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PERSONAL SUMMARY :

Ms. Shao joined Liu, Shen & Associates in 1997 and became a qualified patent attorney in 1998. She specializes in patent prosecution, re-examination, patent invalidation, IP litigation, and client counseling with a focus on electrical engineering, automatic control, telecommunication, electronics, computer science as well as Internet & e-commerce.

Ms. Shao got her qualification as an attorney at law in 2006. She has participated in several patent lawsuits including patent infringement and patent invalidation. She has been leading patent licensing counseling, patent invalidation, pre-litigation analysis and patent infringement litigation relating to SEP and non-SEP.

Ms. Shao had a master's degree from Beijing Jiaotong University in 1995. Before joining this firm, Ms. Shao worked as a teacher at Beijing Institute of Technology for two years. She received training from Finnegan, Henderson, Farabow, Garrett & Dunner, LLP, Washington D. C. in 2004.

HIGHLIGHTS :

Representative cases:

- Chint v. Schneider, in the patent invalidation case of Chint v. Schneider, Ms. Shao and her colleagues represented Schneider and finally won the case in the second instance at Beijing High Court;
- Wang Jianbo v. Microsoft, in the patent infringement case of Wang Jianbo v. Microsoft, Ms. Shao and her colleagues represented Microsoft, and the case was finally settled because the plaintiff Wang Jianbo

o withdrew his lawsuit;

- In a series of patent infringement and invalidation cases between Samsung Electronics V. Huawei, leading the team representing Samsung Electronics to attend SEP and non-SEP patent infringement group cases. The issues involved include the infringement logic for SEP related cases, calculation of SEP royalties, determination of FRAND, and determination of injunctions for SEP and non-SEP cases. (2016-2017)

Representative Publications:

- "Patentability of Inventions Concerning Computer Programs," China Patent Agency, Session 4, 2005;
- "Patentability of Inventions Concerning Business Methods," China Patent Agency, Session 1, 2006;
- "Latest Patent Law Changes Analyzed," Managing IP, Asia-Pacific Focus 2007;
- "Import and Export of Inventions," Managing IP, China IP Focus 2012;
- "Drafting Best Functional Technical Features in China", Asia IP, April 2016;
- "Best drafting practices for background section of patent applications," Intellectual Asset Management (IAM), August 2017

Representative Speech:

- Title "What's the (technical) problem?", AIPPI 2017 World Congress, October 2017, Sydney
- Title "Patentability of Business Method related Inventions in China," All-China Patent Agents Association (ACPAA) and the Chartered Institute of Patent Attorneys (CIPA) Joint Meeting, November 2017, Beijing
- Title, "Obtaining Strong Patents Internationally – from China to the World", CPAC-AIPPI Session, August 2018, Beijing

WORKING LANGUAGE :

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