

An aerial photograph of the Tugu Pahlawan (Heroes Monument) in Jakarta, Indonesia. The monument is a tall, white, columnar structure with a golden flame-like finial, standing on a large, tiered, light-colored base. It is surrounded by a green lawn and a paved plaza. In the background, the dense urban landscape of Jakarta is visible, with various buildings and a clear sky. The image is framed by a dark blue diagonal banner that covers the top and bottom left corners.

**INDONESIA DISPUTE
RESOLUTION
POWERHOUSE**

ABOUT US

IDS Attorneys is an Indonesian litigation and dispute resolution law firm dedicated to defending businesses in Indonesia's most high-stakes commercial disputes.

We have acted for multinational clients in and out of court by combining legal intellect, relentless advocacy, and unwavering ethics.

We are truth-driven—crafting persuasive arguments, meticulous pleadings, and strategic advice that withstand judicial and adversarial scrutiny. When reputations, assets, and business continuity are on the line, we stand beside our clients with precision, perseverance, and principle.



OUR GUIDING PRINCIPLE

At IDS Attorneys, we believe the practice of law is a noble calling to stand up for what we believe is right. Every case entrusted to us is an opportunity to stand beside our clients, defend their rights by upholding the principles of justice and truth that make the legal profession a force for good.





WHAT SETS US APART

1. We bridge the gap between international best practices and local realities – we have had acted for clients in commercial conflicts in matters ranging from contract breaches, corporate disputes, marine incidents, insolvency issues to industrial relations disputes, each with its own challenges unique to Indonesia.
2. Ethical rigor – we are committed to ensure clients avoid reputational risk while pursuing justice by upholding integrity and professionalism in our law practice.

THE WAY WE WORK

IDS Attorneys deploys a dual lens: the client's vantage point and the law's exacting standards. Our approach cuts through complexity, ensuring clients fully understand their true legal position beyond instinctive defenses. We navigate clients to make informed decisions through clear-eyed legal analysis toward solutions rather than seeking mere justification.

We guide clients toward lawful achievable outcomes, prioritizing resolutions that align with their desired goals to the utmost possible or securing the closest viable alternative within legal bounds.



PRACTICE AREAS



Commercial Dispute
Resolution & Litigation

Insolvency &
Bankruptcy Solutions

Shipping & Maritime

Employment & Industrial
Relations

Arbitration &
Enforcement of Awards



COMMERCIAL DISPUTE RESOLUTION & LITIGATION

Legal insight, engineered for action.

Businesses operating in a globally diverse market are exposed to varying levels of risk. When disputes unexpectedly arise, we prioritize amicable resolutions through negotiation and mediation steer conflicts toward constructive outcomes. While avoiding disputes is always preferable, should conflicts escalate, we are engineered for action to protect our clients' interests.

In cases where disputes are inevitable, we pivot relentless advocacy to transform insight into action, ensuring no opportunity is missed and no threat is underestimated.

We provide strategic counsel and representation in a wide range of commercial disputes from straightforward matters to highly complex cases in matters related to disputes arising from business contracts and transactions, minority oppression and shareholders conflicts, and all other business-related contentious matters.

We advocate for clients before courts and tribunals at all levels, from first instance through appellate proceedings while carrying out our fiduciary duty to safeguard our clients' reputations with stakeholders and the public.

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SHIPPING & MARITIME

We are among the few of Indonesian specialized maritime lawyers.

We are at the forefront providing strategic solutions tailored to the maritime industry's unique challenges in Indonesia.

We have advised and acted for shipowners, charterers, shipyards, marine insurers, hull & machinery underwriters, and P&I clubs in shipping and admiralty law-related matters that encompasses:

1. Casualty & incident (wet matters)
 - Collisions, allisions, and groundings.
 - Cargo loss or damage claims.
 - Wreck removal and salvage.
 - Pollution liability.
 - Personal injury and crew claims.

2. Contractual & commercial (dry matters)
 - Charterparty matters (time, voyage, and bareboat charters).
 - Shipbuilding and repair contracts.
 - Insurance claims and coverage disputes (H&M, P&I, FD&D).
 - Bills of lading and cargo claims.
 - Freight and demurrage.
3. Ship arrest & maritime lien matters in Indonesia.
4. Indonesian Shipping Regulatory compliance.

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ARBITRATION & ENFORCEMENT OF AWARDS

Global & domestic arbitration and cross-border recovery.

We handle commercial arbitration across a broad spectrum of industries in various areas of laws including construction, maritime, shipping & international trade.

With a network of allied law firms worldwide, we act for multinational clients in proceedings before various arbitral tribunals, including ICC, SIAC, BANI, as well as ad hoc, and UNCITRAL arbitrations.

