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Christina is an associate based in King & Spalding's Singapore office. Christina's practice focuses on project development, corporate and M&A transactions in the energy, power and infrastructure sectors.

Prior to joining King & Spalding, Christina practiced corporate and commercial law with an international law firm in Manila, and advised a range of clients in infrastructure, energy, mining, retail, and information technology. She also worked in-house, as part of the business development team of the infrastructure arm of one of the Philippines' largest conglomerates. Christina was also a consultant with the World Bank in Washington, D.C., advising governments on matters related to the regulatory frameworks of oil and mining. She also served as a part-time professor in the Ateneo Law School and the Far Eastern University School of Law.

## Matters

### Representative M&A Experience

Advising **JERA** on its acquisition of 22% in Summit Power International for US\$ 330 million, which holds its equity interest in Summit LNG Terminal, a Summit and Mitsubishi joint venture

Advising **Ophir Energy Plc** on the US\$ 205 million agreement to acquire a package of Southeast Asian assets including material producing assets in Vietnam and Indonesia plus exploration and appraisal assets in Malaysia, Vietnam, and Bangladesh, from Australian-listed Santos Limited

Advising **PTT Exploration and Production Public Company Limited** on the acquisition by its subsidiary of a 33.8% stake in APICO LLC from Tatex Thailand LLC and Tatex Thailand II LLC, with a total transaction value of approximately US\$ 64 million

Advising **Keppel Corporation** on its 30% investment into Gimi MS Corporation (Golar LNG Limited is the other shareholder), which will undertake the development, construction and operation of a floating LNG facility located on the Mauritania and Senegal maritime border that will be leased to BP for 20-year term, including advising on the lease and operate agreement with BP

Advising **Catalina Holdings (Bermuda) LLC**, an industry leader in the legacy reinsurance space

and a portfolio company of funds managed by Apollo Global Management LLC, on its acquisition of Asia Capital Reinsurance Group Pte. Ltd., a Singapore-headquartered reinsurance business with US\$ 835 million of shareholder equity

A **Japanese corporation** on its acquisition of a 20% stake in one of the largest independent power producers in the Philippines, with a total transaction value of US\$ 375 million. The target holds nine operating power plants with a total installed capacity of 627 MW, and supplies electricity in the Philippines' Visayas region

### **Representative Project Development Experience**

Advising the consortium of **Korea Electric Power Company** and **Korea East-West Power** in their bid to build and operate a 198 MW combined cycle power plant, and their negotiation of an energy conversion agreement with a natural gas supply component for the powerplant

Advising a **Japanese client** in its bid to acquire a 49% stake in a district cooling service provider in the Middle East, which holds over 15 district cooling plants that supplies chilled water for air conditioning across key landmark developments in Dubai

Advising a **confidential consortium** in its bid to develop, finance, construct operate and maintain a combined cycle gas turbine plant in the UAE, with a generation capacity of up to 2,400 MW

Advising a **confidential consortium** on the project structuring options, bidding process, project development and financing for an LNG/FSRU import terminal project in the Philippines

Advising a **confidential client** in connection with its LNG procurement strategy in Southeast Asia

Advising a **consortium of seven conglomerates** with a combined market capitalization of US\$ 40 billion dollars in its bid to rehabilitate, expand, operate, and maintain the Ninoy Aquino International Airport, with a project cost of US\$ 2 billion

Advising a **Malaysian airport operator** in their bid to build, operate, and maintain the Mactan Cebu International Airport, which involves the construction of a new passenger terminal, renovation and expansion of the existing terminal, operation, maintenance, and management of the terminals, and other airport-related works, valued at US\$ 324 million

Advising a French **transport systems operator** in their bid to operate, rehabilitate, and maintain the 20-kilometer light railway transit of Metro Manila, Philippines, valued at US\$ 1 billion

### **Representative Contractual Arrangements**

Advising **TNB Fuels** in connection with LNG purchase, regasification and gas supply arrangements in Malaysia and on the liberalisation of the natural gas market, including introduction of third party access requirements

Advising the **Puerto Rico Electric Power Authority** in the negotiation of a fuel supply and facility conversion agreement for the supply of natural gas and conversion of two of Puerto Rico's electric generating facilities

Advising **Pavilion Gas** in relation to new LNG import and bunkering arrangements in Singapore, including truck loading arrangements

Advising **Anadarko** and Area 1 Partners on the negotiation of its long-term LNG SPA relating to the Mozambique LNG Project with China National Offshore Oil Corporation

Advising **H-Energy** on a number of its LNG sale and purchase agreements with various buyers

## Representative Financing Experience

Advising **Pierfront Capital Mezzanine Fund Pte. Ltd.** in relation to a US\$ 33 million facility to Horizontes Capital Partners Limited, a Mauritian investment holding company of the founders of Greenko Energy Holdings, one of the largest independent renewable power producers in India

Advising a **confidential client** in relation to a facility to a Singapore-headquartered integrated waste management company, in connection with its strategic acquisition of a key minority stake in an Indian waste management company

Advising a **confidential client** in relation to a US\$100 million bridge loan financing for a multinational food and beverage company

## Credentials

### EDUCATION

Master of Laws, Columbia University, with honors

J.D., Ateneo de Manila University, with honors

B.S., Management, Ateneo de Manila University, magna cum laude

### ADMISSIONS

New York

Philippines

Singapore Registered Foreign Lawyer

### ASSOCIATIONS

Integrated Bar of the Philippines

### LANGUAGES

English

Filipino

## Insights

### ARTICLE

*April 30, 2019 • Source: Project Finance International Global Energy Report*  
LNG Prospects in Southeast Asia

### NEWSLETTER

*July 3, 2019*

Energy Newsletter – July 2019

## Events

### SPEAKING ENGAGEMENT

*May 10, 2019*

William Panlilio, Christina Tecson to Speak at Colloquium on Special Issues in International Law

## News

### CASES & DEALS

*June 18, 2019*

Anadarko Announces Final Investment Decision on Mozambique LNG

*March 5, 2019*

King & Spalding Advises Puerto Rico Electric Power Authority on a \$1.5 Billion Fuel Sale and Purchase Agreement with New Fortress Energy Affiliate