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Kohei Karasawa has extensive experience in China practice, with a focus on advising Japanese companies on their investment, withdrawal, restructuring and local subsidiary operations in China. Having worked in our Shanghai office and Beijing office, and at a leading French law firm, and studied in Australia, he accumulated rich experience in handling international matters. His practice area covers a wide range of domestic and international corporate transactions, M&A, dispute resolution, and various other cross-border matters.

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Corporate and Commercial Transactions

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Data Protection/Data Breach

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CAREER

Mar 2007

Waseda University (LL.B.)

Mar 2010

Keio Law School (J.D.)

Dec 2011	The Legal Training and Research Institute of the Supreme Court of Japan
Sep 2014 - Feb 2015	Chinese language training, Shanghai Jiao Tong University, Shanghai, China
Mar 2015 - Jun 2015	Associated with Junhe Law Office, Shanghai, China
Sep 2015 - Jul 2016	Representative of Anderson Mori & Tomotsune Shanghai Office
Aug 2016 - Jun 2018	Representative of Anderson Mori & Tomotsune Beijing Office
Dec 2019	University of Melbourne (LL.M.)
Sep 2019 - Jun 2020	McDermott Will & Emery, Paris
Apr 2022 - Sep 2022	Part-time Lecturer, Graduate School of Law, Kobe University
Apr 2024 - Sep 2024	Part-time Lecturer, Graduate School of Law, Kobe University

QUALIFICATIONS

PROFESSIONAL AND
ACADEMIC
ASSOCIATIONS

LANGUAGES

Japan (2011)	Daini Tokyo Bar Association	Japanese (first language)
		English
		Chinese (Mandarin)