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Education

J.D., University of Pennsylvania Law School, 2018 (Levy Scholar, *University* of Pennsylvania Law Review)

M.B.A., Wharton School, University of Pennsylvania, 2018 (Wharton Fellow)

B.Sc., Washington & Lee University, 2015 (summa cum laude)

B.A., Washington & Lee University, 2015 (summa cum laude)

Bar Admissions

California

New York

Cynthia Lam has a diverse corporate practice representing clients in M&A and complex strategic transactions, as well as capital markets and corporate governance matters. She regularly advises public and private companies in domestic and cross-border transactions.

Ms. Lam's select representative matters include:

- Activision Blizzard Inc. in its \$75 billion acquisition by Microsoft Corporation
- Xilinx, Inc. in its \$49 billion acquisition by Advanced Micro Devices, Inc.
- Intel Corporation in its:
 - \$22 billion joint investment arrangement with Apollo relating to a new chip factory in Ireland
 - acquisition of Granulate Cloud Solutions Ltd.
- ServiceNow, Inc. in its proposed \$2.85 billion acquisition of Moveworks, Inc.
- Trimble Inc. in:
 - the sale and contribution of its agriculture business to a joint venture with AGCO Corporation, as well as AGCO's \$2 billion acquisition of an 85% stake in the joint venture
 - the sale of its global transportation telematics business units to Platform Science, Inc. in exchange for a 32.5% stake in Platform Science and board representation
- Netflix, Inc. in its acquisition of Animal Logic
- WeWork in its:
 - \$8 billion transaction in which SoftBank provided financing to the company and acquired a majority of its outstanding shares through a tender offer
 - merger with BowX Acquisition Corp at an enterprise value of \$9 billion
- Perella Weinberg Partners LP in its merger with FinTech Acquisition Corp. IV at an enterprise value of \$975 million
- Permira Funds in its significant strategic investment in Axiom Global Inc.
- carsales.com Ltd in its:
 - \$624 million acquisition of a 49% stake in Trader Interactive
 - subsequent \$809 million acquisition of the remaining 51% stake in Trader Interactive
- Western Digital Corporation in the split of its hard disk drive and NAND memory businesses, creating two separate public companies
- 8x8, Inc. in its:
 - \$250 million acquisition of Fuze, Inc.
 - exchange offer of \$404 million of its 0.5% convertible senior notes due 2024
- ServiceNow, Inc. in its acquisition of LightStep, Inc.
- Velodyne Lidar, Inc. in its merger of equals with Ouster, Inc.

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- Hexaware Technologies Limited in its acquisition of Softcrylic LLC
- Bright Lights Acquisition Corp. in its proposed (but terminated) merger with MANSCAPED at an enterprise value of \$1 billion
- Virgin Trains USA LLC in various financing transactions, including:
 - a \$1.75 billion offering of private activity bonds
 - a subsequent \$600 million offering of public activity bonds

Ms. Lam serves as *pro bono* coordinator of Skadden's Palo Alto office and provides *pro bono* legal services to a variety of clients, including nonprofit organizations. She is also co-chair of the Palo Alto office's Summer Associate Committee and is actively involved in Skadden's recruiting and mentoring programs and diversity initiatives. Additionally, she is a member of a Skadden committee overseeing AI and legal technology initiatives. Ms. Lam has also served as the vice president of programs and operations for the Asian American Bar Association of New York.