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Practices

FOCUS: China

Corporate

Entrepreneurial Ventures

International

Investment Management and Funds

Pharmaceutical and Life Sciences

Litigation

Private Equity

Private Equity and Real Estate Fund

Formation

Quantitative and Algorithmic Trading

Real Estate

Industries

Aviation

Construction

Energy

Health Care

Hospitality

Manufacturing and Industrials Private Equity

Pharmaceutical and Life Sciences

Private Client Services

Sports and Sports Facilities

Technology

Education

JD, Duke University School of Law

LLM, Duke University School of Law

BA, Beijing University

Bar Admissions

Illinois

Feng Xue is head of Katten's China practice and managing partner of the firm's Shanghai office. A seasoned practitioner of corporate law in both US and China, he advises US clients doing business in China and Chinese clients doing business in the US or Europe. He works with companies and businesses of all sizes, facilitating deals and offering creative ways of achieving their business goals.

Experienced advice on Chinese deals

Feng's years of experience with many different deals, across many different industries, means that he can speak the language of his clients' business, in addition to Chinese and English. He not only advises many companies as outside counsel, but sits on the boards of several Chinese companies and serves as general counsel to dozens of private equity funds and technology companies doing business in China. His familiarity with the many business opportunities there helps his clients find the right path to getting their deals done.

Feng is able to advise clients on the intricacies of Chinese law because he knows it so well. Prior to attending law school, he worked as a senior legislative officer for the Legislative Affairs Commission and Law Committee of the Chinese National People's Congress, where he participated in drafting Chinese national legislation. He has also co-authored "Laws of the People's Republic of China," Volumes III, IV, and V, published by China Science Press, and "Western Corporate Laws," published by China Law Press.

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Court Admissions

US District Court, Northern District of Illinois

News

- Katten Assists Jade Bird Fire in Its Strategic Investment in Finsecur SAS (September 15, 2020)
- Katten Assists in Farasis Energy's Restructuring, Listing on SSE STAR Market and Its Strategic Cooperation With Daimler (July 20, 2020)
- Katten China Partner Appointed to Sister Cities International Post (December 19, 2019)
- *Asian Legal Business* interviews Feng Xue to talk about challenges and developments in Chinese legal market (October 14, 2019)
- Katten Expands Corporate Practice in Shanghai (April 10, 2018)
- Katten Selected as the "Go-To" Firm for Sports Law in Chicago (July 27, 2017)
- Katten Securitization Transaction Recognized as "Deal of the Year" by *China Business Law Journal* (March 10, 2015)
- Partner Feng Xue Featured in *Crain's Chicago Business* Article About Mandarin-Speaking Attorneys at Chicago Law Firms (January 5, 2015)
- Katten Represents China's ECADI in Purchase of Leading Interior Design Firm Wilson & Associates (March 7, 2014)
- Katten Represents China's Tianshuo in Purchase of Meridian Lightweight (December 20, 2013)
- Katten Provides Counsel to General Bearing Corporation in Sale to SKF AB (August 2, 2012)
- Partner Feng Xue Suggests Recent Law Graduates Explore Foreign Opportunities in *Chicago Lawyer* Article (June 22, 2012)
- Four Katten Practices Recommended by *Legal 500* in 2010 US Edition (June 14, 2010)
- Katten Adds Feng Xue as Partner to Lead China Practice (November 7, 2008)

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Publications

- China Regulator Proposes to Permit Designated Domestic Futures Contracts To Be Traded by Foreigners (January 23, 2015)
- A Conversation with Feng Xue of Katten Muchin Rosenman (April 2009)

Presentations and Events

- Trading Chinese Stocks and Derivatives Through the Half-Opened Door (June 9, 2021) | *Speaker*
- 2019 Annual Gala (September 17, 2019) | *Presenter* | *China-funded enterprises in the US Greenfield investments*
- Over the Wall: Opportunities in China and US Private Equity Investing (November 21, 2013) | *Panelist*
- Private Equity Opportunities for US-China Businesses (November 27, 2012) | *Moderator*
- China 2011: The Decade Ahead (December 13, 2010) | *Speaker*
- Innovations in the Midwest Education Industry (January 29, 2010) | *Speaker* | *International Education: Beyond Borders*
- 2009 Global Brand Summit (October 20–21, 2009) | *Panelist* | *Creative Media and Brand Communications*
- Reception and Discussion with ChinaVest Chairman Bob Theleen (October 13, 2009) | *Panelist*
- Mergers and Acquisitions Conference (September 14, 2009) | *Speaker* | *International M&A Landscape: Inbound Investment*
- Investing in China: Is 2009 Really the Year of the Bull? (February 17, 2009) | *Panelist*

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- Ninth Annual U.S.-China Trade Conference (November 13–14, 2008) | *Speaker* | *The Impact of Acquisitions in China as a Strategy to Maximize Trade Benefits*
- 8th Chicago Asia Business Conference (October 18, 2008) | *Speaker*
- China: Promise to Profits (October 15, 2008) | *Moderator* | *Company Perspective*