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Profile

Education

Graduate School of Economics,
Yonsei University (Advanced
Business Program, 2023)
University of North Carolina
(Visiting Scholar, 2015)
Graduate School of Law, Seoul
National University (LL.M.,
2008)
Judicial Research and Training
Institute of the Supreme Court
of Korea (2005)
Seoul National University
(LL.B., 2001)

Qualifications

Admitted to bar, Korea, 2005

Languages

Korean and English

Areas of Expertise

Criminal Defense Litigation
Employment Litigation
Serious Accidents Punishment
Act
Corporate & M&A Litigation
Banking, Securities & Finance
Litigation
Media Litigation

Jaechan Lee is an attorney at Kim & Chang. He practices primarily in the areas of criminal defense litigation, employment litigation, serious accidents punishment act, corporate & M&A litigation, banking, securities and finance litigation and media litigation.

Prior to joining Kim & Chang, Mr. Lee served in the Korean Navy as a military judge for three years, and in the Judiciary for 16 years as a high court judge or a judge at the Seoul High Court and various District Courts. During his tenure as a judge, he gained extensive experience in a wide range of civil, criminal and family cases. Furthermore, he served as a visiting professional at the International Criminal Court. During his time as a judge, Mr. Lee was selected as an outstanding judge by the Seoul and Chungbuk Bar Associations.

Experience

- Kim & Chang (2024-Present)
- High Court Judge, Seoul High Court (2020-2024)
- Judge (Management Judge), Seoul Central District Court (2019-2020)
- Visiting Professional, International Criminal Court (2017-2018)
- Judge, Suwon District Court (2016-2017, 2018-2019)
- Judge, Jeongeup Branch of Jeonju District Court (2015-2016)
- Judge, Chungju Branch of Cheongju District Court (2011-2014)
- Judge, Seoul Central District Court (2010-2011)
- Judge, Suwon District Court (2008-2010)
- Judge Advocate, Republic of Korea Navy (2005-2008)

Representative Activities

Awards

- Outstanding Judge (Seoul Bar Association, 2021)
- Outstanding Judge (Chungbuk Bar Association, 2013)

Publications/Activities

- Court Practice Summary: Criminal (Co-author, Judicial Research and Training Institute of the Supreme Court of Korea, 2022)

- A Study on conflict cases about religious organization leadership- especially on provisional dispositions and non-contentious cases (Pakyoungsa, 2021)
- A Study on Warranty in Uniform Commercial Code (Master's Thesis, Seoul National University, 2008)