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# TRANSFORMING GLOBAL FINANCE

lobal finance, restructuring, tax, and wealth management are witnessing profound transformations. The global economic slowdown has forced businesses to reassess their financial frameworks, and led to tax policy reforms aimed at curbing base erosion and profit shifting. The OECD's BEPS initiative exemplifies this shift, nudging multinationals toward greater tax transparency and more rigorous management strategies.

Simultaneously, wealth management is evolving towards greater personalization and the integration of ESG criteria. Millennial investors, prioritizing sustainability, are at the forefront of this change, demanding that their investments reflect their values. Industry leaders have responded by embedding sustainability at the core of investment criteria, promoting the growth of ESG funds and demonstrating that aligning financial returns with ethical principles is not merely feasible but essential. The rise of regtech and insurtech is in response to the significant regulatory challenges that businesses must overcome: for instance, the European Blockchain Sandbox initiative exemplifies how these sectors are navigating complex regulatory environments. This initiative facilitates collaboration between regulators and companies to ensure compliance while fostering innovation.

Yet, despite these challenges, opportunities abound. Technological innovation, particularly in fintech and blockchain, is redefining financial services. Blockchain technology, for instance, is being harnessed to enhance transparency and traceability in wealth management, as evidenced by initiatives from firms like Fidelity

The future of finance will be determined by those who adeptly embrace these technologies while maintaining a steadfast commitment to sustainable practices. On June 13th 2024, the European Commission announced the selection of Iota's Web3 ID solution, highlighting its potential to revolutionize KYC processes using distributed ledger technology and tokenization on a mass scale. Concurrently, The Open Network blockchain ecosystem has earmarked \$5 million in Toncoin tokens to encourage users to verify their identity through advanced palm-scanning technology, reflecting a broader industry trend towards solving digital identity problems. The future of finance belongs to those capable of reinventing traditional models while building a more resilient and responsible financial landscape. •



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# A CFO needs to have the mindset of an entrepreneur



Interview with LOUIS CLÉMENT CFO, TAPNATION

"There is no such thing as a good CFO, there is a good CFO depending on the needs of the company"

After working as a part-time CFO at TapNation for a year, Louis Clément was appointed to the role full-time in 2021. The past three years have seen the French mobile-games publisher enjoy a period of hypergrowth. The 34-year-old Lille native discusses role of a CFO in the video-game industry.

#### LEADERS LEAGUE: What was your background before joining TapNation?

Louis Clément: After graduating from Kedge Business School, I joined PwC where I worked for six years in transaction services. I was involved in financial due diligence operations, for both purchases and sales, in France and abroad and on all types of companies, from startups to listed companies. In all, I was involved in around thirty deals.

After a handful of years, I felt the urge to get more involved with the businesses I was assisting. I come from a family of entrepreneurs and I grew up seeing private enterprise as the driving force of the econ-

So, in 2020, I joined 2CFinance, a financial management consultancy. They put me to work as a part-time CFO for a dozen startups, one of which was TapNation. My job was to support them on a wide range of topics. It was an intense and stimulating experience, and I loved the variety and the close contact with the project leaders.

#### Why did you choose to join TapNation?

On paper, I wouldn't have been instinctively drawn to the video-game sector as a career choice, but I experienced first-hand how dynamic a market it could be when I started working with TapNation at the end of 2020. I was impressed by what they had built up in such a short space of time, with virtually no funding.

I liked the company's DNA and the vision of its CEO, Hervé Montoute, a serial entrepreneur in the TMT sector. The company was experiencing hypergrowth and needed a full-time CFO, so I ended up joining in 2021. We've raised €15 million and reached €50 million in sales by 2023, all while remaining profitable. We were named a 'Growth Champion' by French business daily Les Echos earlier this year, for our average annual growth rate of 304% between 2019 and 2022.

#### What's your favorite memory from a deal you worked on?

When we bought a game in Vietnam. We were faced with all the problems that arise during cross-border deals: cultural and linguistic barriers, payment security uncertainty, reluctance to share information. Our contact at the Vietnamese developer didn't speak English very well, which created mistrust, particularly when it came to providing data, despite three months of discussions.

