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ACADEMIC QUALIFICATIONS/EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

ACADEMIC QUALIFICATIONS

- 2016: Certificate on Curriculum & Pedagogy in Higher Education (International Faculty SoTL Leadership Program, University of British Columbia)
- 2001: PhD – Australian National University
Thesis topic: *Reconceptualising Fault in the Criminal Law: A Defence of Reasonable Mistake of Law*
- 1993: LLB (Hons) – ANU

EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

- 2008-present: Professor, Faculty of Law, National University of Singapore (NUS)
- 2019-2020: Professor, Centre for Biomedical Ethics, Yong Loo Lin School of Medicine (NUS) (joint appointment)
- 2004-2008: Associate Professor, Faculty of Law, NUS
- 2001-2003: Assistant Professor, Faculty of Law, NUS
- 2000-2001: Visiting Fellow, Faculty of Law, NUS
- 1995-2003: Lecturer, Faculty of Law, ANU (2001-2003 on leave without pay)
- 1994-1995: Tutor, Faculty of Law ANU
- 1994-1995: Sessional Lecturer, Law Extension Committee, University of Sydney

Internal appointments

- 2024-present: Chair, Faculty of Law Scholarship and Bursaries Committee
- 2024-present: Member, NUS Senate Delegacy
- 2019-present: Member, Provost's Disciplinary Advisory Committee
- 2022-present: Member, Advisory Board, Centre for Pro Bono & Clinical Legal Education

Professional appointments

- 2019-present: Member, Singapore Medical Council Complaints Panel
- 2020: *Amicus Curiae* to the Court of Appeal in the matter of *Abdul Karim bin Mohamed Kuppai Khan v Public Prosecutor CA/CCA 35/2019*
- 2018: *Amicus Curiae* to the Court of Appeal in the matter of *Saravanan Chandaram v Public Prosecutor CA/CCA 46/2017* (The Court accepted my key submissions and overruled its earlier decision, significantly changing the law – judgment delivered on 29 Apr 2020)
- 2012-2014: Senior Director (Research & Policy); Deputy Public Prosecutor, Attorney-General's Chambers, Singapore (developed prosecutorial guidelines and carried out prosecutorial functions)

Consultancies and Expert Opinions

- 2024: Expert opinion on the Court of Appeal's power to review appellate decisions (Public Defender's Office, Singapore)
- 2024: Expert opinion on Singapore's extraterritorial criminal jurisdiction (San Diego Public Defenders)
- 2024: Expert opinion on a pure economic loss claim involving negligent misrepresentation in real estate (Singapore law firm)
- 2023: Expert opinion on a pure economic loss claim involving defective product manufacture (Singapore law firm)
- 2023: Expert witness on Singapore tort law (appearance before a Norwegian court)
- 2021: Expert opinion on a pure economic loss claim involving negligent misrepresentation by a valuer (Singapore law firm)
- 2020-2021: Consultant to the Ministry of Law, Government of Singapore (on the establishment of the Public Defender's Office)
- 2019-2020: Expert Adviser to the Ministry of Health, Government of Singapore (research and advice on medical negligence issues)
- 2018: Expert opinion on a medical negligence claim (Singapore law firm)
- 2009: Expert opinion on potential criminal liability in organ donation
- 2005: Expert opinion on a pure economic loss claim involving force selling of securities (Malaysian law firm)

External Appointments

- 2023-present: Member, Executive Committee, Commonwealth Legal Education Association
- 2023-present: Member, International Editorial Board, *Medical Law International*
- 2021-present: Member, Editorial Advisory Board, *Medical Law Review*
- 2020-present: Convenor, Criminal Law Part A, Singapore Institute of Legal Education
- 2016-present: Member, Teaching Faculty, Centre for Medical Ethics and Professionalism, Singapore Medical Association

- 2016-2022: Member, Singapore Academy of Law Publications Committee
- 2013-2022: Chairman, School Advisory Committee, Henry Park Primary School
- 2014-2019: External Examiner, University Teknologi Malaysia
- 2012-2018: Adjunct Professor, College of Law, Australian National University
- 2007-2007: Member, International Advisory Board, *College of Law, Sultan Qaboos University, Oman*
- 2007-2018: Member, Editorial Advisory Board, *Commonwealth Law Bulletin*, United Kingdom
- 2006-2009: External Examiner for Law of Torts, University of Hong Kong

FELLOWSHIPS, GRANTS AND AWARDS

- USyd-NUS Partnership Collaboration Award – (AUD 20000) jointly awarded with Rita Shackel, University of Sydney for research project *Prosecuting Crime – Contemporary Challenges and Sustainable Solutions in the Asia-Pacific Region* (2020)
- Academic Research Fund, National University of Singapore – (SGD 24655) for research project *Medical Negligence – Rethinking the Paradigm* (2018-2023)
- Centre for Asian Legal Studies Research Grant – (SGD 21801) for research project *Public Prosecution and Criminal Justice* (2015-2018)
- Academic Research Fund, National University of Singapore – (SGD 20503) for research project *Globalization and Economic Crime* (2011-2012)
- Academic Research Fund, National University of Singapore – (SGD 35474) for research project *Law of Torts: A Cross-Disciplinary and Contextual Analysis* (2007-2010)
- Academic Research Fund, National University of Singapore – (SGD 28691) for research project *Tort of Negligence – Principle and Pragmatism* (2005-2006)
- Law Faculty's Nominee for Young Researcher Award 2003-2004
- Salzburg Seminar Freeman Fellowship – (by special invitation to participate in small group discussion at Salzburg Seminar Freeman Symposium on *East Asia – The United States: A Search for Common Values*) (June 2003)
- Writing Fellowship, Asia Research Institute (Jan-Jun 2003)
- Salzburg Seminar Freeman Fellowship – (travel, expenses and USD 5000 fees) to attend the Salzburg Seminar Series on *Law as a Catalyst of Change in Asia* (Dec 2002)
- Academic Research Fund, National University of Singapore – (SGD 28600) to carry out comparative research on *Medical Negligence and Patient's Rights* (2002-2003)
- Graduate School, Australian National University – (AUD 4000) to organise the inaugural National Graduate Law Research Workshop (1997)

TEACHING

Teaching awards

- NUS Annual Teaching Excellence Award (ATEA) & Honour Roll 2023
- NUS Annual Teaching Excellence Award (ATEA) 2023
- NUS Excellent Teacher Award 2006-2007
- NUS Excellent Teacher Award 2003-2004
- NUS List of Excellent Teachers 2002-2003

Course Leadership/Organisation (NUS)

- Convenor, Business Torts
- Convenor, Law of Torts
- Convenor, Criminal Law
- Convenor, Common Law of Obligations
- Convenor, Common Law Legal System of Singapore
- Developed tort modules for Graduate Certificate in Intellectual Property Law course and Graduate Certificate in International Arbitration course

