

# LAU JIA JUN, JEREMIAH

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## EMPLOYMENT

### **National University of Singapore, Faculty of Law (July 2017 – present)**

#### Sheridan Fellow

- Lecturer and tutor in Equity & Trusts (from January 2018)
- Member, Centre for Legal Theory
- Research interests in equity & trusts and private law theory  
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### **Rajah & Tann Singapore LLP (May 2016 – May 2017)**

#### Associate, Commercial Litigation

- Under the supervision of Mr. Francis Xavier S.C.)

## EDUCATION

**University of Oxford, DPhil (Law) Candidate**, September 2020 - present  
Merton College

**University of Oxford, Bachelor of Civil Law (Distinction)**, July 2020

Prizes: Wadham College Prize for Academic Performance

**National University of Singapore, LL.B. (First Class Honours)<sup>1</sup>**, July 2015

Honours: Montrose Memorial Prize for Best Paper in Jurisprudence<sup>2</sup>  
Dean's List (AY 2014/2015)  
Dean's List (Overall Course of Study)<sup>3</sup>

**Raffles Junior College, GCE 'A' Levels**, 2008

Honours: 6 'A's in the GCE 'A' Levels  
MOE Humanities Scholarship<sup>4</sup>

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<sup>1</sup> Awarded to candidates who (a) Finish in the top 5% of their class based on numerical average for all subjects taken at NUS; and (b) Have obtained a grade of A- or better in at least 40% of the subjects taken at NUS.

<sup>2</sup> Awarded by the Board of Undergraduate Studies on the recommendation of the Faculty of Law as a prize for the Final Examination in Jurisprudence.

<sup>3</sup> The top 10% of each class is placed on the Dean's List at the end of the academic year.

<sup>4</sup> The Humanities Scholarship is offered by the Ministry of Education to encourage outstanding students to study the humanities at the pre-university level under the Humanities Programme.

**Raffles Institution, Raffles Programme (Integrated Programme), 2006**

Gifted Education Programme<sup>5</sup>

## **PUBLICATIONS**

1. Jeremiah Lau, "That New Chestnut - The Proprietary Status of Bitcoins" [2020] Lloyd's Maritime and Commercial Law Quarterly 378.
2. Contributor to James Penner, *The Law of Trusts*, 11th edn (Oxford University Press, 2019).
3. Jeremiah Lau, "The Basics of Private and Public Data Trusts" [2020] Singapore Journal of Legal Studies 90 (with James Penner and Benjamin Wong)
4. Jeremiah Lau, "Legal and Beneficial Entitlement to Joint Bank Accounts with Volunteers" (2018) 33(3) Banking and Finance Law Review 345-363.
5. Jeremiah Lau, "Computerised Mistake and Proprietised Bitcoin: B2C2 v Quoine Pte Ltd" (2019) Special 35th Anniversary Issue on "FinTech" Banking and Finance Law Review

## **PROFESSIONAL QUALIFICATIONS**

Advocate and Solicitor, Supreme Court of Singapore (August 2016)

## **LAW REVIEW SERVICE**

**Singapore Journal of Legal Studies (2012-2014)**

Student Editor

## **INTERNATIONAL MOOTS**

**D.M. Harish Memorial International Moot Court Competition 2015**

Honours: Best Team  
Best Oralist Overall  
Best Oralist in the Final Rounds

**Herbert Smith Freehills Competition Law Moot 2015**

Honours: Best Team  
Runners-up for Best Oralist

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<sup>5</sup> Designed to identify and educate the top 1% of the academic cohort in Singapore