**Resume of Xufeng Jia (贾旭风Jess)**

*Business oriented corporate lawyer with both Chinese and European law and economic education. Have 8+ years working experiences as a lawyer, researcher and policy analyst in both China and Europe in the field of Chinese inbound and outbound investment. Currently working as an in-house counsel in a Croatian Food and Drug Company, be in charge of company’s China-related legal and public affair.*

***Education***

**PhD Candidate-**European **Doctorate in Law and Economics,** Erasmus University of Rotterdam, Hamburg University and Bologna University- Erasmus mundus programme 2011-2016 (with scholarship)

Thesis*: Law and Economic Analysis of Chinese Overseas Mergers and Acquisitions*

**LLM -European Master in Law and Economic**

Hamburg University, Bologna University 2010-2011

Thesis: *Economic Analysis of Chinese Inbound FDI regulations*

**Judicial Master – Civil and Business Law**

East China University of Politics and Law, Shanghai, China 2004-2007

Thesis: *Regulation in E-commerce*

**BA in Finance and Accounting**

Harbin Commercial University, Harbin, China 1999-2003

***Working Experience***

**Senior Legal Counsel -Podravka D.D, Zagreb, Sept. 2015-**

* In charge of legal and public affairs with regard to China market, providing legal advice on strategic plans on company′s investment in China and Chinese investment to the company.
* In charge of advising other Global Business Development (GBD) projects, proving legal advice on company’s M&A projects and other GBD projects.
* Managing and working with outside counsels on international projects.
* Drafting and negotiating international project agreements

**Policy Analyst - EU-Asia Centre, Brussels, Sept. 2014 – August 2015**

* Policy analysis focusing on investment and Trade policies of China; EU-China economic diplomacy
* Drafting policy papers on Chinese inbound and outbound foreign Investment from/to the EU; China-Russia Relation under the West Sanction.
* Organize and host workshops in the field of EU-Asia Economic Relations

**Senior consultant - Asia Business Service, (Hong Kong, Shanghai) Sept. 2011- Jan 2014**

* Business development on EU-China investment projects.
* Planing European investment structure for Chinese clients, project based. Assisting Chinese clients in Europe with their overseas investment project, project based.

**Legal Consultant - Greatway Advisory (Shanghai) Ltd, Shanghai, Apri.2007-Sept.2010**

* Specialized in assisting European FDI in China. In particular, assist client to finalize investment structure, corporate set-up, M&A, compliance with International /China laws and regulations.
* Responsible for drafting legal documents in both Chinese and English. Including international trading agreement, distribution agreement, labour contracts and service agreements.

**Project Analyst - BP China, Shanghai,** **Nov. 2006-April.2007 Internship**

* Working in the team which was in charge of analysing the post-deal performance of BP’s merger of Castrol

**Legal Intern - Zhong Lun Jin Tong Law Firm, Shanghai, 2006**

* FDI team- US investment in China

***Lectures***

* Univeristy of Rijeka: EU-Croatia Economic Relation under the Current Global Climate- March,2016
* Vrije Universiteit Brussel: EU-China Economic Relation- Chinese ODI in the EU, September,2015
* Budapest Business School: Trade and investment between China and the EU- the Legal perspective- Feb.2015
* University of Ljubljana: How to do business with China- the legal perspective July 2014

***Members and Honours***

* Member of Association of the Bar of China. Sept.2008
* Guest speaker at 12th International M&A lawyers conference in Prague ,Sep.2015
* Panel speaker in Press Club Brussels –Chinese Overseas investment in the EU-new trend? May 2015.
* Guest speaker at 10th International M&A lawyers conference in Barcelona, Nov.2013.

***Languages*** Chinese: Native English: Fluent French: Basic