So, we took the decision to fly out and spend ten days on site, me and three other members of the team, to audit the game and get to know the company behind it. We finally were able to agree on a price, contractual aspects and payment, the main sources of disagreement. It was a great insight into the importance of the human factor in M&A deals.

#### What makes a good CFO?

There is no such thing as a good CFO; there is a good CFO depending on the needs of the company. A company that has to manage 1,000 people with complex processes and another that is experiencing hypergrowth with financing issues do not require the same CFO skillsets. One constant is you need to be a good business partner, close to the management team and employees.

#### What entrepreneurial aspects does the job of CFO entail?

The entrepreneurial dimension of the job feeds my curiosity. When you move from consulting to CFO, the issues are not the same. It can be a tough transition, especially if you like to master the whole value chain, which is less easy when you're more involved in operations. The CFO has to understand what others are doing, both in the finance department and in the rest of the company. A CFO can't stay in their own corner. They need to have the mindset of an entrepreneur, always be ready to adapt and seek to understand situations, in order to find solutions and communicate with all the stakeholders in the company's ecosystem. •

# Investing in IT infrastructure is key to have secure systems capable of handling crypto-transactions



Interview with **SILVIA MADRID** Head of Legal & Compliance. **UNICREDIT** 

"The main factor allowing financial institutions to offer cryptoassets has been the approval of a pioneering regulatory framework in MiCA"

In this exclusive interview with Leaders League, Silvia Madrid addresses the challenges of the financial sector's evolving regulatory landscape, emerging compliance trends like ESG and data privacy, and explores the integration of cryptoassets in financial institutions under the MiCA framework.

LEADERS LEAGUE: As the legal director of UniCredit in Spain, how do you manage the regulatory changes?

Silvia Madrid: One of the legal team's main challenges, certainly, is to keep up with, and adjust to, the fast-changing regulatory framework which the financial sector is subject to. Since the 2007 financial crisis in particular, the sector has suffered a regulatory tsunami which has multiplied capital, liquidity and control requirements. We have to make a significant effort to keep up with continuous legislative changes which have affected almost all segments of the legal spectrum (regulatory, finance, corporate, labor, tax, antitrust, market abuse, to name but a few), and help adjust the local business model and the labor force to such changes. In order to be continuously updated, not only do we have to read the State Official Gazette ("BOE"), every day, but also monitor the different newsletters and legal articles on new regulations affecting the sector, participate in legal forums and seminars on different new regulatory topics, and interact with colleagues who face similar regulatory challenges, because we always learn from each other.

#### What trends to do you see emerging in compliance?

Compliance has become a key element in all companies, and the different trends reflect the growing complexity and importance of compliance in today's business environment. Trends continue to evolve, driven by changes in regulations, technology and the global business environment. In my view these trends do not relate only to the financial sector. Among the key emerging trends in compliance, I could highlight the following: the increasing focus on ESG; the relevance of data privacy and cybersecurity; the use of regulatory technology to

manage compliance processes; the globalization and harmonization of compliance standards across jurisdictions; a growing emphasis on building a culture of ethical compliance; as mentioned above, the adaptation to rapid regulatory changes; an increasing focus on diversity, equity and inclusion compliance as part of the corporate culture; an increased scrutiny on anti-money laundering and anti-bribery and corruption; and also a trend of simplification, which in my view is key to achieving a successful corporate compliance culture within any company.

What should financial institutions take into consideration when integrating cryptoassets into their banking services? The main factor allowing financial institutions to offer cryptoassets within

their services has been the approval of a pioneering regulatory framework (MiCA Regulation on Markets in Crypto-assets). Financial institutions have been studying and discussing MiCA for months in order to provide cryptoasset services to their clients. In that sense, the main financial institutions have built in a team comprising specialists from the business, technical, legal and compliance areas, to prepare for the new crypto services framework. Besides the legal framework, financial institutions need to develop a crypto-specific risk management strategy to address the unique risks associated with cryptoassets (such as market volatility, liquidity risks and cybersecurity threats). Investing in IT infrastructure is also key in order to have secure and resilient systems capable of handling crypto-transactions, as well as strengthening their cybersecurity measures. And of course, educating customers who may be unfamiliar with cryptoassets, to help them understand the risks and benefits of crypto-investments. •



