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Biography

Foo Siew Fong is a Partner and Co-Head of the Family and Divorce Practice Group at Harry Elias Partnership LLP.

She has over 30 years of experience in advising and managing contested divorces, custody disputes, complex asset tracing, division of matrimonial assets and maintenance issues in addition to handling preventive issues at the beginning of a relationship, e.g. the preparation of pre-nuptial agreements.

A distinguished figure in family and matrimonial law, Siew Fong has received numerous accolades for her work, including multiple awards for her practice group and personal recognitions as a leading lawyer in her field.

Her leadership roles extend beyond her practice. Siew Fong is also actively involved in various committees and panels related to family law and community services. Siew Fong's commitment to the community is evident through her extensive volunteer work, showcasing her dedication to both the legal profession and social causes.

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Awards & Accolades

- "Preeminent Lawyer" (2016-2025) Doyle's Guide Family & Divorce Leading Lawyers
- "Dispute Resolution Star" (2019-2025) Benchmark Litigation Asia Pacific
- "Top 100 Women in Litigation" (2020-2022, 2024-2025) Benchmark Litigation Asia Pacific
- "Band 1 Practitioner" for Family/Matrimonial: High Net Worth (2023-2025) Chambers High Net Worth
- "Outstanding Volunteer of the Year" (2011) in the Advocate and Solicitor Category
- "Recipient of the Public Service Medal" for commendable public service in Singapore

Publications

- General Editor, "Law and Practice of Family Law in Singapore", Sweet and Maxwell, 2016 & 2022
- Author, "Jurisdiction of the Family Court: Divorce and Dissolution" Chapter, "Law and Practice of Family Law in Singapore", Sweet and Maxwell, 2016 & 2022
- Author, "When Marriages Break Down: Rights, Obligations, and Division of Property", Sweet and Maxwell, 2005

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Professional Memberships | Directorships

- Accredited Singapore Mediation Centre (SMC) mediator in Family Law
- Board Member of the Executive Committee of The Cerebral Palsy Alliance Singapore (CPAS) (formerly known as The Spastic Children's Association of Singapore) (2010-2024)
- Board Member, South East CDC (2012-present)
- Chairman of SAWL Scholarship Fund (2014 to 2022)
- Citizenship Committee of Inquiry under the Ministry of Home Affairs
- Committee by the Chief Justice under Section 139 (1) of the Women's Charter
- Committee for Continuing Professional Development Accreditation, Singapore Institute of Legal Education
- Committee Member of the Maintenance Support Centre of the Singapore Council of Women's Organisations
- Deputy Registrar/Licensed Solemniser by the Registry of Marriages
- Family Justice Rules Committee pursuant to section 46(2) of the Family Justice Act 2014
- · Fellow of the International Academy of Family Lawyers
- Panel of Child Representatives, Family Justice Courts (2014 to 2022)
- Panel of Law Society Mediation Scheme and Law Society Neutral Evaluation Scheme (LSMS-LSNES) for Family Law
- Panel of the SMC's CFP service
- President of the Singapore Association of Women's Lawyers (SAWL) (2001 to 2009)
- Programme Advisory Committee for English Programmes (PACE) (2023-2025)
- Trustee of SAWL Scholarship Fund (2023 to present)

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