RESEARCH

MAIN RESEARCH AREAS

Criminal law and justice (Public Prosecution, Vulnerable Classes, Multiculturalism)

Torts (General Principles of Negligence, Medical Malpractice, Economic Loss)

PUBLICATIONS

Journal articles

1. "Sustainable and Efficient Criminal Legal Aid: From Individual Right to Collective Interest" [2022] *Criminal Law Review* 621-642
2. "Upending the Medical Duty to Advise: Legislating the Standard of Care in Singapore" [2022] *22 Medical Law International* 189-216
3. "Medical Negligence and Diagnosis: Further Inroads into *Bolam*?" (2020) *71 Northern Ireland Legal Quarterly* 657-667
4. "Judicial Law-making and the Common Law of Negligence" (2020) *27 Tort Law Review* 155-171
5. "Prosecutorial Discretion is a Shield not a Sword" (2020) *68 Criminal Law Quarterly* 201-231
6. "The Public Prosecutor and Sentencing: Drug Trafficking and the Death Penalty in Singapore" (2018) *18 Oxford University Commonwealth Law Journal* 46-72
7. "The Importance of Criminal Law" [2017] *Singapore Journal of Legal Studies* 318-328
8. "The Non-Delegable Duty: Some Clarifications, Some Questions" (2017) *29 Singapore Academy of Law Journal* 500-517
9. "Medical Dispute Resolution, Patient Safety and the Doctor-Patient Relationship" (2017) *58(12) Singapore Medical Journal* 1-4; <https://doi.org/10.11622/smedj.2017073> (Keynote address)
10. "Medical Negligence and Patient Autonomy: *Bolam* Rules in Singapore and Malaysia – Revisited" (2015) *27 Singapore Academy of Law Journal* 666-693
11. "Criminal Justice and Diversionary Programmes in Singapore" (2013) *24 Criminal Law Forum* 527-559
12. "Occupier's Liability and Negligence – Of Gordian Knots and Apron Strings" (2013) *25 Singapore Academy of Law Journal* 582-596
13. "Prosecutorial Discretion and Prosecution Guidelines" [2013] *Singapore Journal of Legal Studies* 50-75

14. "Clarifying Common Intention and Interpreting Section 34: Should There be a Threshold of Blameworthiness for the Death Penalty?" [2008] *Singapore Journal of Legal Studies* 435-445
15. "Lord Atkin and the Philosopher's Stone: The Search for a Universal Test for Duty" [2007] *Singapore Journal of Legal Studies* 350-360
16. "Free Speech and Religious Sensitivity" (2007) 29 *Media, Culture and Society* 509-516
17. "Pure Economic Loss in a Commercial Context: Perspectives from Singapore" (2006) 14 *Torts Law Journal* 1-9
18. "Women's Rights, International Norms and Domestic Violence: Asian Perspectives" (2005) 27 *Human Rights Quarterly* 683-708
19. "The 'Sunrise Crane' – Shedding New Light or Casting Old Shadows on Duty of Care" [2004] *Singapore Journal of Legal Studies* 551-562
20. "Negotiating Law, Culture and Justice" [2004] *Australian Review of Public Affairs* 2 July (<http://www.australianreview.net/digest/2004/07/amirthalingam.html>)
21. "Caldwell Recklessness is Dead, Long Live Mens Rea's Fecklessness" (2004) 67 *Modern Law Review* 491-500
22. "Judging Doctors and Diagnosing the Law: *Bolam* Rules in Singapore and Malaysia" [2003] *Singapore Journal of Legal Studies* 125-146
23. "Anglo-Australian Law of Medical Negligence: Towards Convergence?" (2003) 11 *Torts Law Journal* 117-135
24. "The Shifting Sands of Negligence: Reasonable Reliance to Legitimate Expectation?" (2003) 3 *Oxford University Commonwealth Law Journal* 81-104
25. "Negligence and Public Authorities: A Pearl in the Oyster or another Greek Tragedy?" (2003) 11 *Torts Law Journal* 197-207
26. "Ignorance of Law, Criminal Culpability and Moral Innocence: Striking A Balance Between Blame and Excuse" [2002] *Singapore Journal of Legal Studies* 302-327
27. "Patching Up Proximity: Problems with the Judicial Creation of a New Medical Duty to Rescue" (1997) 5 *Torts Law Journal* 27-44 [co-authored with Dr Thomas Faunce]
28. "Liability in Negligence for Purely Economic Loss Caused by Defective Buildings: Recent Decisions from the United Kingdom, New Zealand, Canada and Australia" [1996] 3 *Malayan Law Journal* i
29. "Cultural Blindness and the Criminal Law" (1996) 21 *Alternative Law Journal* 58 [co-authored with Simon Bronitt]
30. "Distinguishing Between Ignorance and Mistake in Defence of the *De Blom* Principle" (1995) 2 *South African Journal of Criminal Justice* 12-20
31. "Mens Rea and Mistake of Law in Criminal Cases: A Lesson from South Africa" (1995) 18 *University of New South Wales Law Journal* 428-442

32. "Strict Liability Restricted: A Critical Commentary on *Burnie Port Authority v General Jones Pty Ltd* (1994) 120 ALR 42" (1994) 13 *University of Tasmania Law Review* 416-428
33. "Mistake of Law: A Criminal Offence or a Reasonable Defence?" (1994) 18 *Criminal Law Journal* 271-283

Case notes

34. "Police Disciplinary Proceedings" [2024] *Criminal Law Review* 65-70
35. "Medical Duty to Advise, Patient Autonomy, and Reasonable Alternatives" (2024) 140 *Law Quarterly Review* 11-17
36. "Clinical Negligence and Psychiatric Injury" (2022) 138 *Law Quarterly Review* 370-375
37. "Public Prosecutors and the Tort of Misfeasance" (2021) 137 *Law Quarterly Review* 553-558
38. "The *Bolam* Standard and Surgical Negligence" (2021) 37 *Journal of Professional Negligence* 137-141
39. "IVF Baby and Upbringing Costs – A Claim for Wrongful Parenthood" (2019) 35 *Journal of Professional Negligence* 112-115
40. "Reproductive Negligence: Unwanted Child or Unwanted Parenthood?" (2018) 134 *Law Quarterly Review* 15-20
41. "Occupiers' Liability in England: Time for Some Housecleaning?" (2017) 33 *Journal of Professional Negligence* 46-50
42. "The Common Law and Occupiers' Liability" (2014) 130 *Law Quarterly Review* 211-214
43. "Private Prosecutions and the Public Prosecutor's Discretion" (2013) 129 *Law Quarterly Review* 325-328
44. "Causation and the Medical Duty to Refer" (2012) 128 *Law Quarterly Review* 208-212
45. "Causation, Risk and Damage" (2010) 126 *Law Quarterly Review* 162-166
46. "Refining the Duty of Care in Singapore" (2008) 124 *Law Quarterly Review* 42-45
47. "Common Purpose and Homicide" (2007) 123 *Law Quarterly Review* 369-373
48. "Causation and the Gist of Negligence" (2005) 64 *Cambridge Law Journal* 32-35
49. "Rylands Lives" (2004) 63 *Cambridge Law Journal* 273-276
50. "Animal Liability – Equine, Canine and Asinine" (2003) 119 *Law Quarterly Review* 563-567

