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James is a senior foreign attorney at Shin & Kim whose practice captures a diverse range of cross-border transactions including cross-border M&A, investments and international capital markets transactions.

James has advised Korean and global private equity firms, Korean conglomerates and listed Korean companies with their cross-border transactions across the Asia-Pacific region with a Korean and/or Australian nexus.

James is a commercially astute lawyer holding a B.Com.(Accounting) as well as an LL.B. from the University of Sydney, who considers the client's commercial objectives as a top priority in providing his legal services.

経歴

2022-Present	Shin & Kim LLC
2019-2022	Yulchon LLC
2017-2019	McCabes Lawyers, Sydney, Australia
2014-2017	Slater and Gordon Lawyers, Sydney, Australia

主な実績

- Advised Kyobo Life on its joint venture agreement with AXA-IM.
- Advised OTPP on its co-investment with MBK Partners in the acquisition of Medit.
- Advised a founder and Levit Inc. on a Series B preferred stock issuance transaction.
- Advised majority shareholders, Line Friends and IPX Corporation, on a Series A preferred stock issuance

transaction.

- Advised KakaoPay on the takeover of a U.S. listed company.
- Advised on investment in EMR Capital's UK mining assets for Meritz Securities.
- Advised Handsome Corp. on the pre-IPO investment in Lanvin Group (now listed on NYSE).
- Advised Meritz Securities on the equity investment in Fosun International prior to IPO of Lanvin Group (now listed on NYSE).
- Advised Bricks Capital Management on the investment in Series B issued by a U.S. battery company.
- Advised Hanwha Impact on the investment in Ark Energy, an Australian-based renewable power project company owned by Korea Zinc.
- Advised Anchor Equity Partners on the JV establishment with L'Oréal and Shilla Hotels to promote a new cosmetics brand.
- Advised Skylake PE on the sale of its 100% equity interest in NexFlex, Co., Ltd.
- Advised Dunamu & Partners on the investment in Series B preferred stocks issued by a U.S. company, Genome Insight, Inc.
- Represented and advised Woori Global Asset Management on the acquisition of convertible bonds issued by a U.S. company.
- Advised the owner of Classys Inc., a KOSDAQ-listed company, on the sale of its shares with management rights to Bain Capital at approximately KRW 670 billion.
- Advised Carlyle Group on the acquisition of 10% of Hyundai Glovis Co., Ltd. from its majority shareholder in an off-hours block trade for approximately KRW 600 billion.
- Advised on the investment in a Southeast Asian online shopping platform (Carousell) through a special situation fund (SSF) managed by STIC Investment.
- Advised Easy Holdings Co., Ltd. on the acquisition of 100% of the equity interest in U.S.-based Furst-McNess Company in a cash-out reverse triangular merger.
- Represented Mad for Garlic in the acquisition of TGI Friday's franchise operations from Lotte.
- Advised the Skinfactory in the sale of 100% of its equity interest in the VIG Fund.
- Advised KNW Co., Ltd. on the buyout of Solvay Korea (currently Fluorine Korea), a KOSDAQ-listed company.
- Advised TPG on the acquisition of Health Balance.
- Advised Pan Ocean Co., Ltd. on the acquisition of a 36.25% minority interest in EGT in Washington, U.S.
- Advised IMM Investment on the pre-IPO investment in the data center in China (Chindata Group, currently listed on NASDAQ) with SK Holdings.
- Advised on the investment in Series H issued by Singapore-based Grab for PEF managed by STIC Investment.
- Advised Big Hit Entertainment (currently Hive) on the acquisition of Pledis Entertainment.
- Advised SeAH Besteel on the acquisition of Arconic Korea.
- Advised CJ CGV on the sale of a 28% minority interest in CGI Holdings Limited, a Hong Kong subsidiary of CJ CGV, to MBK Partners.

学歴

2013 University of Sydney (LL.B.)
2008 University of Sydney (B.Com., Accounting)

資格

2014 Supreme Court of New South Wales and High Court of Australia

言語

Korean, English

主な活動

- GCR Foreign Direct Investment Regulation 2026: Korea Chapter (Co-authored)