Enforcement and cross-border recovery of arbitral awards in Indonesia may expose clients to certain degree of challenges and complexity due to legal framework and judicial practices. We assist clients with the right strategy and local expertise in the recognition and enforcement of arbitral awards in Indonesia.

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INSOLVENCY & BANKRUPTCY SOLUTIONS

We act for clients resolving unsettled receivables and non-performing loans (NPL).

Creditors recovering past-due payments and insolvent debtors facing repayment challenges require tailored strategies from professionals to achieve optimal outcomes. Our lawyers stepped in to assist clients in resolving distressed debts situation, advised viable restructuring plans to avoid bankruptcy where possible and court-supervised reorganizations.

We have substantial experience in acting for creditors and debtors in bankruptcy and court-sanctioned suspension of payment (PKPU) proceedings in the Indonesian Commercial Court.

We guide clients toward lawful achievable outcomes, prioritizing resolutions that align with their desired goals to the utmost possible or securing the closest viable alternative within legal bounds.



EMPLOYMENT & INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS

We advise employment matters and represent clients in industrial relations disputes.

We provide comprehensive legal support for employment and industrial relations matters both contentious and non-contentious in Indonesia.

We have acted for clients in all stages of the mandatory industrial relations dispute resolution proceedings from employer-employee bipartite negotiations, mediation at the relevant Manpower Authorities to representation in the Industrial Relations Court.

We have substantial experience in handling industrial relations disputes in matters pertaining to employment termination, outsourcing contracts, and employment rights & benefits.

Our lawyers also provide strategic advice to clients on the legal framework & compliance, helping businesses align with Indonesia's evolving manpower laws to prevent disputes.

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OUR TEAM

Where Perspective Meets Precision.

We are truth-driven—crafting persuasive arguments, meticulous pleadings, and strategic advice that withstand judicial and adversarial scrutiny.



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Education

- Universitas Indonesia (S.H., 2003)
- Rijksuniversiteit Groningen, the Netherlands (LL.M., 2007)

Practice Areas

- Commercial Dispute Resolution & Litigation
- Shipping & Maritime
- Arbitration & Enforcement of Awards
- Insolvency & Bankruptcy Solutions
- Employment & Industrial Relations

Admission / Membership

- Perhimpunan Advokat Indonesia (Indonesian Advocates Association) (PERADI).
- Chartered Institute of Arbitrators (MCIArb).
- Asosiasi Kurator dan Pengurus Indonesia (Association of Indonesian Receiver and Administrator) (AKPI).
- Singapore Chamber of Maritime Arbitration (SCMA).
- The Inter-Pacific Bar Association (IPBA).

Languages

- Bahasa Indonesia
- English

Immanuel is a seasoned litigation attorney with over 20 years of law practice.

Immanuel is the Managing Partner of IDS Attorneys. He is admitted to practice in Indonesia and a registered foreign lawyer at the Singapore International Commercial Court (SICC).

His practice focuses on commercial disputes typically arising from business transactions and agreements. Immanuel is also specialized in handling shipping and maritime disputes in both “wet” and “dry” matters.

Immanuel has acted at all levels of Indonesian Courts, defending Indonesian and international clients in cases related to breach of contract, torts, insolvency and bankruptcy, insurance, industrial relations and other business-related contentious matters. He also acted for clients in domestic and international arbitration.

Immanuel began his legal career in 2004 as a pupil at a prominent litigation law firm in Jakarta. He was admitted to the Indonesian Bar in 2007 after completing his Master of Laws on scholarship grant from the Royal Dutch Government. Prior to founding his own practice, he worked with one of the largest law firms in Indonesia, where he played a key role in establishing and developing the firm’s dispute resolution practice.

Apart from being a lawyer, Immanuel places significant emphasis on legal academic activities and is occasionally invited to give lectures and speak at various forums.

Publication

- KPK and antigrift campaign (The Jakarta Post, 30 October 2009).
- Medical malpractice and crimes (The Jakarta Post, 12 December 2013) .
- Ship Arrest in Indonesia and Cross Border Maritime Dispute (Indonesian Journal of International Law, vol. 14, no. 4, 2017) .
- Sudah Saatnya Indonesia Menjadi Anggota HCCH (It is Time for Indonesia to Become a Member of HCCH) (Kompas.id, 28 July 2024) .
- Dinamika Hukum Pengangkutan Laut Di Indonesia Dalam Perjalanan Satu Abad Pendidikan Tinggi Hukum (The Dynamics of Law on Carriage of Goods by Sea in Indonesia in One Century Journey of Higher Law Education) (Percikan Pemikiran Makara Merah: Dari FHUI Untuk Indonesia, 6, Depok: UI Publishing, 2024).