# Tax managers play a key role in decision-making and risk management processes



Interview with **CLAUDIA DONADON** Head of Tax & Statutory Financial Statements, ASTRAZENECA

"Tax aovernance must be intrinsic to each business decision"

Claudia Donadon spoke to Leaders League about the hot topics that pass her desk every day, and emphasized how gratifying it is to work for a group that prioritizes scientific research and access to care.

#### LEADERS LEAGUE: What issues does the Italian tax department at AstraZeneca deal with?

The Italian team is responsible for the fiscal management and statutory financial statements of the Italian group. As far as tax issues are concerned, we are responsible, with the support of several consulting firms, for ensuring compliance with national tax regulations, constantly monitoring legislative developments and ensuring that the company adopts proper tax practices. This is a highly relevant subject in Italy, where tax legislation is particularly complex.

The team works closely with other corporate departments, such as legal and compliance, to ensure the tax strategy adopted by the group is compatible with the company's operational and strategic needs. In addition, the team coordinates with colleagues groupwide, ensuring a global approach but one adapted to local specificities. The main activities of the tax team include the management of tax returns, tax reporting and forecasting activities, VAT-related activities, and what we more generally refer to as tax compliance. We are also in charge of monitoring and implementing all issues pertaining to transfer pricing and managing tax audits and the subsequent pre-litigation and litigation phases.

Finally, the team supports all business departments on specific projects that are launched from time to time by providing advisory support on relevant tax issues and the preparation of contractual documentation

With regard to financial statements activities, the team is responsible for the preparation of statutory financial statements and all the preliminary and subsequent audit phases carried out by the auditing firm. This visibility, responsibility and management of financial statements fits neatly within our fiscal responsibilities, as it allows a critical examination of the correct

application of the OIC or IAS/IFRS accounting standards given the principle of derivation of taxable income from the result for the year.

#### What are the biggest challenges you have faced in your role at the company?

The first challenge is to make myself a technically reliable professional on a daily basis; this entails continuous training and updating, as Italy is particularly prolific in the production of regulations, which in the tax sector can be uneven, fragmented and difficult to interpret - conditions that make "legal certainty" an illusion.

The second challenge is being part of a multinational group and conveying these issues within the broader international organizational set up. Furthermore, the technical challenges that Italian tax professionals face on a daily basis must be integrated into the administrative management of resources and colleagues; this entails the ability to make highly technical language understandable to a more general audience on the operational management side, and on the other hand, the ability to place oneself in an open and proactive relationship with corporate initiatives by being an effective business partner.

#### Do you think that a company's tax director can play a strategic role in defining business objectives?

In my opinion, tax governance must be intrinsic to each business decision, and that is why tax managers play a key role in decision-making and risk-management processes. Tax risk management allows organizations to put in place preventive activities for risks that could have capital or reputational impacts, which is why I believe that having, as a tax manager, a strategic look at business issues is critical to allow you to preserve value for the business and thus generate value within a function that is usually considered pure cost. •

# Financial analysis and treasury and liquidity management help ensure our brands have the resources to operate efficiently



Interview with **ALEKSANDRO OLIVEIRA** CFO, EDSON QUEIROZ GROUP

"Investment and expansion decisions must consider the feasibility and expected return in each area of operation"

Brazil's Edson Queiroz Group has brands in different sectors, such as the Verdes Mares Communication System, the Nacional Gás distributor and Minalba mineral water. Its CFO, Aleksandro Oliveira, discusses the main challenges facing the finance department.

LEADERS LEAGUE: What are the main challenges for the finance department at **Edson Queiroz Group?** 

Aleksandro Oliveira: The financial management of a conglomerate with brands in such diverse sectors as those of the Edson Queiroz Group presents unique challenges. Among them is the diversification of revenue and costs, since each business has its own structure. Additionally, regulatory and compliance issues require extra attention because each sector is governed by specific regulations. Another fundamental aspect is planning and budgeting, as aligning the finances of multiple areas can be complex. Risk management also varies by sector, as does the integration of systems, which is essential to ensure efficient communication and accurate data consolidation.

