

### Education

· Leiden University, Adv. LLM

## **Professional Qualification**

• Admitted to practice in the PRC

### **Professional Background**

Linlin joined Fangda in 2021. Prior
to joining Fangda, Linlin worked as
senior associate in a well-known
Chinese law firm; before that, Linlin
worked at the Amsterdam office of
an International accounting firm and
then the Hong Kong office of an
European law firm, mainly advising
international tax and PRC tax.

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#### PRACTICE AREA

LINLIN SPECIALIZES IN PRC TAX ADVISORY SERVICES, INCLUDING TAX ADVISORY AND TAX PLANNING SERVICES FOR DOMESTIC / CROSS-BORDER TRANSACTIONS OR INVESTMENT, APPLICATION OF TAX TREATIES, APPLICATION OF DOMESTIC TAX INCENTIVES, TAX DISPUTE RESOLUTION AND TAX DUE DILIGENCE, ETC.

### REPRESENTATIVE MATTERS AND CASES

- Advised an international financial group on disposal of its consumer business in the PRC
- Advised SK hynix Inc. in its acquisition of NAND business and SSD business from Intel Corporation
- Provided tax planning and tax advisory services for a bankruptcy reorganization project
- Provided tax advisory services to a state-owned corporation in the privatization of its H-share listed subsidiary and its intra-group restructurings
- Provided tax advisory services to a solar power company in its termination of Red-Chip structure and intragroup restructuring transactions
- Assisted a well-known European MNC in defending a highly challenging tax audit case, which was successfully closed with no tax adjustment was made
- Advised a leading pharmaceutical MNC and a well-known Hong Kong trading company in their claim for Chinese tax treaty/arrangement benefits
- Provided tax due diligence services to a well-known energy company in Hong Kong