51. "Loss of Chance – Lost Cause or Remote Possibility?" (2003) 62 *Cambridge Law Journal* 253
52. "Medical Non-Disclosure, Causation and Autonomy" (2002) 118 *Law Quarterly Review* 540-544
53. "Duty?: It's Just Not Cricket" (2002) 10 *Tort Law Review* 163-167
54. "A New Dawn for Patient's Rights?" (2001) 117 *Law Quarterly Review* 532-536

Book Chapters

55. "Medical Negligence and the Duty to Advise – A Singapore Story" in J Miola & L Austin (eds), *Research Handbook on Consent* (Cheltenham: Edward Elgar Publishing, 2024) (forthcoming)
56. "Criminal Law and Criminal Justice in Singapore" in V Mitsilegas, P Caerio & S Gless (eds), *Elgar Encyclopedia of Crime and Criminal Justice* (Elgar Online, 2023, <https://doi.org/10.4337/9781789902990.singapore>) (print copy forthcoming 2024)
57. "Tort Law" (with G Chan & H Lim) in S Chesterman, Y Goh & A Phang, (eds) *Law and Technology in Singapore* (Singapore: Academy Publishing, 2021) 269-289
58. "Negligence and the Limits of Responsibility" *Singapore Academy of Law Conference 2011* (Academy Publishing, 2011) 334
59. "Mistake and Strict Liability" in WC Chan, B Wright and S Yeo (eds), *Codification, Macaulay and the Indian Penal Code: The Legacies and Modern Challenges of Criminal Law Reform* (Ashgate, 2011) 109
60. "Culture, Crime and Culpability: Perspectives on the Defence of Provocation" in MC Foblets & AD Renteln, *Multicultural Jurisprudence: Comparative Perspectives on the Cultural Defense* (Portland: Hart Publishing, 2009) 35-60
61. "Criminal Law and Private Spaces: The Regulation of Homosexual Acts in Singapore" in S Bronitt, B McSherry & A Norrie (eds), *Regulating Deviance: The Redirection of Criminalisation and the Futures of Criminal Law* (Oxford: Hart Publishing, 2009) 185
62. "The Changing Face of the Gist of Negligence" in J Neyers, S Pitel & E Chamberlain (eds) *Emerging Issues in Tort Law* (Oxford: Hart Publishing, 2007) 467-486
63. "Medical Negligence Law: What Options for Singapore and Malaysia?" in Alan Tan Khee Jin & Azmi Sharom (eds), *Developments in Singapore and Malaysian Law, National University of Singapore - University of Malaya Centennial Law Symposia Papers* (Singapore: Marshall Cavendish Academic, 2007) 269-289
64. "Negligence" (Chapter update and revision) *Australian Law CourseWare: Torts* (2000 ed, CD ROM publication)

Annual review of cases

65. "Tort Law" in [\(2023\) 23 Singapore Academy of Law Annual Review of Singapore Cases 2023](#) (Singapore: Academy Publishing, 2024) e-First 25 May 2023 [co-authored with Gary Chan]
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67. "Tort Law" in [\(2022\) 22 Singapore Academy of Law Annual Review of Singapore Cases 2022](#) (Singapore: Academy Publishing, 2023) e-First 25 May 2023 [co-authored with Gary Chan]
68. "Tort Law" in [\(2021\) 22 Singapore Academy of Law Annual Review of Singapore Cases 2021](#) (Singapore: Academy Publishing, 2022) 771-795 [co-authored with Gary Chan]
69. "Tort Law" in (2020) 21 Singapore Academy of Law Annual Review of Singapore Cases 2020 (Singapore: Academy Publishing, 2021) 824-850 [co-authored with Gary Chan]
70. "Tort Law" in (2019) 20 Singapore Academy of Law Annual Review of Singapore Cases 2019 (Singapore: Academy Publishing, 2020) 706-736 [co-authored with Gary Chan]
71. "Tort Law" in (2018) 19 Singapore Academy of Law Annual Review of Singapore Cases 2018 (Singapore: Academy Publishing, 2019) 756-795 [co-authored with Gary Chan]
72. "Tort Law" in (2017) 18 Singapore Academy of Law Annual Review of Singapore Cases 2017 (Singapore: Academy Publishing, 2018) 698-754 [co-authored with Gary Chan]
73. "Tort Law" in (2016) 17 Singapore Academy of Law Annual Review of Singapore Cases 2016 (Singapore: Academy Publishing, 2017) 656-708 [co-authored with Gary Chan]
74. "Tort Law" in (2015) 16 Singapore Academy of Law Annual Review of Singapore Cases 2015 (Singapore: Academy Publishing, 2016) 632-672 [co-authored with Gary Chan]
75. "Tort Law" in (2014) 15 Singapore Academy of Law Annual Review of Singapore Cases 2014 (Singapore: Academy Publishing, 2015) 502-533 [co-authored with Gary Chan]
76. "Tort Law" in (2013) 14 Singapore Academy of Law Annual Review of Singapore Cases 2013 (Singapore: Academy Publishing, 2014) 507-550 [co-authored with Gary Chan]
77. "Tort Law" in (2012) 13 Singapore Academy of Law Annual Review of Singapore Cases 2012 (Singapore: Academy Publishing, 2013) 432-475 [co-authored with Gary Chan]

78. "Tort Law" in (2011) 12 Singapore Academy of Law Annual Review of Singapore Cases 2011 (Singapore: Academy Publishing, 2012) 436-468 [co-authored with Gary Chan]
79. "Tort Law" in (2010) 11 Singapore Academy of Law Annual Review of Singapore Cases 2010 (Singapore: Academy Publishing, 2011) 557-589 [co-authored with Gary Chan]
80. "Tort Law" in (2009) 10 Singapore Academy of Law Annual Review of Singapore Cases 2009 (Singapore: Singapore Academy of Law, 2010) 469-512 [co-authored with Gene Kwek]
81. "Tort Law" in (2008) 9 Singapore Academy of Law Annual Review of Singapore Cases 2008 (Singapore: Singapore Academy of Law, 2009) 482-521 [co-authored with Gene Kwek]
82. "Tort Law" in (2007) 8 Singapore Academy of Law Annual Review of Singapore Cases 2007 (Singapore: Singapore Academy of Law, 2008) 482-521 [co-authored with Gene Kwek]
83. "Tort Law" in (2006) 7 Singapore Academy of Law Annual Review of Singapore Cases 2006 (Singapore: Singapore Academy of Law, 2007) 421-442 [co-authored with Gene Kwek]
84. "Tort Law" in (2005) 6 Singapore Academy of Law Annual Review of Singapore Cases 2005 (Singapore: Singapore Academy of Law, 2006) 485 [co-authored with Gene Kwek]

