Embrace of Shareholder Stewardship: A Successful Secret*, 53 VANDERBILT JOURNAL OF TRANSNATIONAL LAW 989–1021 (2020)
3. **Samantha S Tang**, *The Anatomy of Singapore's Statutory Derivative Action: Why Do Shareholders Sue – Or Not?*, 20 JOURNAL OF CORPORATE LAW STUDIES 327–357 (2020)
 - Based on *Rethinking the 'Theory in Books': Statutory Derivative Actions in Singapore and Hong Kong*, which won the Best Conference Paper Prize at the Corporate Law Teachers Association Conference 2017
4. Dan W Puchniak, Tan Cheng Han & **Samantha S Tang**, *Company Law*, 19 SINGAPORE ACADEMY OF LAW ANNUAL REVIEW OF SINGAPORE CASES 227–245 (2018)
5. Dan W Puchniak, Tan Cheng Han & **Samantha S Tang**, *Company Law*, 18 SINGAPORE ACADEMY OF LAW ANNUAL REVIEW OF SINGAPORE CASES 245–265 (2017)
6. **Samantha S Tang**, *Corporate Avengers Need Not Be Angels: Rethinking Good Faith in the Derivative Action*, 16 JOURNAL OF CORPORATE LAW STUDIES 471–491 (2016)

Shorter Articles, Notes, Comments, Review Articles, etc

7. **Samantha S Tang** & Alan K Koh, *Reflective Loss and Dishonest Assistance*, [2022] LLOYD'S MARITIME AND COMMERCIAL LAW QUARTERLY 363–367 (2022) (case comment)
8. **Samantha S Tang**, *Venture Capital Law in China*, 37 BANKING & FINANCE LAW REVIEW 541–543 (2022) (book review)
9. **Samantha S Tang**, *Corporate Divorce in Family Companies* [2018] LLOYD'S MARITIME AND COMMERCIAL LAW QUARTERLY 19–27 (2018) (case comment)
10. Alan K Koh & **Samantha S Tang**, *Towards a "Just and Equitable Remedy" for Companies*, 133 LAW QUARTERLY REVIEW 372–377 (2017) (case comment) *
11. Alan K Koh & **Samantha S Tang**, *The Future of The Anatomy of Corporate Law for Asia: A Forward-Looking Critique*, 12(1) ASIAN JOURNAL OF COMPARATIVE LAW 197–202 (2017) (review article)

12. **Samantha S Tang** & Alan K Koh, *Contractual Interpretation of Long-Term Leases: An Intuitive “Hop” to Joint Ventures*, [2017] LLOYD’S MARITIME AND COMMERCIAL LAW QUARTERLY 13–18 (2017) (case comment) *
13. Alan K Koh & **Samantha S Tang**, *Delimiting a Director’s Fiduciary Duties*, [2016] LLOYD’S MARITIME AND COMMERCIAL LAW QUARTERLY 358–362 (2016) (case comment) *
14. **Samantha S Tang** & Alan K Koh, *How to Avoid a Derivative Action: A Cautionary Tale from Singapore*, [2016] LLOYD’S MARITIME AND COMMERCIAL LAW QUARTERLY 346–352 (2016) (case comment) *

Book Chapters

15. **Samantha S Tang** & Dan W Puchniak, *Inspection Rights in Singapore*, in Randall Thomas et al (eds), INSPECTION RIGHTS (Edward Elgar, _____)
16. Dan W Puchniak & **Samantha S Tang**, *Singapore’s Embrace of Shareholder Stewardship: A Puzzling Success*, in Dionysia Katelouzou & Dan W Puchniak (eds), GLOBAL SHAREHOLDER STEWARDSHIP (Cambridge University Press 2022) 297–315
17. Alan K Koh & **Samantha S Tang**, *Direct and Derivative Shareholder Suits: Towards a Functional and Practical Taxonomy*, in Afra Afsharipour & Martin Gelter (eds), COMPARATIVE CORPORATE GOVERNANCE (Research Handbooks in Comparative Law series, Edward Elgar 2021) 431–453
18. **Samantha S Tang**, *Singapore*, in Philipp Maume et al (eds), *The Law of Crypto Assets* (CH Beck 2021) 542–553
19. **Samantha S Tang**, *Corporate Groups*, in Rafael Mariano Manóvil (ed), (Ius Comparatum series, Springer 2020) 509–536
 - National report on Corporate Groups presented at the XXth International Congress 2018 of the International Academy of Comparative Law, held at Kyushu University, Fukuoka, Japan

