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Mr. Deok Jung Son has been providing legal advice in various fields such as M&A, JV, liquidation/insolvency, labor issues, intellectual property, and dispute resolution at JIPYONG's Shanghai office since 2018. He is a Korean lawyer and a native Chinese who is fluent in both Chinese and English, and serves as an arbitrator at the Qingdao Arbitration Commission, China, and the Gwangju Arbitration Commission, China.

Education

2025	East China University of Political Science and Law (Ph.D.)(coursework completed)
2013	Chonnam National University, Graduate School of Law (J.D., <i>cum laude</i>)
2006	Sungkyunkwan University (B.A. in Philosophy)

Experience

2018-Present	JIPYONG LLC
2023-Present	Legal Advisor, Shanghai Branch of Korea International Trade Association
2023-Present	Arbitrator, Guangzhou Arbitration Commission, China
2022-Present	Foreign correspondent, Law Times
2022-Present	Arbitrator, Qingdao Arbitration Committee
2020-Present	Global Regional Expert, KOTRA

2018-Present	Legal Advisor, Consulate General of the Republic of Korea in Shanghai
2025	Vice Chairman, The Korean Chamber of Commerce in Shanghai (Korean Association)
2015-2018	Legal Office Seungjeon
2015	Yeyul LLC
2014-2015	Law clerk, Gwangju High Court
2013-2014	Law clerk, Gwangju District Court

Speaking Engagements and Publications

2024	Personal Information Protection Law of the People's Republic of China, from a Compliance Perspective, Korea International Trade Association
2024	Compliance Guide of Antitrust and Anti-Corruption in China, Korea International Trade Association
2024	Q&A regarding Labor and Employment in China, Korea Labor Foundation
2023	China Business and Law (Co-authored), Pakyoungsa
2020	Relocation Strategy of Korean Companies Entering the Chinese Market Amid Reorganization of Global Value Chain, KOTRA (co-author, "China" part)
2020	Investment Environment Report – Wuxi, China, Wuxi Investment Promotion Center
2020	Introduction to Foreign Investment Law of the PRC, South Korean Consulate General in Shanghai, China
2019	Risk of Cryptocurrency and How to Supervise it, Shanghai Law Review
2019	Guide to Contract Execution in China, South Korean Consulate General in Shanghai, China
2018	Guide to Civil/Commercial Dispute Resolution in China, South Korean Consulate General in Shanghai, China

Bar Admissions & Qualifications

2013	Korea
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Languages

Korean / Chinese / English