Book Reviews

85. *Beyond Prison: Alternative Sentencing in Singapore* (Academy Publishing, 2021) by Senthilkumaran Sabapathy – (2022) 34 Singapore Academy of Law Journal 721-723
86. *Sentencing Principles in Singapore* (Singapore: Academy Publishing, 2019) by Kow Keng Siong – (2020) 32 Singapore Academy of Law Journal 324-325
87. *Tort Law Defences* (Oxford: Hart Publishing, 2013) by James Goudkamp – [2015] Singapore Journal of Legal Studies 443
88. *Clinical Negligence: A Practical Guide* (UK: Bloomsbury Professional Ltd, 7th ed 2012) by Charles Lewis & Andrew Buchan – (2013) 39 Commonwealth Law Bulletin 614
89. *Confiscation Law Handbook* (UK: Bloomsbury Professional Ltd, 2011) by Ruth Barber & Adrian Eissa – (2012) 38 *Commonwealth Law Bulletin* (forthcoming)
90. *Criminal Defences in Malaysia and Singapore* (Malaysia: LexisNexis Malayan Law Journal, 2005) by Stanley Yeo – [2005] *Singapore Journal of Legal Studies* 471
91. *Essentials of Medical Law* (Singapore: Sweet & Maxwell Asia, 2004) by KQ Yeo et al – [2005] *Singapore Journal of Legal Studies* 473
92. *Medical Negligence* (London: Sweet & Maxwell, 2nd ed, 1996) by Michael Jones – (1998) 6 *Torts Law Journal* 98

93. *The Rule of Law in A Penal Colony : Law and Power in Early New South Wales* (Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 1991) by David Neal – (1995) 1 *Australian Journal of Legal History* 129

Other publications (working papers, reports, op-eds)

94. "The Duty to Inform and the Doctor's Dilemma" (2020) 35 *Medicine* (<https://medicine.nus.edu.sg/newsletters/issue35/ethically-speaking/the-duty-to-inform-and-the-doctors-dilemma/>)

95. "Are Complaints Against Doctors Destroying the Doctor-Patient Relationship?" *Channel News Asia*, 28 February 2019 (<https://www.channelnewsasia.com/news/commentary/commentary-are-complaints-against-doctors-destroying-the-doctor-11292942>)

96. "Understanding *Bolam*, *Montgomery* and *Hii Chii Kok*" *SMC News*, December 2018, Issue 11, 17-18

97. "How Should We Regulate Doctors and Protect Patients in a Complex World?" *Channel News Asia*, 7 August 2017 (<http://www.channelnewsasia.com/news/commentary/commentary-how-should-we-regulate-doctors-and-protect-patients-9096958>)

98. "Prosecutorial Discretion and Sentencing in Singapore" NUS Law Working Paper No 2016/010 (https://papers.ssrn.com/sol3/papers.cfm?abstract_id=2874661)

99. "Balancing Evidence and Rhetoric in Law Reform" *The Straits Times*, 5 December 2007

➤ reprinted in (2008) 4 *Pro Bono* 7 (Newsletter of the Association of Criminal Lawyers Singapore)

100. "Comment on the Penal Code Reform Proposals Affecting Sections 377 and 377A" (paper written at the request of the Penal Code Ad-hoc Committee of the Law Society of Singapore, 31 January 2007)

101. "Protection of Victims, particularly Women and Children, Against Domestic Violence, Sexual Offences and Human Trafficking" *ASEAN Law Association's 9th General Assembly – Challenge of Globalization to Legal Services* (Thailand: 2006) 553

102. "Pure Economic Loss in a Commercial Context: Perspectives from Singapore" (2006) 107 *Australian Construction Law Newsletter* 6 (reprinted with permission).

103. "A Feminist Critique of Domestic Violence Laws in Singapore and Malaysia" *ARI Working Paper* No 6 (July 2003) [<http://www.ari.nus.edu.sg/pub1.htm>]

104. "Cross Cultural Issues in Teaching and Learning Law" *Commonwealth Legal Education Association Conference Proceedings*, (Jamaica: 1999)

105. "When Drunkenness Means Disorderly Law" *The Australian*, 28 October 1997

CONFERENCE PAPERS

1. "Legal Education in a Borderless World – Balancing Academic and Professional Goals" CLEA-Commonwealth Attorneys and Solicitors General Conference 2024, New Delhi, INDIA (2-5 February 2024)
2. "Medical Negligence: The Paradox of Patient Autonomy and Informed Consent" 15th World Conference on Bioethics, Medical Ethics, and Health Law, PORTUGAL (16-19 October 2023)
3. "Respect for Patient Autonomy: Consent, Information, and Advice" UMMC Clinical Ethics Workshop, MALAYSIA (25-26 September 2023)
4. "Medico-legal Outlook for 2023: Singapore" Medico-legal Outlook for 2023: The Malaysia & Singapore Perspectives, After Hours with RDL, MALAYSIA (24 February 2023)
5. "Artificial Intelligence and Legal Liability in Tort" Raja, Darryl & Loh Digital Healthcare Law Conference, MALAYSIA (12 November 2022)
6. "Lessons From Legislative Reform of Medical Negligence and Medical Complaints" MLSS-MLSM Joint Seminar, MALAYSIA (20-21 August 2022)
7. "Legal and Ethical Implications of AI in Radiology" SGCR Wires 2022 Augmented Reality, SINGAPORE (12-24 August 2022)
8. "The New Singapore Informed Consent Law: Section 37 Civil Law Act" Medico-Legal Society of Singapore Webinar, SINGAPORE (Plenary Speaker and Panellist, 1 October 2021)
9. "Roundtable on the New Medical Duty to Inform Law" Centre for Biomedical Ethics and Faculty of Law, SINGAPORE (Presenter and Panel Chair, 30 September 2021)
10. "Informed Consent and Communication of Patient Data" Professor Chao Tzee Cheng Visiting Professorship Program 2019, Academia Auditorium Singhealth, SINGAPORE (5 – 7 December 2019)
11. "How Much Information is Enough?" CENTRES's 9th International Clinical Ethics Conference, National University of Singapore, SINGAPORE (30 Sep – 1 Oct 2019)
12. "Recent Developments in Medical Negligence in Singapore" 2nd FPMPAM Malaysian Healthcare Conference, Kuala Lumpur, MALAYSIA (31 Aug – 1 Sep 2019)
13. "Autonomy in Medical Torts: Physical or Mental Harm?" 36th International Congress on Law and Mental Health, University of International Studies of Rome, Rome, ITALY (21-26 July 2019)
14. "Theorizing About Patient Autonomy: An Ivory Tower in Medical Negligence" 16th ASLI Conference, National University of Singapore, SINGAPORE (11-12 June 2019)