Financial analysis and tailored reporting for each segment are crucial, as well as treasury and liquidity management, which must ensure that all brands have the necessary resources to operate efficiently. Lastly, investment and expansion decisions must consider the feasibility and expected return in each area of operation. Overcoming these challenges demands a strategic approach, a deep understanding of each brand's operations, and strong financial analysis and management skills.

#### How do external factors such as exchange rate fluctuations, input inflation and logistics costs impact the company's financial management?

To manage this, GEQ adopts a series of strategies: currency hedging, using financial instruments to protect against exchange rate fluctuations; supplier and contract review, renegotiating contracts with partners to mitigate cost increases and explore more economical alternatives; price adjustments, modifying the prices of products and services to reflect rising costs without losing competitiveness; operational efficiency, investing in technology and processes to optimize logistics and reduce expenses; and

planning and forecasting, implementing robust financial planning to predict and manage the effects of exchange rate fluctuations, inflation, and logistics costs. By constantly monitoring these external factors and adjusting strategies as needed, we can minimize any negative impact and ensure financial stability.

#### What effect will the recent Brazilian tax reform have on Grupo Edson Queiroz's businesses?

The tax reform could have a series of effects on GEO's businesses, which operate in various sectors such as communication, energy, home appliances and mineral water. It all depends on the specifics of the reform. To minimize any negative impact and take advantage of opportunities, the holding is closely monitoring the subject. We are assessing how specific changes impact each business unit and will adjust their financial and operational strategies accordingly.

#### How is technology being used by the company's financial area to improve processes, make economic forecasts and inform decision-making?

The financial area of Grupo Edson Queiroz (GEQ) has leveraged technology to modernize its processes and make data-driven decisions. A significant milestone was implementing SAP S/4HANA, which offers a centralized and analytical view of all financial operations of the Holding. This solution enables more efficient resource management, process optimization, and increased productivity, in addition to bringing greater accuracy and agility to negotiations. The technological evolution of the financial area at GEQ enables continuous adaptation of processes without compromising operational stability. The harmonization of complex processes across various units and regions, combined with strong governance and an advanced technological infrastructure, strategically positions the group to face economic challenges and maximize financial efficiency in the long term. •

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	RECOMMENDED
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Cassels Brock & Blackwell	Jason Arbuck, Alison Manzer, Marc Mercier, Charles Newman, Charles Rich, Jennifer Wasylyk
Dentons	Dennis Wiebe
2 Aird & Berlis	Aaron Collins, Jill Fraser
Burnet, Duckworth & Palmer	Katherine Pybus
DLA Piper	Eric Belli-Bivar, Marc Philibert
Gowling WLG	Elizabeth Burton, David Cohen



# **PROJECT FINANCE**

#### **Best Law Firms**

In each tier, the firms are ordered alphabetically

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
	LEADING
McCarthy Tétrault	Linda Brown, Stephen Furlan, David Lever
Osler, Hoskin & Harcourt	Chris Bennett, Tobor Emakpor
Blake, Cassels & Graydon	Alain Massicotte, Jeffrey Merrick, Judy Wilson
Davies Ward Phillips & Vineberg	Robert Bauer, Carol Pennycook, Gregory Southam, Nicholas Williams
Stikeman Elliott	Patrick Duffy, Jamie Templeton
Torys	Mark Bain, Scott Kraag
	EXCELLENT
DLA Piper	Ian Bendell
Fasken	Brian Kelsall, Ella Plotkin
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
Borden Ladner Gervais	Douglas Sanders
McMillan	Timothy Murphy, Peter Willis
Norton Rose Fulbright	Douglas Buchanan QC
Aird & Berlis	Douglas Younger
Bennett Jones	Jason Roth
Dentons	Ilan Dunsky, Jana Mansour
Farris	Michael Allen
Goodmans	Ira Berg
Gowling WLG	David Cohen

