

Vanessa is an Associate of Rita Ku & Solicitors, specializing in family law.

Vanessa advises in all aspects of family law, including divorce, pre-and post-nuptial agreements, financial disputes, children relocation and custodial care and control issues.

Vanessa obtained her Bachelor's Degree from McGill University, Canada in 2014, majoring in Economics. Following this, Vanessa went on to pursue a Juris Doctor degree from City University of Hong Kong School of Law, where she graduated with a Distinction. She completed her Postgraduate Certificate in Law in 2019 also from City University of Hong Kong School of Law and was on the Dean's List.

Prior to joining RKS, Vanessa trained in an international law firm. She qualified as a solicitor in Hong Kong in January 2022.

Vanessa is bright and proactive. Vanessa has been praised by her colleagues, clients and others in the industry for her hard work, attention to detail and dedication to her clients.

Vanessa has a strong interest in financial-related matters. She has assisted in and advised on several big-money cases, involving complex corporate structures, trusts and third party interests. She has also assisted on a number of enforcement cases involving cross-jurisdictional issues.

Vanessa has also assisted and advised on cases involving domestic violence and substance abuse. She acted for the Wife, wherein she successfully obtained an ex-parte injunction against a Husband who was stalking the Wife.

During her traineeship, Vanessa assisted Rita Ku on a number of reported cases, including:

- **BKGG v BKND [2021] HKFC 100** - Acting for the Mother. The Mother successfully applied to relocate with her daughters to the United Kingdom. Her relocation application was fiercely contested by the Father. The case involved serious allegations of child pornography against the Father and both local and international Social Investigation Reports.
- **X and another v Z [2020] HKCFI 826** - Acting for the Plaintiffs. The Plaintiff successfully applied for an injunction against the Defendant from acts of harassment and intimidation and required him to deliver up or destroy certain materials in his possession regarding the Plaintiffs. The case also involved anonymity and gagging orders.

Vanessa also has experience in wealth planning. Vanessa has assisted in and advised clients on drafting Wills and Letters of Wishes, Enduring Powers of Attorney, and setting up and restructuring Family Trusts.

#### Articles

- Co-Authored - For Better Or For Worse: The Impact Of COVID-19 On Weddings And Divorce In Hong Kong (11 March 2020)
- Co-Authored - Calling It Quits: The 30-day "Cooling Off" Period Before Commencing A Divorce In China (5 May 2021)
- Co-Authored - Legacy planning during COVID-19 (4 April 2022)

**Education**

City University of Hong Kong, Postgraduate Certificate in Laws

City University of Hong Kong, Juris Doctor, Law

McGill University, Bachelor of Arts (B.A.), Economics (Major), East Asian Studies (Minor)

**Languages**

Cantonese, English and Mandarin

關穎敏律師 (Vanessa) 是 RKS 的律師，專門從事家事法。

關律師在離婚、婚前和婚後協議、財務糾紛、子女移居、子女監護權、照顧及管束的家事問題上提供法律協助。

關律師於 2014 年獲加拿大麥吉爾大學頒授學士學位，主修經濟學。此後，她於香港城市大學法學院取得法學博士學位，並以優異成績畢業。她於 2019 年完成了香港城市大學法學院的法學研究生證書，並獲得院長嘉許名單。

加入 RKS 前，關律師曾在一家國際律師事務所實習，並於 2022 年 1 月取得香港律師資格。

關律師為人積極主動，她辛勤工作、注重細節和對客戶的投入得到了同事、客戶和業內人士的稱讚。

關律師對財政相關事宜有著濃厚的興趣，曾參與多宗金額龐大且涉及複雜企業結構、信託和第三者權益的案件。此外，她亦有參與一些涉及跨司法管轄區問題的執法案件。

關律師也曾參與涉及家庭暴力和藥物濫用的案件。她代表該案妻子，並成功對跟踪妻子的丈夫申請單方面強制令。

實習期間，關律師曾協助古明慧律師處理不同案件，包括：

**BKGG v BKND [2021] HKFC 100** – 代表該案母親。母親成功申請與女兒一起移居至英國，而該移居申請遭受到該案父親的強烈反對。該案涉及對父親有關兒童色情物品的嚴重指控，以及包含本地與國際的社會福利調查報告。

**X and another v Z [2020] HKCFI 826** - 代表該案原告。原告成功對被告的騷擾和恐嚇行為申請強制令，並要求他交出或銷毀所持有有關原告的某些材料。該案同時涉及身分保密令和禁言令。

關律師在財富規劃方面也有經驗。她曾就客戶起草遺囑和意願書、持久授權書，以及設立和重組家族信託等事宜提供協助和建議。

## 出版刊物

- 合著者 - 利還是弊：新冠病毒對在香港結婚和離婚的影響 (2020 年 3 月 11 日)
- 合著者 - 關係到此為止：中國增設三十日離婚冷靜期 (2021 年 5 月 4 日)
- 合著者 - 新冠疫情下的財富承傳 (2022 年 4 月 4 日)