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Throughout the year, Jlegal examines the PQE of a senior in-house counsel. On this occasion we chat with Deborah Foo and learn if she could turn back time, she would land smack in the middle of the 80s.

- What is on your mind at the moment? Getting home as I am responding to all these questions on a flight.
- What secret talent do you have? Being able to manage my time such that I am in bed before 11 p.m. on most weekdays.
- If you weren't a lawyer you would be a ... voice over artist or aesthetic doctor.
- Where is the best place you have ever been to? Snowy Tromso, Norway in the Arctic Circle.
- What is your idea of misery? Having to work in the office on a public holiday.
- What is the strangest thing you have seen? Bare-chested man "walking" his pet parrot on his arm at East Coast Park.
- What is your motto? Always do your best irrespective of whether it is a trivial or important matter.
- If you could have one superpower it would be ...? Power to turn back time.

- Top 3 favourite movies of all time? Dawn of the Dead, World War Z, Elvira: Mistress of the Dark (totally camp and so funny even after three decades).
- What do you consider the most overrated virtue? IQ. It will certainly get you a long way but a lot more is needed to succeed.
- What irritates you? Lazy, wilfully obtuse, incompetent people.
- What was your last Google search? Hotels for my upcoming vacation.
- If you could time travel, where would you go? Back to 1986 right in the middle of the 80s when new romantic music was at its height and life was gentler and just beginning.
- What's the one food you could never bring yourself to eat? Dog meat!
- Which of the Seven Dwarfs is most like you? None, humans are just too complex to fit only one character.

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