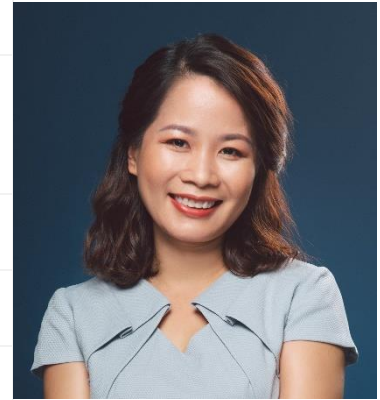


LECTURER'S CURRICULUM VITAE

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Languages: Vietnamese, English

Practice Areas

Dispute Resolution, Labour, Corporate Governance and M&As, Intellectual Property

Professional Experience/Overview

Minh Nguyen is a Special Counsel and Head of Dispute Resolution Practice of ACSV Legal. She joined ACSV Legal in 2019 after having worked nearly ten years for various international law firms and corporations, including a Magic Circle firm. Prior to joining ACSV Legal, Minh worked as Legal Compliance Manager in the SEA&NZ Business Unit of the largest brewing company in the world.

Minh obtained an LLM in 2017 in International Arbitration from Pepperdine University under Fulbright Scholarship with one of the highest-grade point averages in her graduation class. Minh also attended the intensive International Commercial Arbitration course in Harvard Law School in January 2023. As the Head of the Dispute Resolution Practice of ACSV Legal, Minh has directly advised and represented clients in a number of multi-million-dollar cases arbitrated at the SIAC, the ICC, and the VIAC. Under her leadership, ACSV Legal has been ranked as one of “the firms to watch” in arbitration in Legal500’s publication for Vietnam chapter in 2023.

Minh is currently a member of Young Singapore International Arbitration Centre Committee (YSIAC Committee) and a member of the Legal Science Council of the Vietnam International Arbitration Centre (VIAC). Minh has been an Adjunct Lecturer in the Master of Civil Law Program – a joint program between the University of Economics and Law of Vietnam and the University of Paris 1 Pantheon-Sorbonne – since 2019.

Arbitration Experience

- Defending a Vietnamese multi-channel media conglomerate operating in Southeast Asia in a multi-million-dollar M&A arbitration case before the International Chamber of Commerce (ICC). ACSV Legal's client won the case and all claims raised by the Claimants were dismissed.
- Representing the former owner of a language centre chain in Vietnam in M&A and service agreement arbitration cases at the Singapore International Arbitration Centre (SIAC). ACSV Legal's client won the service agreement arbitration and received approximately USD 10 million as the awarded damages. The M&A arbitration is pending.
- Defending a beauty and spa company in a multi-million-dollar arbitration case before the Vietnam International Arbitration Centre (VIAC) in relation to a license agreement and a distribution agreement. The Tribunal awarded less than 10% of the Claimant's original claim value to the Claimant.
- Chairwoman of Arbitral Panel in a case of service contract dispute between a Vietnamese company and a Japanese company with the dispute value of around USD 350,000 and the hearing venue in Singapore.
- Arbitrator in a supply contract dispute between a Vietnamese company and a consortium (seat of arbitration is Vietnam).
- Arbitrator in a property insurance contract dispute between a Vietnamese insurance group and a cell phone equipment supplier; the dispute value is approximately USD 130,000 (seat of arbitration is Vietnam).
- Arbitrator in a scaffolding rental agreement dispute between two Vietnam-based companies; the dispute value is around USD 150,000 (seat of arbitration is Vietnam).

Qualifications

2014	Admission in Ho Chi Minh City Bar Association
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Professional Experience

7/2022 – Current	Special Counsel / Head of Dispute Resolution Practice, ACSV Legal
2019 – 6/2022	Senior Associate / Head of Dispute Resolution Practice, ACSV Legal
5/2019 – Current	Adjunct Lecturer, University of Economics and Law, HCMC
8/2017 – 12/2018	Legal and Compliance Manager of Southeast Asia and the New Zealand, Anheuser-Busch InBev Vietnam Company
1/2016 – 6/2016	Associate, Freshfields Bruckhaus Deringer (Vietnam)
4/2013 – 1/2016	Associate, Gide Loyrette Nouel (Vietnam)
5/2011 – 2/2013	Trainee Lawyer, Tilleke & Gibbins (Viet Nam)

Membership of professional organization

Member of the Society of Construction Law of Vietnam (SCLVN)

Member of the Young International Council for Commercial Arbitration – ICCA, Netherlands

Member of Young Oil-Gas-Energy-Mining-Infrastructure Dispute Management (Young OGEMID), USA

Member of Young Institute for Transnational Arbitration (Young ITA), USA

Member of Young Singapore International Arbitration Centre (YSIAC), Singapore

Publications (selected)

2022	Co-author in Article "Indisputable Improvement: Vietnam's International Dispute Settlement Facilities", published on the Asian Dispute Review, Issue of July 2022
2019	Article "Business Shake-up Set with Labour Code Draft" published on the Vietnam Investment Review, Issue of 7-12 October 2019