15. “*Bolam* Balkanized: Rethinking the Standard of Care in Medical Negligence” SLS Conference 2018, University of Queen Mary London, London, UNITED KINGDOM (4-7 September 2018)
16. “Judicial Law-making, the Tort of Negligence and the Dynamics of Form and Substance” Obligations IX Conference, Melbourne University, Melbourne, AUSTRALIA (17-20 July 2018)
17. “The Future of Public Prosecution and the Rule of Law: Insights from Singapore” 15th ASLI Conference, Seoul National University, Seoul, SOUTH KOREA (10-11 May 2018)
18. “Medical Disputes and Patient Safety: From the Patient’s Anatomy to the Patient’s Autonomy” Medicolegal Society of Singapore Annual Seminar 2016, Raffles City Convention Centre, SINGAPORE (**Keynote Address**, 22-23 October 2016)
19. “Teaching and Learning in an Age of Dynamic Change” Home Team Learning Festival 2016, Home Team Academy, SINGAPORE (**Keynote Paper**, 30-31 August 2016)
20. “Prosecutorial Discretion, Sentencing and the Separation of Powers in Singapore” *The Evolving Role of the Prosecutor, Domestically and Internationally*, International Institute for the Sociology of Law, Oñati, (July 2016, SPAIN)
21. “Legislating the Common Law: The Legacy of the *Spandeck Engineering Case*” HKU-NUS-SMU Symposium, Faculty of Law, Hong Kong University (22-23 February 2016)
22. “Prosecutorial Discretion and the Discretionary Death Penalty” 12th ASLI Conference, National Taiwan University, Taipei (May 2015, TAIWAN)
23. “The Role of Legal Education in ASEAN Integration” ASEAN Law Association 12th General Assembly, Manila (February 2015, PHILIPPINES)
24. “Restorative Criminal Justice in Singapore: A Velvet Fist in an Iron Glove?” *Beyond Crime: Pathways to Desistance, Social Justice and Peacebuilding*, 8th International Conference of the European Forum for Restorative Justice, Belfast (July 2014, UNITED KINGDOM)
25. “Transplanting the Rule of Law: Public Prosecution and Legal Education” 11th ASLI Conference, University Malaya, Kuala Lumpur (May 2014, MALAYSIA)
26. “Overview of Legislation Governing Healthcare Professionals in Singapore” 38th Medico-Legal Workshop and Seminar, (October 2013, SINGAPORE)
27. “Prosecutors and the Rule of Law: The Role of Legal Education and Training” *International Association of Prosecutors 18th Annual Conference 2013* (September 2013, RUSSIA)
28. “Negligence – Once More Unto the Breach” SAL Law Week 2013, Supreme Court (July 2013, SINGAPORE)

29. "Sexual Violence Against Women – The Crisis in Delhi" *Gender Violence – Intersectionalities*, *International Institute for the Sociology of Law*, Oñati, (July 2013, SPAIN)
30. "Combating Human Trafficking in ASEAN: National and Regional Strategies" *9th ASLI Conference*, National University of Singapore (May 2012, SINGAPORE)
31. "A Globalized Legal Education – Why and How" *International Association of Law Schools Conference on Teaching, Legal Education and Strategic Planning*, University of Buenos Aires (April 2011, ARGENTINA)
32. "Negligence and the Limits of Responsibility" *Singapore Academy of Law Conference 2011* (February, 2011, SINGAPORE)
33. "Causation and Medical Malpractice" *The 3rd Biennial HKU-NUS-SMU Law Symposium*, Hong Kong University (November 2010)
34. "Criminalizing Domestic Violence: Negotiating Conflicting Norms, Values and Interests" *Domestic Violence in Asia: The Ambiguity of Family as Private-Public Domain*, Asia Research Institute (Keynote Address, October 2010, SINGAPORE)
35. "Mistake in the Indian Penal Code: Conceptualisation and Reform" *Conference on A Model Indian Code Adhering to the Philosophy of Macaulay*, National University of Singapore (June 2010, SINGAPORE)
36. "Globalisation of Legal Education in Singapore" *International Programmes for Educating Global Lawyer*, Ryukyu University, Okinawa (Invited paper, March 2010, JAPAN)
37. "Legal Education in Singapore" *Conference on Legal Education in Asia: JD in Focus*, Hong Kong University (Invited paper, February 2010, HONG KONG)
38. "Donoghue to Spandeck – 75 Years of the Duty of Care" *HKU-NUS-SMU Symposium – The Common Law Tradition in Asia* (December 2008, SINGAPORE)
39. "Criminal Law and Private Spaces: The Regulation of Homosexual Acts in Singapore" *International Institute for the Sociology of Law, Oñati* (Invited paper, June 2007, SPAIN)
40. "Duty of Care in the Tort of Negligence: Singapore's Contribution to the Common Law" *HKU-NUS Law Symposium*, Hong Kong University (December 2006, HONG KONG)
41. "Law and Politics of Cultural Conflicts: Pragmatism v Principle" *Dialogue Across Difference: Governance in a Multicultural Era*, *Research School of Social Sciences, Australian National University* (Invited paper, December 2006, AUSTRALIA)
42. "Protection of Victims, particularly Women and Children, Against Domestic Violence, Sexual Offences and Human Trafficking" *ASEAN Law Association's 9th General Assembly* (Invited paper, November 2006, THAILAND)
43. "Medical Negligence and Obstetrics: The Scope of Liability" *32nd Medico-Legal Society Annual Seminar* (Invited paper, October 2006, SINGAPORE)

