KAI YEO

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EDUCATION / BAR ADMISSION

UNIVERSITY OF CAMBRIDGE, Cambridgeshire, UK

B.A. Law, July 2023

Honours: Leonard Coling Scholar (top quartile)

Activities: Cambridge University Law Society, Head of Membership

Cambridge University Finance and Investment Society, President

Cambridge Law Review, Senior Editor Singapore Comparative Law Review, Editor

Plan to sit for the New York State Bar Exam, Feb 2024.

Plan to sit for the England & Wales Solicitors Qualification Exam, Aug 2024.

EXPERIENCE

DAVIS POLK & WARDWELL, London, UK

Incoming Trainee Solicitor, Summer 2022-present.

Due to start at the firm in Aug 2024, after a year completing the Solicitors Qualification Examination.

DAVIS POLK & WARDWELL, London, UK

Vacation Scheme, Summer 2022.

Conducted research on jurisdiction clauses. Presented a simulated client pitch for capital markets listing on the London Stock Exchange. Drafted advisory memo for a TMT acquisition. Received full-time return offer.

SIDLEY AUSTIN, London, UK

Vacation Scheme, Summer 2022.

Ran comments on an all-asset debenture and a conditions precedent checklist for a leveraged financing. Conducted research on EU antimicrobial-resistance prevention legislation implementation. Presented research on NHS list price change regulation for branded medicines. Conducted research on various rewilding-related legislation for a pro bono project. Received full-time return offer.

GOODWIN PROCTER, London, UK

Vacation Scheme, Summer 2022.

Created structure chart and researched beneficial ownership of group structure. Conducted research regarding director's duties. Analysed various group income statements, searching for payment irregularities. Received full-time return offer.

REPUBLIC OF SINGAPORE AIR FORCE, Singapore

Lieutenant, 2018-2019. Conducted heliborne counterterrorism operations in Singapore, through coordination with radar and command & control battalions, leading a team of 6 to manage air defence weapon systems. Achieved "Outstanding" qualification for Battalion's (>400 soldiers) audit as Head of Training Coordination. Graduated top of class in Air Warfare Officer Course.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Interests: Enjoy skiing, soccer, rowing, and clay pigeon shooting. Lived in Singapore and Hong Kong.