

Nicole Tan, President

Date Joined	August 1997
Previous Position(s) Held:	Assistant Secretary
Board Member:	2009-2010
Has Worked On:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Legal Committee (Chairperson)</li><li>• Professionalism Subcommittee</li><li>• Drafted AWARE's new by-laws in 2010</li></ul>
Affiliations to Other Organisations:	NA

An AWARE member for 14 years, Nicole served on the last Executive Committee as the Assistant Secretary and Chair of the Legal Subcommittee. She was also a member of the Professionalisation Subcommittee and drafted the new bye-laws. Nicole Tan is a partner in the Corporate and Securities Law Department of KhattarWong and a member of its International China Practice. Nicole has garnered substantial breadth and depth in corporate and securities law over more than a decade. She assists companies from their inceptions, through their various acquisitions, fund raising activities, and other commercial transactions to their public offerings. She also assists her listed clients in their compliance matters and secondary fund-raising. Nicole is one of the first batch of Registered Professionals qualified to undertake continuing sponsorship activities for companies listed on CataList. She was named one of AsiaLaw's Leading Lawyers 2008 (Mergers & Acquisitions).

As a mother, Nicole wants her nine-year-old daughter to grow up and have the capacity to be fully engaged in society. Apart from her passion to continue the good work that AWARE has done in the past on gender equality, Nicole treats the Presidency as a chance to teach her daughter by example. Her goals for 2009/2010 are to strengthen AWARE's research and public education efforts as well as to reach out to non-English speakers.