44. "The Changing Face of the Gist of Negligence" *Emerging Issues in Tort Law: A Conference*, University of Western Ontario, CANADA (June 2006)
45. "Globalisation and Multiculturalism: How Should Legal Systems Respond?" *Framing Co-Existence in the 21st Century*, National Museum of Denmark, Copenhagen, DENMARK (Invited paper, April 2006)
46. "Asian and Australian Perspectives on the 'Cultural Defence'" *Multicultural Jurisprudence: Comparative Perspectives on the Cultural Defence*, International Institute for the Sociology of Law, Oñati, SPAIN (Invited paper, June 2005)
47. "Medical Negligence Law: What Options for Singapore and Malaysia?" *The National University of Singapore (NUS) – University of Malaya (UM) Centennial Law Symposia*, SINGAPORE (April 2005)
48. "Economic Loss: Singaporean and Australian Perspectives" *Changing Paradigms of Tort Law: Trends and Reform*, MALAYSIA (Invited paper, March 2004)
49. "The Traditional Chinese Medicine Practitioner and the Law" *Third International Convention of Asia Scholars*, SINGAPORE (August 2003))
50. "Cultural Perspectives on the Rule of Law: A View from Southeast Asia" *Salzburg Seminar Freeman Symposium on East Asia- The United States – A Search for Common Values*, Salzburg, AUSTRIA (Invited paper, June 2003)
51. "Appreciating the Rule of Law in a Human Rights Context" *Salzburg Seminar Series Session 405, Law as a Catalyst of Change* (Human Rights Working Group paper), Salzburg, AUSTRIA (December 2002)
52. "Medical Negligence and Patient Autonomy: Rights, Capacity and Choice" *27th International Congress on Law and Mental Health, Amsterdam*, NETHERLANDS (July 2002)
53. "Cross Cultural Issues in Teaching and Learning Law" *Commonwealth Legal Education Association Conference*, JAMAICA (December 1998)

PUBLIC LECTURES AND SEMINARS

54. "Standard of care: Diagnosis, Treatment, Advice, Consent, and Surgery" Australian Centre for Health, Law and Ethics, Queensland, AUSTRALIA (18 September 2023)
55. "Prosecutorial Discretion and the Rule of Law" Staff Seminar, Law School, Singapore Management University, SINGAPORE (March 2019)
56. "The Singapore Legal System" and "Understanding Duty of Care and Negligence" Basic Health Law Course, Singapore Medical Association, SINGAPORE (March 2019)
57. "Understanding *Bolam*, *Montgomery* and *Hii Chii Kok*" Singhealth Emergency Residents Seminar, Academia, Singapore General Hospital, SINGAPORE (January 2019)
58. "Medical Negligence, Institutional Liability, Patient Safety and Dispute Resolution" Attorney-General's Chambers Academy, SINGAPORE (28 November 2017)

59. "The Evolving Role of the Public Prosecutor" KoGuan Law School, Shanghai Jiao Tong University, CHINA (13 October 2017)
60. "Failure to Inform / advise – The Law on Informed Consent" Singapore Medical Association Basic Health Law Course, Academia, SINGAPORE (9 September 2017)
61. "Tort Liability and Clinical Laboratory Negligence" NUH Department of Laboratory Medicine, SINGAPORE (26 July 2017)
62. "Medical Malpractice – The Rise of Patient Autonomy" NUH Grand Round, SINGAPORE (26 May 2017)
63. "Harassment, Nuisance and (Un)neighbourly Disputes – A New Neighbour Principle? Recent Statutory Reforms in Singapore" Centre for Comparative and Public Law, Law Faculty, Hong Kong University (4 October 2016)
64. "Singapore's New Anti-Trafficking Law: Are We Doing Enough to Fight Trafficking in Persons" Law Faculty, National University of Singapore (Panellist, January 2015)
65. "Common Intention and Murder in Singapore" Faculty of Law, Australian National University, AUSTRALIA (April 2012)
66. "Common Law Causation in Torts" Dirieto GV, Sao Paulo (April 2011, BRAZIL)
67. "Causal Responsibility in Complex Causal Scenarios" *Research Seminar Series*, Faculty of Law, National University of Singapore, SINGAPORE (November 2010)
68. "The Tort of Negligence: A Comparative Analysis" *Indian Law Institute*, New Delhi, INDIA (March 2009)
69. "Criminal Law Reform and the s377 Debate" *Centre for the Study of Law and Governance, Jawaharlal Nehru University*, New Delhi, INDIA (March 2009)
70. "Policing Sexual Morality: Dial 377 for a Crisis" *Faculty of Law, National University of Singapore*, SINGAPORE (November 2007)
71. "Towards Harmony Amidst Cultural Diversity: Rethinking Norms and Public Responsibility" *Roskilde University*, DENMARK (April 2006)
72. "Medical Negligence: A Common Law Revolution" *New Developments in Medical Negligence: The Law, the Medicine and the Expert*, SINGAPORE (February 2004)
73. "Domestic Violence: Legal Perspectives" *Asia Research Institute Seminar Series, National University of Singapore*, SINGAPORE (April 2003))
74. "Global Healthcare and Medical Malpractice: Common Crisis or Common Law Crisis?" *Law School, Uppsala University*, SWEDEN, (March 2003)
75. "The High Court of Australia on Medical Negligence" *Centre of Medical Law and Ethics, King's College London*, UNITED KINGDOM (May 2002)

76. "Rights versus Duties: Irreconcilability in the Tort of Negligence" *Institute of Law and Ethics in Medicine, Law School, Glasgow University, UNITED KINGDOM* (May 2002)
77. "Medical Negligence – *Bolam, Bolitho* and Beyond: Quis Custodiet Ipsos Custodies?" *Faculty of Law, National University of Singapore, SINGAPORE* (February 2002)
78. "Medical Negligence and Disclosure of Risks: A Doctor's Duty or a Patient's Right?" *Faculty of Law, Hong Kong University, HONG KONG* (May 2001)
79. "In the Name of the Father: A New Malay Dilemma - The Legal and Political Background to the Anwar Ibrahim Trial" *Faculty of Law, Australian National University, AUSTRALIA* (March 1999)
80. "Cultural Blindness" and the Criminal Law: The Defence of Provocation and the Relevance of Ignorance of Law" *Student Law and Society Colloquium, University of British Columbia, CANADA* (March 1996)
81. "Criminal Culpability: Mens Rea and Knowledge of Unlawfulness" *School of Graduate Studies Postgraduate Research in Progress Law Conference & Dean's Lecture, University of Melbourne, AUSTRALIA* (September 1995)
82. "Duty of Care in The Nineties: A Judicial Prerogative?" *Faculty of Law, Australian National University, AUSTRALIA* (June 1995)
83. "Mistake Of Law - A Comparative Study" and "Multiculturalism And The Law" *Faculty of Law, University Kebangsaan Malaysia, MALAYSIA* (Jan 1995)
84. "Studying Abroad - A Comparative Approach To Legal Education" *Final Year Law Students, University Kebangsaan Malaysia, MALAYSIA* (Jan 1995)
85. "Aspects of Mistake in the Criminal Law" *Faculty of Law, Australian National University, AUSTRALIA* (Nov 1993)