Amanda is a dedicated litigation attorney driven by a fundamental belief: the pursuit of justice is the heart of legal practice.

Amanda began her legal career at a legal aid institution in Malang, East Java, where she represented vulnerable and underserved clients, deepening her commitment to justice and advocacy. Her first major case was a complex land dispute involving inactive railway lines that solidified her passion for legal problem-solving and equitable resolution.

After being admitted to the bar in 2021, she joined a local law firm in Malang, specializing in tort and fraud litigation. This experience sharpened her skills in dispute resolution and strategic advocacy, allowing her to navigate intricate legal challenges with precision and empathy.

Amanda's early law practice has transformed her into a legal professional with a solid foundation in contract and tort law. Drawing on her experience, she delivers clear, strategic advice on a wide range of contentious and non-contentious matters, including commercial contracts, industrial relations, and shipping & maritime law. A skilled advocate, Amanda combines rigorous legal analysis with a practical approach where she assesses each case holistically to develop tailored solutions.

Publication

- Legal Opinion: Peracunan Eks Spionase Rusia (Legal Opinion: Poisoning of Russian Ex-Espionage) (Jurnal Hukum Lex Generalis, vol. 1, no. 1, April 2020).
- Urgensi Peraturan Bioterrorisme di Indonesia dalam Perspektif Hak Asasi Manusia (The Urgency of Bioterrorism Regulations in Indonesia on Human Rights Perspective) (Jurnal HAM, vol. 11, no. 2, August 2020).
- The Right of Innocent Passage and Anchoring Rules in Indonesian Waters (IDS Insight, August 2023, co-authored with Immanuel A. Indrawan).
- Maritime Liens under Indonesian Law (IDS Insight, December 2023, co-authored with Immanuel A. Indrawan).



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Practice Areas

- Commercial Dispute Resolution & Litigation
- Shipping & Maritime
- Employment & Industrial Relations

Admission / Membership

- Perhimpunan Advokat Indonesia (Indonesian Advocates Association) (PERADI).

Languages

- Bahasa Indonesia
- English
- Getting to Know Admiralty Court in Indonesia (IDS Insight, February 2024, co-authored with Immanuel A. Indrawan).
- Choice of Forum and Choice of Law under Indonesian Law (IDS Insight, July 2024, co-authored with Immanuel A. Indrawan, Fathya Neysa Oktavia, and Ryszcha Mirdania).
- The Role of the Indonesian Admiralty Court Expanded (IDS Insight, January 2025, co-authored with Immanuel A. Indrawan).



Fathya is a dedicated legal professional who is committed to excellence.

At IDS Attorneys, she has been involved in a wide range of matters, both contentious and non-contentious, specifically in cases relating to shipping and maritime, torts, and industrial relations issues.

Fathya started her law career as an intern during her final year at law school. As a proactive learner, she represented her university internationally, winning accolades such as Best Position Paper award at Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona Model United Nations (MUN) 2021 and co-authoring a winning research paper on Indonesian state-owned enterprises' legal structures at the 3rd International Conference on Law, Governance, and Social Justice. Her global perspective was further enriched through an exchange program at Universiti Malaya, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia, fully funded by the Indonesian International Student Mobility Awards (IISMA), where she studied comparative legal-political systems and engaged in cross-cultural exchange.

Fathya leverages her organizational involvement in Asian Law Students' Association (ALSA) and Justitia English Club, along with her MUN and research experiences, to deliver insightful legal solutions. She approaches every challenge with persistence, adaptability, and a sharp analytical mindset, qualities that define her emerging career in law.

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- Universitas Jenderal Sudirman, Purwokerto, Indonesia (S.H. (Cum Laude), 2024)

Practice Areas

- Commercial Dispute Resolution & Litigation
- Employment & Industrial Relations

Languages

- Bahasa Indonesia
- English

Publication

- Service of Court Documents Out of and Into Indonesia (IDS Insight, November 2024, co-authored with Immanuel A. Indrawan).
- Choice of Forum and Choice of Law under Indonesian Law (IDS Insight, July 2024, co-authored with Immanuel A. Indrawan, Amanda E. Soeliongan, and Ryszcha Mirdania).
- Seafarer Professions Under Indonesian Law (IDS Insight, June 2024, co-authored with Immanuel A. Indrawan).
- Lesson from MV-Dali Baltimore Incident for Indonesia (IDS Insight, May 2024, co-authored with Immanuel A. Indrawan).
- Legal Standing of Parent and Subsidiary Companies of Indonesian Subsidiary State-Owned Enterprises (Atlantis Press, December 2023, co-authored with Ulil Afwa).
- Women and Digital Gender Division in Indonesia (ALSA International Legal Newsletter, March 2021).

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