

EMMA T. C. TSANG

BARRISTER-AT-LAW
CEDR ACCREDITED MEDIATOR
HKMAAL ACCREDITED MEDIATOR

Year of Call

2009 Barrister (Hong Kong)
 2007 Barrister (England & Wales)

Practice Areas

- Criminal Law
- Appellate Law
- Administrative & Public Law
- Family Law
- Tort & Personal Injuries
- Professional Negligence
- Non-Refoulement Claims
- Mediation
- Regulatory & Disciplinary

Academic Qualifications

- 2008, PCLL, The University of Hong Kong
- 2007, BVC, Nottingham Law School, United Kingdom
- 2006, LLB (Honours), University of Durham, United Kingdom

Languages Spoken

- English
- Cantonese

Contact Details

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Background

Emma has a substantial criminal law practice; with a solid grounding in trial and appellate work. She regularly conducts all manner of trials, bail applications, plea negotiations, mitigations, and bind-overs.

Emma has a broad civil practice with particular emphasis on family law, personal injuries, and professional negligence. In the area of family law, she has experience in conducting matters in relation to divorce, ancillary relief, and child custody & care.

Emma has successfully acted for non-refoulement claimants at both first instance and on appeal.

She advises in ADR matters, and has acted as counsel and as mediator. Emma has appeared in all levels of courts in Hong Kong, including in the Court of Final Appeal, and has also represented clients in the Medical Council and the Veterinary Disciplinary Board.

Memberships & Accreditation

- 2009, CEDR Accredited Mediator
- 2010, HKMAAL Accredited Mediator
- 2014 to 2015, Young Barristers Committee, Secretary
- 2011 to 2013, Young Barristers Committee, Member

Notable Cases

- *Nancy Ann Kissel v HKSAR* (2010) 13 HKCFAR 27; [2010] 2 HKLRD 435
 - Appeared in Mrs. Kissel's appeal of her conviction for the Hong Kong murder of her Merrill Lynch banker husband in 2003.
- *LKW v DD* (2010) 13 HKCFAR 537; [2010] 6 HKC 528
 - Appeared in an appeal to the Court of Final Appeal, which determined Hong Kong's approach to the division of matrimonial assets
- *HKSAR v Chan Pak Hoe, Pablo* (2012) 15 HKCFAR 244
 - Appeared in an appeal to the Court of Final Appeal, which determined a magistrate's power under s.104 to review a sentence while a review against conviction was pending.
- *Chan Mei Yiu, Paddy & Another v Secretary for Justice & Others* HCAL 16-19 OF 2007
 - Appeared in judicial review proceedings, challenging the execution of mutual legal assistance search warrants in Hong Kong by Italian prosecutors.
- *HKSAR v Amina Mariam Bokhary* HCMA 960/2010
 - Appeared in the High Court on an emergency bail application for the defendant.

Publications

Archbold Hong Kong

Contributing Editor (2011 – Present)

Hong Kong Cases

Contributing Editor (2015 – Present)

Hong Kong Personal Injury Service

Contributing Editor (2012 – 2014)

Teaching Positions

- The University of Hong Kong, PCLL, Criminal Litigation (Tutor and Assessor)
- The University of Hong Kong, PCLL, Criminal Advocacy (Tutor and Assessor)
- The University of Hong Kong, PCLL, Mediation (Assessor)