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BIOGRAPHY

Glenn Haley has 35+ years' experience in all aspects of major projects, infrastructure and the construction and engineering sectors, in both contentious and non-contentious matters.

He has also represented government and semi-government bodies in the implementation of numerous large-scale infrastructure developments, including airports, rail projects, bridges, roads, tunnels, power generation projects and commercial structures.

He is considered one of Hong Kong SAR's most pre-eminent dispute resolution practitioners as is recognised by Who's Who of Construction Lawyers, Legal 500 Asia Pacific, Chambers & Partners Greater China Region and Asia Law. He has been listed in Legal 500's "Hall of Fame, Construction, Hong Kong" since 2021.

As well as his considerable and varied experience in both litigation and arbitration, Glenn has been a Chairman of the Buildings Appeal Tribunal, a Hong Kong Law Society Prosecutor and has acted in various disciplinary tribunals for professional bodies and sporting bodies.

Glenn has lived and worked in Hong Kong SAR for the past 30+ years, handling matters throughout the Asia Pacific region.

Glenn regularly lectures and published articles and blogs about dispute resolution, construction law, competition law and other areas of commercial law, and has been a published author in textbooks about construction law, arbitration, procurement law. He was a contributing author to [Financial Regulation: Emerging Themes in 2020](#) – an extensive collection of articles around the themes of supervision, governance, financial crime and investigations and digital.

INDIVIDUAL LEGAL DIRECTORY RANKINGS

Band 1: Construction: International Firms in China, Chambers and Partners Greater China Region, 2025

Hall of Fame: Construction in Hong Kong, Legal 500 Asia Pacific, 2025

Preeminent ranking: Hong Kong Construction & Infrastructure Litigation Lawyers, Doyle's Guide, 2024

WHAT THEY ARE SAYING

"A real name in the Hong Kong market as a construction lawyer." Chambers and Partners Greater China Region, 2024

"He is a commercially sensitive lawyer and a go-to in Hong Kong. He is exceptionally well connected." Chambers and Partners Greater China Region, 2023

"Insightful and practical advice on construction-related disputes" Legal 500 Asia Pacific, 2022

"Glenn Haley is just incredibly experienced. He is one of the most famous, 'hall of fame'-type lawyers," Chambers and Partners Greater China Region, 2023

PRACTICE GROUP LEGAL DIRECTORY RANKINGS

Band 1: Construction: International Firms in China, Chambers and Partners Greater China Region, 2025

SPOKEN LANGUAGES

- English

ADMISSIONS

- ACT
- New South Wales
- Northern Territory
- Queensland
- Victoria
- England and Wales (non-practicing)

RELATED PRACTICE AREAS

- Construction Disputes
- Infrastructure
- Sports & Entertainment
- Data Privacy & Security
- Energy Transition
- Real Estate Disputes
- Corporate
- Investigations
- Litigation & Dispute Resolution
- Regulation, Compliance & Advisory
- International Arbitration
- Sports & Entertainment Contract, Endorsement & Celebrity Representation Practice
- Anti-Doping Practice
- Sports & Event Venue Real Estate Infrastructure and Operation
- Naming Rights & Sponsorship Practice
- Sports & Entertainment M&A Practice
- Sports & Entertainment Litigation Practice
- Sports & Entertainment Specialty Counseling Practice
- Entertainment Industry Practice

- Sports & Event Financing
- Collegiate Sports Practice
- Olympic & National Governing Body Practice
- Professional Sports Team Practice
- Data Center & Digital Infrastructure Team
- Business & Commercial Disputes
- Real Estate
- Securities Litigation & Enforcement

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"Battle of the Forms" in the Hong Kong Construction Industry

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Does "back to back" mean "pay when paid" in construction contracts?

In *Sze Fung Engineering Limited v Trevi Construction Company Limited* [2025] HKCA 278[1], the Hong Kong Court of Appeal ("CA") ruled that the "back to back" wording in that case was not a "pay when paid" clause, but governed only the timing of payment.

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Hong Kong Court makes security for costs order against Mainland parties with no assets in Hong Kong

In *Y and Another v GI and Another* [2025] HKCFI 1317[1], the Hong Kong Court of First Instance ("Court") allowed the defendant's application for security for costs against the plaintiffs in respect of the plaintiffs' application to set aside an arbitral award. In doing so, the Court found that the plaintiffs were resident outside Hong Kong, had no assets available in Hong Kong and the setting aside application had little prospect of success.

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AI in IA

Ask a trained lawyer what an "LLM" is, and what first will come to mind may be a "Master of Laws"; ask a tech-savvy teenager what an "LLM" is, and they most probably will answer "large language model". The former may not be a prerequisite to becoming a qualified lawyer, but knowledge of the latter likely will be crucial for legal practitioners in the coming years. LLMs / Generative AI are on the rise. OpenAI ChatGPT. Microsoft Copilot. Anthropic Claude. Meta AI Llama. Perplexity. Google Gemini. xAI Grok. Quora Poe. DeepSeek. And bespoke legal AI tools, of course, also are on the rise. Harvey. Thomson Reuters CoCounsel. LexisNexis Lexis+ AI. Just to name a few. It is timely that the Chartered Institute of Arbitrators (Ciarb) has launched the Ciarb Guideline on the Use of

AI in Arbitration (2025) (the “Ciarb AI Guideline”). Issued by the leading arbitration certification organisation in the world, the Ciarb AI Guideline provi...

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HK Court relies on deemed service clause to dismiss a setting-aside application to enforce an arbitral award

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HK court rules that gig delivery driver was not an employee

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“Dividing Line” in Public Policy – Insolvency and Arbitration

A creditor commences winding-up proceedings against a debtor company on the basis that the company is insolvent. The petition debt relates to a dispute within the ambit of the arbitration agreement between the creditor and the debtor. Should the Court either:- Uphold the parties’ agreement to arbitrate (and stay / dismiss the winding-up); or Allow the creditor to continue to pursue the debt in winding-up proceedings? In our previous article on the topic in August 2020, we discussed Lasmos approach and the inter-relationship between arbitration and insolvency proceedings through the cases of: (1) the HKCFI case Lasmos (Lasmos Limited v Southwest Pacific Bauxite (HK) Limited [2018] HKCFI 426), (2) the English CA case Salford Estates(Salford Estates (No 2) Ltd v Altomart Ltd (No 2) [2015] Ch 589), (3) the two HK CA cases But Ka Chon (But Ka Chon v Interactive Brokers LLC [2019] HKCA 873) and Sit Kwong Lam (...)

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Getting the ball rolling: sports disputes resolution in Hong Kong SAR

These are exciting times for sports in Hong Kong. With the Hong Kong team’s success at the 2024 Paris Summer Olympics and Summer Paralympics, the opening of the Kai Tak Sports Park and the 15thNational Games (which Hong Kong is co-hosting together with Guangdong and Macao) in 2025, it is expected that interest in sports and the sports industry in Hong Kong will continue to grow. From the selection of athletes by sports clubs to the determination of the outcome of a game, anti-doping tests and sports-related commercial deals, disputes can arise at many stages along the sports industry chain. Some observers and commentators have suggested that Hong Kong would be assisted by having a comprehensive dispute resolution system to resolve the sports-related disputes which unavoidably arise from the growing sports industry.