

## FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

For more information, contact:

Jessica A.P. Altieri, Communications Manager

Robinson+Cole | 860.541.2646, [jaltieri@rc.com](mailto:jaltieri@rc.com)

## Robinson+Cole Welcomes Three-Attorney Capital Markets Team

*Partner Arila Zhou and Associates Yang Xu and Tim Chen join in New York*

NEW YORK (March 10, 2022) – Robinson+Cole announces the addition of a New York-based team led by [Arila Zhou](#) as a partner along with associates [Yang Xu](#) and [Tiange \(Tim\) Chen](#) to complement the firm's complex business transactions capabilities. The team handles capital markets and securities matters with an emphasis on special purpose acquisition corporation (SPAC) transactions and initial public offerings of foreign issuers, particularly from Asia. Zhou, Xu and Chen, all native Mandarin speakers fluent in English, were previously with Hunter Taubman Fischer & Li in New York.

"We are thrilled to welcome Arila, Yang and Tim to the firm," said [Mitchell L. Lampert](#), chair of Robinson+Cole's Capital Markets group. "They are talented and well-known transactional lawyers. Their arrival has already added an important dimension to our practice by collaborating on client needs and enhancing efforts to grow our offerings."

**Arila** represents special purpose acquisition corporations, emerging growth companies, funds and investment banks, with an emphasis on private and public transactions in relation to a broad range of corporate, private equity, capital markets, securities law, mergers and acquisitions, and regulatory compliance matters.

**Yang** focuses her practice in the areas of securities law, corporate finance and corporate governance. In that capacity, she assists multi-national entities such as public and private companies, strategic investors, broker-dealers and other financial institutions in their corporate transactions, including securities offerings of both public and private companies, cross-border financing, and other general matters.

**Tim** advises issuers including SPACs, underwriters and investors on a variety of securities offering, disclosure, and compliance matters.

"We had previously referred work to Robinson+Cole and found the depth of talented lawyers was impressive and very well-received by our clients," said Zhou. "Combining our practices has been a seamless and natural fit which allows us to provide a more full-service offering to clients."

The team recently represented Prime Number Capital LLC, the lead underwriter in an initial public offering of Meihua International Medical Technologies (Nasdaq ticker symbol "MHUA"), a manufacturer and provider of disposable



medical devices with operating subsidiaries in China. The successful closing of the IPO makes MHUA the first China-based company to list in the U.S. since July 2021.

#### **About Robinson+Cole**

Robinson+Cole is an AmLaw 200 law firm established over 175 years ago, with a deeply-rooted culture of collaboration, civility and inclusion. The Mansfield Rule Certified-firm has more than 230 lawyers in ten offices throughout the Northeast, Mid-Atlantic, Florida and California, serving regional, national, and international clients, from start-ups to Fortune 50 companies. Robinson+Cole is a service mark of Robinson & Cole LLP. For more information, please visit [www.rc.com](http://www.rc.com).

# # #