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Biography

Samantha has advised many clients on how to execute cross-border transactions seamlessly. She has over 15 years' experience helping clients with structuring and implementing complex investments and projects in emerging markets. Samantha currently advises on a broad range of corporate and finance matters in Vietnam and further afield in ASEAN.

She is known for delivering practical advice and completing transactions to international standards against a backdrop of often vague regulations in developing countries. In Vietnam, Samantha has worked on a number of large-scale and first-in-type transactions, including for financial institutions, in the area of public-private- partnerships and project development, and in connection with restructurings. From these experiences, she has developed a keen sense of how to navigate the uncertainties in this jurisdiction. Her industry experience covers agribusiness, banking and insurance, energy, heavy industry, ports and logistics and health/pharmaceuticals.

Samantha has been consistently nominated as a leading lawyer in Vietnam in Chambers Asia Pacific and in Legal 500 for the past five years.



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Languages

English
French
Russian

Practices

Infrastructure, Energy, Resources,
and Projects

Representative experience

K-EXIM and syndicates of Lenders in relation to the USD 795 million credit facilities for the USD 1.65 billion Thai Binh 2 1200MW power plant project.

The World Bank group on the advisory side for the Government of Vietnam on the Phan Thiet – Dau Giay expressway project, planned as the first ever PPP project in Vietnam.

Awards and rankings

- Banking & Finance (Vietnam), Foreign Expert Based in Singapore, *Chambers Asia-Pacific*, 2018
- Corporate/M&A (Vietnam), Foreign Expert Based in Singapore, *Chambers Asia-Pacific*, 2018
- Projects, Infrastructure & Energy (Vietnam), Foreign Expert Based in Singapore, *Chambers Asia-Pacific*, 2018

Latest thinking and events

- Press Releases
 - Hogan Lovells advises on US\$2 billion financing of Van Phong 1 BOT power project in Vietnam
- Press Releases
 - Hogan Lovells advises Navis Capital Partners on its acquisition of Thanh Thanh Cong Education JSC
- Hogan Lovells Publications
 - Navigating through the winding One Belt One Road
- Hogan Lovells Events
 - FIS Summit Series: Asia
- Hogan Lovells Publications
 - Client briefing: Renewable energy in Vietnam
Client Notes
- Hogan Lovells Events
 - Going Global 2017

Areas of focus

Hogan Lovells China Desk

Project Finance, DFI, ECA, and Sovereign Wealth Finance

Education and admissions

Education

Postgraduate Diploma in Law, The University of Law, 1996

Legal Practice Certificate, The University of Law, 1996

MA Hons (European History and Russian), University of Edinburgh, 1994

Bar admissions and qualifications

Solicitor, England and Wales

Accolades

'She is an 'extremely professional, business-oriented' practitioner who earns great respect from sources . . . She is praised for her ability to effectively distil the local business and regulatory arena into easily understandable advice for her clients.
