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### **PERSONAL SUMMARY :**

Mr. Hou joined Liu, Shen & Associates in 2006 and was qualified as patent attorney in 2007 and attorney at law in 2009, and now has many years' experience in the field of IP law in China. He specializes in patent prosecution, re-examination, patent invalidation, IP litigation, and client counseling with a focus on communication, computer networks, multimedia, electronics, and physics.

Mr. Hou has been providing legal opinions in litigation and consultation cases since 2011. In particular, he has worked independently in the fields of standard research, prior art searching, infringement analysis, and invalidation analysis in many cases. He is seasoned in FRAND licensing/infringement litigation and invalidation proceedings of standard-related patents, and quickly adapts to new areas and difficult issues.

Mr. Hou has extensive experience in patent infringement analysis, including evaluation of relevance of commercial patents with respect to target products, essentiality of communication standard essential patents to standards and specifications, and also validity of patents against prior art references by searching.

Mr. Hou received a PhD degree from the University of Science and Technology of China (USTC) in 2003. Before joining this firm, he had worked as a postdoctoral fellow at USTC for three years. He has had an internship at D Young & Co LLP, UK from February to May in 2013.

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Representative litigation cases that Mr Hou has participated include:

- Wang Jianbo v. Microsoft, patent infringement and patent invalidation, 2008.
- Shanghai Ke Dou v. Samsung, patent infringement and patent invalidation, 2015.
- Shenzhen, Huawei v. Samsung, patent infringement and patent invalidation, 2016-2018.
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- Beijing, Samsung v. Huawei, patent infringement and patent invalidation, 2016-2018.
- Canton, Samsung v. Huawei, patent infringement and patent invalidation, 2016-2018.
- Quanzhou, Samsung v. Huawei, patent infringement and patent invalidation, 2017-2018.
- Beijing, Samsung v. Shenzhen Netac, patent invalidation, 2018.
- Beijing, Samsung v. Immersion, patent invalidation, 2018.
- Shanghai, CCDL v. Wanda Media, patent infringement and patent invalidation, 2018.

Professional Presentations given by Mr Hou include:

- "Inventiveness of Invention in Chemical and Bio Technology Fields", 2014.
- "On Swiss-type Claims", 2015.
- "Standard Essential Patent and FRAND Principle", 2016
- "On FRAND-Encumbered Patent Licensing Disputes in ICT Sector", 2018

Publications that Mr Hou has authored include:

- "The contentious monopoly", Managing Intellectual Property, 2016.

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