Media Features

20. Dan W Puchniak & **Samantha S Tang**, *Singapore’s Puzzling Embrace of Shareholder Stewardship: A Successful Secret*, OXFORD BUSINESS LAW BLOG (22 November 2019)

EDUCATION

University of Melbourne, Melbourne Law School	2020 – Present
PhD Candidate	
Supervisors: Professor Christine Parker & Professor Rosemary Teele Langford	
National University of Singapore, Faculty of Law (NUS Law)	2014
LLB (Hons)	
Kent Ridge Undergraduate Scholarship (bond-free and full tuition)	

EXTERNAL APPOINTMENTS

University of Melbourne, Melbourne Law School	2021
Fellow, teaching Corporations Law (Juris Doctor Programme)	
University of Tokyo, Faculty of Law	2022, 2019
Visiting Lecturer in Commercial Law in Asia: A Common Law Perspective	

SEMINAR PRESENTATIONS, LECTURES, ETC (SELECTED)¹

The 2nd ESG Legislative Forum: ESG in Supply Chains Korea Legislation Research Institute <i>Sustainability Reporting and Shareholder Engagement: The Case of Singapore</i>	May 2022
The Contemporary Corporation: Current Challenges and Future Directions College of Business, Government and Law, Flinders University, Adelaide, Australia Presented <i>Sustainability Reporting and Shareholder Engagement: The Case of Singapore</i>	December 2021
Environmental Law Doctoral Researchers' Workshop 2021 Melbourne Law School, University of Melbourne, Melbourne, Australia Presented <i>Sustainability Reporting and Shareholder Engagement: The Case of Singapore</i>	July 2021
Shareholder Inspection Rights: A Comparative Perspective NUS Law, Singapore Presented <i>Inspection Rights in Singapore</i> (with Dan W Puchniak)	June 2021
Corporate Law Teachers Association Annual Conference 2020 Monash University Monash Business School, Melbourne Presented <i>Stewardship for Controlling Shareholders: The Case of Singapore</i>	February 2020
International Workshop on Shareholders' Derivative Suits National Taiwan University College of Law, Taipei Presented <i>The Anatomy of Singapore's Statutory Derivative Actions</i>	December 2019
Global Shareholder Stewardship Conference King's College London, London Presented <i>The State as Steward: The Stewardship Code in Singapore</i>	September 2019
International Symposium: Current Issues in Private International Law Doshisha University, Kyoto, Japan Presented <i>Derivative Actions in Foreign Companies</i>	December 2018
XXth International Congress 2018 of the International Academy of Comparative Law, Kyushu University Fukuoka <i>Corporate Groups in Singapore</i> (National Report on Singapore for the Corporate Groups Section)	July 2018

EXTERNAL SERVICE

NUS Law, Law Alumni Mentorship Programme (LAMP) Alumni Mentor to NUS Law LLB undergraduates	2022–Present
Asian Journal of Comparative Law – Associate Editor	2016 – 2020
Peer Review Service Asian Journal of Comparative Law; Singapore Law Review	

BAR ADMISSION

Singapore (Advocate & Solicitor of the Supreme Court of Singapore)	2014 as of 1 October 2022
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¹ Out of over 24 seminar presentations, lectures, etc in 7 jurisdictions at 16 academic institutions