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Mr. Gao is a national partner of Tian Yuan Law Firm. Tian Yuan is one of leading law firms cross China with about 500 people. Mr. Gao owns passionate interest and expertise in international commercial dispute resolutions. He has acted as lead counsel or co-counsel in many cross-border litigations and international commercial arbitrations. He has dealt with the arbitrations both in the types of institutional arbitration and *ad hoc* arbitration by adopting ICC, HKIAC, LMAA, LCIA, SCC, AAA (ICDR), SCIA, BAC, SZAC and UNCITRAL arbitration rules. He also often appears in all level of courts in China and outside China, including the Supreme Court of China and the courts in UK, US, UAE and Hong Kong etc.

Winston is also familiar with the international transactions, particular in the areas of outbound and inbound direct investment by the forms of joint venture and agreement, technology license and transfer, finance and operation leasing.

Mr Gao was awarded the “**Excellent Young Lawyer (Top 8)**” by the Shenzhen Lawyers Association in 2015 and won the 2016 “**Deal of the Year – International Arbitration**” award by the *China Business Law Journal*.

Mr. Gao was elected by the about 600 delegates of lawyers directly as the **Council** of Shenzhen Lawyers Association recently which has over 10 000 lawyers, his service term lasts for 3 years without any remuneration.