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Ferish Patel provides strategic advice to clients in the US, Europe, Asia and MENA, across the full-spectrum of corporate matters - including private equity and other financings of all stages, IPOs, mergers and acquisitions and corporate governance matters. Ferish has helped clients raise over US\$150 billion in public and private capital and to achieve liquidity and other exit transactions. This includes advising on several, landmark deals in the technology and life sciences sectors - for example, representing Coupang on its \$5 billion US IPO (the second largest US IPO by an international company); Freshworks on its \$1 billion US IPO (the largest US IPO by an India-originated company); Flipkart on its \$16 billion sale to Walmart (the second largest M&A exit by a technology company); and Opthea on its US IPO (the largest US IPO by an Australian new economy company). Ferish represents clients from Cooley's New York, Singapore and London offices.

#### Representative Matters

#### M&A and Private Equity

- FinAccel on its proposed merger with VPC Impact Acquisition Holdings II
- The financial advisors in connection with Grab's merger with Altimeter Growth Corp and concomitant \$4 billion PIPE (the largest SPAC merger in history)
- Byju's on its \$500 million acquisition of Epic
- Flipkart on its \$16 billion sale to Walmart
- Thrasio on its acquisition of Lifelong
- Kaidee on its sale to Emerging Markets Property Group
- GoJek on its acquisition of Coins.ph
- WhiteHat Jr on its acquisition by Byju's

#### Capital Markets & Other Public Financings

- Opthea on its US\$115 million private placement and concomitant underwritten entitlement offer
- Opthea on its \$260 million public offering and concurrent private placement with Launch Therapeutics and The Carlyle Group
- The financial advisors in connection with Grab's merger with Altimeter Growth Corp and concomitant \$4 billion PIPE (the largest SPAC merger in history)
- Coupang on its \$4.5 billion NYSE initial public offering

- Opthea on its \$128 million Nasdaq initial public offering
- Freshworks on its \$1.1 billion Nasdaq initial public offering

#### Private Equity, Growth Equity and Pre-IPO Private Financings

- METUB on its Series B private financing (the largest Series B private financing in Vietnam)
- Nium on its \$50 million Series E private financing
- Square Peg Capital on its Series C private financing of Paper.ID
- FinAccel on its \$270 million Series D private financing
- Holmusk on its \$45 million Series B strategic investment by Veradigm
- Brookfield Private Equity on its Series D private financing of Sirion Labs
- Janio on its Series B private financing
- Mobile Premier League on its Series E private financing
- Nium on its \$200 million Series D private financing
- Meesho on its \$300 million Series E private financing
- ADQ on its private financing of Flipkart
- Coatue on its Series E private financing of BharatPe
- ADQ on its Series B private financing of Trukker
- FinAccel on its \$100 million Series C private financing
- Mobile Premier League on its Series D private financing
- Moglix on its Series E private financing
- Multiplier on its Series B private financing
- Zest Money on its Series C private financing
- Nas Daily on its Series B private financing
- Ula on its US\$120 million Series B private financing (one of the largest ever Series B financings in Southeast Asia)
- Trusting Social on its Series B private financing
- OnlinePajak on its Series C private financing
- Refyne on its Series B private financing
- Casa Verde Capital on its Series D private financing of Dutchie
- Nuevocor on its Series B private financing
- Mobile Premier League on its Series C private financing
- AlphaWave on its Series B private financing of GudangAda
- HolidayMe on its Series C private financing
- Coatue on its Series D private financing of BharatPe
- Homage on its Series B private financing
- Moglix on its Series D private financing
- FinAccel on its \$40 million Series B private financing
- Mobile Premier League on its Series B private financing

- Moglix on its Series C private financing
- Kalibrr on its Series B private financing
- OnlinePajak on its Series B private financing
- Alerzo on its Series B private financing
- Flipkart on its Series G private financing
- Private and growth equity funds including TA Associates, Brookfield Private Equity, Blackstone, KKR,
  AlphaWave and Tiger Global

#### **Early-Stage and Other Venture Capital Financings**

- LXA on its Series Seed private financing
- 10 Minute School on its Series Seed private financing (the largest seed financing in Bangladesh)
- DotBio on its Series Seed private financing
- NayaPay on its \$13 million Series Seed private financing (one of the largest seed financings in South Asia)
- Varni Labs on its Series Seed private financing
- Nas Daily on its Series A private financing
- Next Gen Foods on its \$100 million Series A private financing (the largest private financing for a plantbased food company)
- Lerna Biopharma (f/k/a Cargene Biopharma) on its Series A private financing
- Momos on its Series Seed private financing
- Nuevocor on its Series A private financing
- Refyne on its Series private financing
- Endowus on its Series A private financing (one of the largest ever Series A financings for a Singaporebased fintech)
- Bzaar on its Series Seed private financing
- Mineski on its Series A private financing
- Alerzo on its Series A private financing
- Holmusk on its Series A private financing
- Homage on its Series A private financing
- Ula on its Series A private financing
- Venture capital funds including GGV Capital, Coatue, Sequoia Capital, Lightspeed, Casa Verde Capital, Monograph Capital, Monk's Hill, EDBI Ventures, Tiger Global, Burda, Flourish Ventures and SMRT Ventures

### Education

St. John's University School of Law JD,

## **Admissions & Credentials**

Solicitor of Hong Kong

Singapore (Registered Foreign Lawyer, New York)

# Rankings & Accolades

India Business Law Journal: International A-List Lawyers (2021–2024)

Chambers Asia Pacific: Band 1 for Startups & Emerging Companies (2021–2023)

The Legal 500 Asia Pacific: Leading Lawyer for Start-up and Venture Capital (2023)

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