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From December 2003 to April 2004 Professor Liu was invited by the IP Academy Singapore and Faculty of Law National University of Singapore to act as visiting Senior Research Fellow and visiting Associate Professor, where he taught a course on Comparative Communications Law. Professor Liu was invited by the British Academy as exchange scholar and visited Queen Mary from December 2008 to February 2009. He was awarded the senior Fulbright research grant and visited Stanford University for six months as Fulbright Scholar (January –June 2011).

From 17 February 2006 to 12 April 2007 Professor Liu took leave from the Academia Sinica to serve as one of the seven founding Commissioners of the National Communications Commission in Taiwan, which is equivalent to the Federal Communications Commission in the US.

Professor Liu is co-appointed professor at two renowned universities in Taiwan: the Institute of Law for Science and Technology, National Tsing Hua University (2007-) and the Graduate Institute of Technology, Innovation & Intellectual Property Management, National Chengchi University (2010-).

Between 14 April 2014 and 13 July 2015 Professor Liu was invited by the School of Law, Singapore Management University (SMU) as visiting professor and the founding Director of the "Applied Research Center for Intellectual Assets and the Law in Asia" (ARCIALA). Professor Liu was awarded the Lee Kong Chian Professorship of Law with a research grant of S\$10,000 for the period from 1 January 2015 to 31 July 2016. Between 14 July 2015 and 31 January 2017, Professor Liu returns to Academia Sinica and became the external director of ARCIALA.

In February 2017 Professor Liu retired from Academia Sinica, and rejoined SMU as visiting professor and the director of ARCIALA. Beginning from July 1, 2017 Professor Liu has been appointed the Lee Kong Chian Professor of Law (practice) by SMU. In addition, Professor Liu is also affiliated with Renmin University of China as full faculty member from February 2017 through the recruitment program of Global Experts (aka "Thousand Talents Program"), the highest level of recruiting program of the nation to attract distinguished scholars from abroad (not limited to scholars of Chinese ethnicity).

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