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Location:

Language:
Chinese, English

Qualification:
China Legal Professional
Qualification Certificate,
Chinese Lawyer
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Chinese Certified Public
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Work Experience

- 2025-Present | Beijing Anli (Shanghai) Law Firm | Partner
- 2014-2025 | King & Wood Mallesons, Shanghai Office | Partner
- 2009-2014 | Deloitte Touche Tohmatsu CPA Ltd. | Partner

Education

Xiamen University | Bachelor of Laws

Social Activities

- China Law Society, Finance and Tax Law Research Society | Council Member
- China Law Society, Economic Law Research Society | Council Member
- Shanghai Law Society, Finance and Tax Law Research Society | Council Member
- China International Taxation Research Institute, 6th Academic Research Committee | Member
- China Taxation Society | Academic Committee Member
- China Large Enterprise Taxation Research Institute | Senior Research Fellow
- External Mentor for multiple renowned universities including Peking University, Fudan University, Shanghai University of Finance and Economics, East China University of Political Science and Law, Southwestern University of Finance and Economics, Shanghai Jiao Tong University and Nankai University

Areas

Tax Compliance, Tax Dispute Resolution, Corporate Financing, Structure Restructuring, Overseas & Domestic Listings, International Tax & Transfer Pricing

Key Achievements

Bill possesses over 25 years of professional experience in the Chinese tax field, accumulating extensive expertise in areas including corporate financing, structure restructuring, overseas and domestic listings, international tax and transfer pricing, tax compliance, and tax dispute resolution. He is particularly adept at providing innovative and practical integrated solutions for clients' emerging or major complex projects. His clientele spans numerous industries such as TMT, manufacturing, retail, finance, real estate, pharmaceuticals, and culture & entertainment. He also serves long-term as a legal advisor or think-tank expert for finance and tax authorities.

- In tax advisory, he provides tax advice related to equity structures and transaction arrangements for various deals, including private equity investments, Chinese enterprises' outbound investments, foreign investments in China, and domestic & cross-border M&A and restructuring.

- In tax compliance, he assists enterprises in establishing comprehensive tax compliance systems and has helped numerous well-known domestic telecommunications enterprises, consumer goods companies, and pharmaceutical companies establish and enhance their compliance frameworks.
 - In dispute resolution, he has represented clients or acted as a tax law expert in numerous significant tax-related investigations, reconsiderations, litigations, and arbitrations. Concurrently, he serves as a think-tank resource for tax authorities, providing advice on disputes with taxpayers.
 - In transfer pricing, he represents enterprises in the planning and implementation of pricing strategies for various related-party transactions, applies for bilateral advance pricing arrangements (APAs), and defends clients in transfer pricing investigations.
 - In private wealth management and individual income tax planning, he assists high-net-worth clients in planning and managing their wealth from a tax perspective, considering factors like CRS and individual income tax reforms. He is also skilled in assisting founders and corporate actual controllers with private wealth planning from an integrated personal and corporate viewpoint.
 - Bill has rich experience in employee equity incentives and cross-border M&A, among other areas.
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Personal Honor

- Since 2016: continuously ranked as “First-class lawyer” and “Leading Lawyer” in Tax (PRC) by the Legal 500 and Chambers Asia Pacific.
- 2024-2025: awarded as one of China Business Law Journal’s “The A-List : Visionaries”.
- 2024: recognized as the “Regional Managing Partner of the Year - East China” at the Asian Legal Business (ALB) China Regional Law Awards.
- 2025: named a “Highly Regarded Lawyer” in Tax Disputes & Private Client by International Tax Review (ITR) World Tax.
- 2025: awarded as one of the “Lexpress Luminary Lawyers 20: Taxation”.