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EDUCATION

- LL.B. & MBA, National Taiwan University
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2008 - 2009 Elite Manager Associate & Sales Team Leader, Cathay Life Insurance, Taiwan

2004 - 2007 Intern Attorney & Attorney-at-Law, Lin & Shih Attorneys-at-Law, Taiwan

BIOGRAPHY

Yu-Shan Chang is a researcher at the Legal Aid Foundation (LAF) in Taiwan. She joined the LAF in 2017 and has been deeply involved in planning and undertaking research for better management, policy-making, and service innovation. Her research interests include empirical and comparative studies of legal aid systems, access to justice, the legal profession, and integrated legal services. She also incorporates interdisciplinary knowledge and methodology in her work.

Before joining the LAF, Yu-Shan practiced law in Taiwan and participated in legal aid work in her early career. She then pursued and obtained her LLM and PhD degrees at University College London (UCL), where her doctoral project focused on exploring and comparing the mechanisms and rationale for integrated publicly funded legal services in England and Wales, Australia, and Taiwan. In addition, Yu-Shan has volunteered in several not-for-profit and advice agencies, providing support to ethnic minorities and socially disadvantaged groups in both Taiwan and the UK. These experiences have significantly contributed to her current research work at the LAF.