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Yuet Ming Tham is the global co-leader of the firm's White Collar: Government Litigation & Investigations practice and leader of the Asia Pacific Compliance and Investigations practice. She is also Asia Pacific Chair of the firm's Diversity & Inclusion Committee. She speaks fluent English, Mandarin, Cantonese, and Malay and is admitted in New York, England & Wales, Hong Kong, and Singapore.

Ms. Tham focuses on FCPA, compliance, investigations, regulatory counseling such as money-laundering regulations, data-privacy, and employment. She has led investigations and compliance projects across Europe, the Middle East, and all of Asia Pacific, and has counseled clients on matters involving the U.S. Department of Justice, the U.S. SEC, FINRA, and the HK SFC, as well as investigations by enforcement agencies in Asia. Most recently, she led investigations in Israel, South Africa, China, Australia, Japan, and Vietnam.

Ms. Tham was most recently awarded "Top 100 Women in the Law" in the Asia Pacific region 2020 and "Dispute Resolution Star—White-collar" in 2019 by *Benchmark Litigation Asia-Pacific* and recognized in *Who's Who Legal: Thought Leaders—Global Investigations Review 2019-2020* and *Who's Who Legal: Thought Leaders—Hong Kong 2020*. She has also been awarded the Emerging Markets "Compliance & Investigations Lawyer of the Year" by *The American Lawyer*.

Ms. Tham has also been acknowledged as a "Leading Lawyer" by *Chambers Asia Pacific* across four categories, namely "Dispute Resolution: Litigation," "Corporate Investigations/Anti-Corruption," "Life Sciences," and "Financial Services: Contentious Regulatory." Additionally, she is recognized in the "Financial Services Regulatory" in *IFLR1000* as a "Leading Lawyer" and has also been listed by *Who's Who Legal* as a "Leading Business Lawyer" in three separate categories, namely "Life Sciences," "Business Crime Defense," and "Investigations." She is regarded as "one of the best-informed regulatory lawyers in the region," and was the only lawyer awarded the Client Choice Award 2016 by the *International Law Office* in the White Collar Crime practice in Hong Kong.

In the 2018 edition of *Chambers Global* and *Chambers Asia-Pacific*, under the Corporate Investigations chapter, Ms. Tham is described as "exceptionally bright" and "is very responsive and knowledgeable and can immediately dive into the issues." In the life sciences chapter, clients

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shared: “We have always been impressed by her leadership, professionalism, tenacity and savvy technical skills, but more so by her demeanor—her warm hospitality and friendly approach. You will love to work with Yuet.”

*Chambers Asia Pacific* noted that Ms. Tham “is frequently sought after by international corporations, who respect her experience and expertise in risk management.” In addition, she is described as being “highly thought of in the life sciences industry” and that industry players appreciate her “wealth of knowledge of the latest trends across the region” as well as having a “tough, no-nonsense approach in tackling tricky compliance questions.”

Prior to joining Sidley, Ms. Tham held roles as a Deputy Public Prosecutor in Singapore and was the Asia Pacific Regional Compliance Director for Pfizer. She is frequently invited to speak at major conferences around the world.