# **CAPITAL MARKETS**

#### **Best Law Firms**

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
	LEADING
McCarthy Tétrault	Patrick Boucher, Marc MacMullin, Andrew Parker
Osler, Hoskin & Harcourt	Rosalind Hunter, Desmond Lee, Eric Levy
Stikeman Elliott	D'Arcy Nordick, Sean Vanderpol
Blake, Cassels & Graydon	Tim Andison, Eric Moncik, Catherine Youdan
Torys	Scott Cochlan, Rima Ramchandani, David Seville
	EXCELLENT
Davies Ward Phillips & Vineberg	Olivier Désilets, Robert Murphy, David Wilson
Goodmans	Stephen Pincus
Norton Rose Fulbright	Marcus Archer, Andrea Brewer, Elliot Shapiro
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
Fasken	Sarah Gingrich, Sean Stevens
Bennett Jones	Kristopher Hanc, John Piasta
Borden Ladner Gervais	Kent Kufeldt
Burnet, Duckworth & Palmer	Jeff Oke
Cassels Brock & Blackwell	Mark Bennett
Dentons	Stephanie Campbell, Bill Gilliland
McMillan	Paul Collins, Leo Raffin

# **RESTRUCTURING & INSOLVENCY**

#### **Best Law Firms**

	FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
		LEADING
	Goodmans	Robert Chadwick, Joseph Pasquariello
	Osler, Hoskin & Harcourt	Marc Wasserman
		EXCELLENT
	Bennett Jones	Christopher Simard, Kevin Zych
	Blake, Cassels & Graydon	Bernard Boucher, Kelly Bourassa, Pamela Huff, Peter Rubin
	McCarthy Tetrault	James Gage
	Stikeman Elliott	Jean Fontaine, Elizabeth Pillon
	Thornton Grout Finnigan	Robert Thornton
	Torys	Tony DeMarinis
		HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
1	Cassels Brock & Blackwell	Shayne Kukulowicz
	Davies Ward Phillips & Vineberg	Denis Ferland, Natasha MacParland, Robin Schwill
	Norton Rose Fulbright	Luc Morin
2	Borden Ladner Gervais	Marc Duchesne
	Dentons	Kenneth Kraft
	Fasken	Stuart Brotman, Kibben Jackson, Aubrey Kauffman, Haroon Laher, Alain Riendeau
	Gowling WLG	Clifton Prophet
		RECOMMENDED
1	Aird & Berlis	Ian Aversa, D. Robb English, Steven Graff, Sanjeev Mitra
	McMillan	Wael Rostom
2	Chaitons	Harvey Chaiton
	DLA Piper	Brian Davison QC
	Fishman Flanz Meland Paquin	Mark Meland
	Lax O'Sullivan Lisus Gottlieb	Matthew Gottlieb
	Lenczner Slaght	Monique Jilesen, Matthew Lerner, Peter Osborne





# **CORPORATE TAX**

#### **Best Law Firms**

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
	LEADING
Blake, Cassels & Graydon	Paul Stepak, Mark Tonkovich, Jeffrey Trossman, Scott Wilkie
Davies Ward Phillips & Vineberg	Ian Crosbie, Elie Roth, John Ulmer, Marie-Emmanuelle Vaillancourt
Osler, Hoskin & Harcourt	Mark Brender, David Jacyk, Patrick Marley, Edward Rowe
	EXCELLENT
Goodmans	Carrie Smit
McCarthy Tétrault	Christian Meighen
Torys	Corrado Cardarelli, Jerald Wortsman
Bennett Jones	Thomas Bauer, Darcy Moch
Stikeman Elliott	John Lorito
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
Borden Ladner Gervais	Pamela Cross, Craig Webster
EY Law	Daniel Sandler
Fasken	Christopher Steeves
Felesky Flynn	Brent Perry QC
Norton Rose Fulbright	Dominic Belley, Dion Legge
Thorsteinssons	Michael Colborne
	RECOMMENDED
Burnet, Duckworth & Palmer	John Brussa, Heather DiGregorio
Dentons	Mark Woltersdorf
Gowling WLG	Paul Carenza, John Sorensen
McMillan	Michael Friedman, Todd Miller
	VALUABLE PRACTICE
Aird & Berlis	Francesco Gucciardo
Baker McKenzie	Jacques Bernier
Deloitte	Mike Collinge, Olivier Fournier, Joel Scheuerman
KPMG	Lucia Iacovelli
PwC	Patrick Lindsay

