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Tom Parkin practices in the area of commercial dispute resolution, with experience in commercial litigation, arbitration, and investigations. He advises major corporates, public sector organisations, and financial institutions on a broad range of commercial disputes. Tom has experience representing clients in a range of sectors, including the transport, automotive, energy, and financial industries.

- Advising a transport authority in the United Kingdom in defending against procurement law claims brought by unsuccessful bidders in relation to a high value contract for the manufacture and supply of metro trains.\*
- Advising a leading sports car manufacturer in a dispute concerning its termination of a contractual relationship with a key supplier.\*
- Advising a major international financial institution on an investigation into serious misconduct by employees.\*
- Advising a consortium of train manufacturers on their challenge to the award of a franchise to operate a high speed rail service in the United Kingdom.\*

\*Denotes experience from a previous firm.

## Education

- Legal Practice Course, University of Law 2016
- B.A., Bachelor of Arts in Jurisprudence, University of Oxford 2015

## **Publications**

Dubai issues decree to consolidate Dubai's main arbitral institutions into one new institution

27 September 2021

The Ruler of Dubai has issued Decree No. 34 of 2021 concerning the Dubai International Arbitration Centre, which aims to abolish the DIFC-based Emirates Maritime Arbitration Centre and the DIFC Arbitration Institute.

## **Events**

• Spoke at the UK-China Young Lawyers' Forum in Guangzhou, China (April 2019)