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT SEMINARS

86. "Tort Law" Law Society Continuing Professional Development, Singapore Management University, SINGAPORE (1 November 2019)
87. "Medical Negligence – Civil Liability and Disciplinary Sanctions" NUS Law Continuing Legal Education Seminar, Law Faculty, NUS, SINGAPORE (October 2019)
88. "Introduction to Medical Negligence Law" Training Programme for Medical Assessors, Supreme Court Auditorium, SINGAPORE (April 2019)
89. "Medical Malpractice and Economic Loss: New Frontiers in the Tort of Negligence" Law Society CPD Day 2018, Fairmont Hotel, SINGAPORE (31 October 2018)
90. "Vicarious Liability, Non-Delegable Duties and Independent Contractors" Law Society CPD Day 2017, Hoyden Hall, SINGAPORE (31 October 2017)
91. "Medical Negligence Update: Recent Landmark Decisions in Singapore" Continuing Professional Development Seminar, SINGAPORE (13 July 2017)

92. "Tort Law 2016" Law Society CPD Day 2016, Suntec City Convention Centre, SINGAPORE (1 November 2016)
93. "Medical Negligence: Recent Developments and Future Directions" Continuing Professional Development, Bar Council Malaysia, MALAYSIA (9 August 2016)
94. "Tort Law: Vicarious Liability and Non-Delegable Duties" Continuing Professional Development Seminar, SINGAPORE (July 2016)
95. "Common Intention and Abetment" Crime Cluster, Attorney-General's Chambers, SINGAPORE (August 2015)
96. "Medical Negligence – Standard and Causation" Continuing Professional Development Seminar, SINGAPORE (July 2015)
97. "Public Prosecutor and the Charging Decision" Crime Cluster, Attorney-General's Chambers, SINGAPORE (July 2014)
98. "Developing Prosecution Guidelines" Crime Cluster, Attorney-General's Chambers, SINGAPORE (August 2013)
99. "Understanding Prosecutorial Discretion" Crime Cluster, Attorney-General's Chambers, SINGAPORE (August 2013)
100. "Analyzing *See Toh Siew Kee*" Civil Division, Attorney-General's Chambers, SINGAPORE (August 2013)
101. "Liability of Government for the Negligence of its Independent Contractors" Civil Division, Attorney-General's Chambers, SINGAPORE (January 2013)
102. "Causation and Damage in Tort" *Continuing Professional Development Seminar*, SINGAPORE (July 2012)
103. "Understanding the Duty of Care in the Tort of Negligence" *Continuing Professional Development Seminar*, SINGAPORE (May 2012)
104. "Law of Torts" *Singapore International Arbitration Centre*, SINGAPORE (October 2004)
105. "Duty of Care and Economic Loss in Negligence" *Rajah and Tann Advocates and Solicitors Seminar*, SINGAPORE (September 2004)
106. "Comment on *Man B&W Diesel S E Asia Pte and Another v PT Bumi International Tankers and Another Appeal* [2004] SGCA 8" *Singapore Academy of Law Roundtable Series*, SINGAPORE (August 2004)
107. "Vicarious Liability and Non-delegable Duties" *Law Society of Singapore's Update and Developments in Tort 2004*, SINGAPORE (August 2004)

MEDIA INTERVIEWS AND MENTIONS

Press

- Cited in KC Vijayan, "Law Experts Set Out Two Options in Former CJ Chan Sek Keong's s377A Analysis" *Straits Times*, 19 October 2019 (<https://www.straitstimes.com/singapore/law-experts-set-out-two-options-in-former-cjs-analysis-of-377a>)
- Cited in Tan Tam Mei, "UK Court Clears Way for StanChart Robbery Suspect's Extradition" 30 August 2018 (<https://www.straitstimes.com/singapore/uk-court-clears-way-for-stanchart-robbery-suspects-extradition>)
- Cited in Yuen Sin, "When a 13-year old Works in Your House as Maid" *Straits Times* 5 July 2018 (<https://www.straitstimes.com/opinion/when-a-13-year-old-works-in-your-home-as-a-maid>)
- Cited in Tan Tam Mei, "Singapore Agrees Not to Cane StanChart Robbery Suspect in Exchange for Getting Him Extradited Here" *Straits Times*, 20 February 2018 (<http://www.straitstimes.com/singapore/singapore-agrees-not-to-cane-stanchart-robbery-suspect-in-exchange-for-getting-him>)
- Cited in KC Vijayan, "Value in Guides for Sentencing" *Straits Times*, 5 February 2018 (<http://www.straitstimes.com/singapore/courts-crime/value-in-guides-for-sentencing>)
- Cited in KC Vijayan, "Law Adopted from 1860 Indian Penal Code" *Straits Times* 30 December 2017 (<http://www.straitstimes.com/singapore/law-adopted-from-1860-indian-penal-code>)
- Cited in Tan Tam Mei, "Singapore Disputes US Human Trafficking Report" *Straits Times*, 30 July 2017 (<http://www.straitstimes.com/singapore/courts-crime/singapore-disputes-us-human-trafficking-report>)
- Cited in Ng Huiwen, "Proposal to Regulate Psychiatric Evidence Raises Concerns" *Straits Times*, 30 July 2017 (<http://www.straitstimes.com/singapore/proposal-to-regulate-psychiatric-expert-evidence-raises-concern>)
- Cited in Siau Ming En, "Proposed Psychiatric Panel must be Large Enough for Smoother Defence: Lawyers" *Today Online*, 28 July 2017 (<http://www.todayonline.com/singapore/proposed-psychiatric-panel-must-be-large-enough-smoother-defence-lawyers>)
- Cited in Kelly Ng, "Legal Fraternity Hails Proposed Changes to Criminal Laws" *Today Online*, 25 July 2017 (<http://www.todayonline.com/singapore/legal-fraternity-hails-proposed-changes-criminal-laws>)
- "Cited in Hariz Baharudin, "Changes to Criminal Justice Process Will Deliver Objective and Reliable Evidence" *The New Paper*, 25 July 2017 (<http://www.tnp.sg/news/singapore/changes-will-deliver-objective-and-reliable-evidence>)

- Cited in Tan Tam Mei & Ng Huiyen, “Proposed Legal Changes a Step Forward, but There is Room for Improvement, Say Lawyers, Academics and Advocacy Groups” *The Straits Times*, 24 July 2017 (<http://www.straitstimes.com/singapore/proposed-changes-a-step-forward-but-there-is-room-for-improvement-lawyers-academics-and>)
- Cited in Linette Lai, “Legal Test on Doctors’ Negligence: MOH, AGC Studying Impact” *Straits Times*, 20 May 2017 (<http://www.straitstimes.com/singapore/health/legal-test-on-doctors-negligence-moh-agc-studying-impact>)
- Cited in KC Vijayan, “New Loss for Loss of Genetic Affinity a Gain for IVF Law” *Straits Times*, 11 April 2017 (<http://www.straitstimes.com/opinion/new-award-for-loss-of-genetic-affinity-a-gain-for-ivf-law>)
- Cited in J Hollingsworth, “Why abuse of police in other countries carries harsher consequences than in Hong Kong” *South China Morning Post*, 14 March 2017 (<http://www.scmp.com/news/hong-kong/law-crime/article/2078503/why-abuse-police-other-countries-carries-harsher>)

