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Background

Professor Wei Cui received his B.A. from Harvard, M.A. in philosophy from Tufts University, J.D. from Yale, and LLM in Taxation from NYU. As an academic, he has authored over 80 academic and professional articles and is a co-author of a leading treatise on the VAT (Value Added Tax: A Comparative Approach, Cambridge University Press 2015). He has held visiting professorships at the law schools of Michigan, Northwestern, Columbia, Melbourne, and National Taiwan University, and has taught in Harvard Law School's Institute of Global Law and Policy program. At UBC, he directs the Centre for Asian Legal Studies.

Experiences

Professor Wei Cui practiced tax law for over 10 years, including as a U.S. tax associate at Simpson Thacher (in both New York and Beijing), as Senior Tax Counsel for the China Investment Corporation, and as a counsel-level consultant for Clifford Chance (Beijing). He is currently a Member of the Eminent Expert Group on Tax Policy and Public Expenditure Management for Sustainable Development, United Nations Economic and Social Commission for Asia and the Pacific (UNESCAP) and of IFA's Permanent Scientific Committee.