Television

- Interview on Vulnerable Victims and Penal Code Reform in ChannelNewsAsia, Channel 5 News, 11 February 2019
- Interview on amendments to the Criminal Procedure Code in Channel NewsAsia “Singapore Tonight”, *Channel 5 News*, 24 July 2017
- Interview on Human Trafficking in Channel NewsAsia “Singapore Tonight”, *Channel 5 News*, 14 April 2017 and 15 April 2017
- Interview on the Penal Code Reforms in Channel NewsAsia “Singapore Tonight”, *Channel 5 News*, 16 Nov 2006

SERVICE

UNIVERSITY SERVICE

National University of Singapore

- Member, Taskforce for full Professorship in Education Excellence (2021)
- Member, Centre for Biomedical Ethics Search Committee for Practice Professor (2021)
- Member, Centre for Biomedical Ethics Department Evaluation Committee (promotion and tenure) (2021)
- Member, Centre for Biomedical Ethics Search Committee for Director (2020)
- Member, Cross-Campus Sexual Misconduct Committee (2019)
- Member, University Promotion and Tenure Committee (2016-2017)
- Corresponding member, Educator Track Task Force (Mar 2016-2018)
- Member, Task Force on Evidence-Informed Evaluation of Teaching (Apr 2017-2018)
- Chair, NUS Teaching Academy (2015-2018)
- Fellow, NUS Teaching Academy (2012-present)
- Member, University Senate Delegacy (2015-2018)
- Member, NUS Press Senior Advisor Committee (2015-2018)
- Advisor, International Relations Office (2012-2016)
- Member, University Committee on Educational Policy (2010-2018)
- Member, University Board of Undergraduate Studies (2010-2011)
- Member, University Scholarships Selection Panel (2007, 2009, 2010)
- Member, University Senate (2008-present)

Law Faculty

- Member, Relocation Committee (2024)
- Chair, Faculty Promotion and Tenure Committee (2019-2020)
- Member, Faculty Search Committee (2015-2017)
- Member, Faculty Teaching Excellence Committee (2014-present)
- Member, Executive Committee, Centre for Asian Legal Studies (2015-2016)
- Vice Dean, Academic Affairs (2010-2011)
- Vice Dean, International Programmes (2008-2010)
- Director, Asian Law Institute (2008-2010)
- Chair, Faculty Scholarship Committee (2009-2010)
- Chair, Curriculum Review Committee (2010-2011)
- Chair, Faculty Teaching Excellence Committee (2010-2011)
- Member, Faculty Search Committee (2010-2011)
- Director, International Programmes (2003-2008)
- Member, Strategic Review Committee (2005)
- Student Adviser (2001 – 2007, 2014-present)

- Continuing Legal Education (2001 – 2007)
 - Convener of staff seminar series
 - Coordinator, Commonwealth Legal Education Association Lecture Series (Singapore lecture – 2002)
- Social Welfare Committee (2001)

Asia Research Institute

- Member, Strategic Review Committee (2005)
- Selection Committee for Writing Semester Scheme for NUS Assistant Professors (2004)
- Selection Committee for NUS Graduate Students Symposium (2003)
- Selection Committee for Fieldwork Funding for NUS Graduate Students (2003, 2004)
- Social Welfare Committee (2003)

Australian National University

- Fellow, Board of Governors, University House (1996-1997)
- Fellow, Senior Common Room, John 23rd College (2000)

Faculty of Law, ANU

- Co-Director of Teaching and Learning (1999-2000)
- Member, Dean's Advisory Board (1999-2000)
- International Student Adviser (1997-2000)
- Co-Convener of International Exchange Programme (1999-2000)
- Member, International Student Task Force (1996)
- Social Welfare Committee (1995-1996)
- Editor, Staff-Student Newsletter (1999)
- Study (Survival) Skills Workshops (1991-2000)
 - Annual workshop for first year law students

SERVICES AS REVIEWER

Articles

- Hong Kong Law Journal
- Indian Law Review
- James Cook University Law Review
- Journal of Malaysian and Comparative Law
- Legal Studies
- Medical Law Review
- Oxford University Commonwealth Law Journal
- Singapore Academy of Law Journal
- Singapore Journal of Legal Studies

- Singapore Law Review
- The Australian Journal of Asian Law
- Tort Law Review
- Torts Law Journal

Books

- City University of Hong Kong Press
- Routledge Cavendish, London
- Academy Publishing, Singapore

SERVICE TO PROFESSION/INDUSTRY

- Member, Penal Code Review Committee (Ministry of Law & Ministry of Home Affairs (2016-2018))
- Member, Singapore Academy of Law Senate (2011)
- UNAIDS Temporary Adviser, *UNAIDS International Consultation on Criminalisation of HIV Transmission*, Geneva (2007)
- Member, Editorial Board, *Singapore Law Reports (Reissue)* (2007)
- Member, Ad-hoc Penal Code Law Reform Criminal Law Committee, *Law Society Singapore* (2007)
- Member, *ASEAN Law Association* (2006-present)
- Executive Committee Member for Southeast Asia, *Commonwealth Legal Education Association* (2005-2011)
- Committee Member, Criminal Law Committee, *Law Society of the Australian Capital Territory* (1999-2000)
- Board of Directors, *Welfare Rights and Legal Centre*, Canberra (1999-2000)

RECOGNITION OF OUTSTANDING SERVICE AND COMMITMENT

- Inaugural recipient of “Citizen of the Year” Award for outstanding contribution to the *ANU Faculty of Law* (1998)
- Inaugural recipient of Special Award for Outstanding Contribution to a university hall of residence – *Burton and Garran Hall, ANU* (1993)
- Certificate of Appreciation for Outstanding Commitment and Service to the *Canberra Council for International Students* (1993)

LANGUAGE SKILLS

- English (written and spoken) – proficient
- Malay (written and spoken) – proficient
- Tamil (written and spoken) – competent

GENERAL INFORMATION

I am married with two children. I grew up in Kuala Kangsar, Malaysia and completed my primary and secondary education at Clifford School where I represented the school in hockey, basketball, badminton, taekwondo and debating. I undertook tertiary and postgraduate education at the Australian National University in Canberra, Australia, where I began my academic career. I enjoy sports, cooking, and reading, and have an interest in international relations and world politics.