# **FUND FORMATION**

#### Best Law Firms

	FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
		LEADING
	Davies Ward Phillips & Vineberg	Patrick Barry, Sarbjit Basra
	Osler, Hoskin & Harcourt	Andrew Aziz, John Black
	Torys	Amy Johnson-Spina
		EXCELLENT
1	Stikeman Elliott	Joel Binder, Alix d'Anglejan-Chatillon, Jeffrey Elliott
2	Bennett Jones	Jason Roth
	Blake, Cassels & Graydon	Jeff Glass, Kevin Rusli
	McCarthy Tétrault	Andrew Armstrong, Sean Sadler
		HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
	Borden Ladner Gervais	Lynn McGrade
	DLA Piper	Ian Bendell
	Farris	Maria McKenzie
	Fasken	François Brais, Stephen Erlichman, John Kruk
	Goodmans	John Connon
	Gowling WLG	Ted Betts
	McMillan	Michael Burns, Jason Chertin
	Norton Rose Fulbright	Jay LeMoine



# **BANKING & FINANCE**

#### **Best Law Firms**

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
	LEADING
Galicia Abogados	Maurice Berkman, Manuel Galicia, Rosemarie McLaren, Arturo Perdomo, Humberto Perez, Guillermo Perez, Rodrigo Rivera
Ritch, Mueller y Nicolau	Thomas Mueller-Gastell, Luis Nicolau Gutiérrez, Jean Paul Farah, Pablo Perezalonso
Creel, García-Cuéllar, Aiza y Enríquez	Carlos Aiza
Mijares, Angoitia, Cortés y Fuentes	Manuel Echave, Francisco Ibáñez, Ricardo Maldonado, Martín Sánchez
Nader Hayaux & Goebel	Julian Garza, Hans Goebel, Michell Nader
	EXCELLENT
Greenberg Traurig	Juan Manuel González, José Raz Guzman
Pérez-Llorca	José Ignacio Rivero, Bernardo Reyes, Luis Mancera
White & Case	Juan Antonio Martín, Sean Goldstein
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
Bgbg - Bello, Gallardo, Bonequi y García	Miguel Gallardo, Javier Perez, Juan Manuel Sancho, Alejandro Stamoglou
Chávez Vargas Abogados	José Antonio Chávez
DLA Piper Mexico	Diego Martínez, Edgar Romo
Garrigues Mexico	David Jiménez, Mario Juárez, Gabriela Perez Sierra
Jones Day	Manuel Romano
Kuri Breña, Sánchez Ugarte y Aznar	Guillermo Garay, Daniel Kuri Breña, Bernardo Luna
Robles Miaja Abogados	Maria Luisa Petricioli, Rafael Robles Miaja
	RECOMMENDED
Basham Ringe y Correa	Miguel Angel Peralta, Pedro Said
Blanco Carrillo	Diego Blanco
Cannizzo	Carlo Cannizzo, Marco Cannizzo, Stefano Amato
CMS Woodhouse Lorente Ludlow	César Lechuga, Fernando Nava, Raul Zepeda
Creel Abogados	Carlos Creel
Cuatrecasas México	León López, Gustavo Robles, Gizeh Polo, Mariana Campos, Jose Higinio Núñez
Cuesta Campos	Hugo Cuesta, Azucena Marin
Del Castillo y Castro Abogados	Alfonso Castro
Gaxiola Calvo	Jorge Gaxiola
Hogan Lovells	Federico de Noriega
Holland & Knight	Alejandro Landa Thierry

Santamarina y Steta	Juan Carlos Machorro
SMPS Legal	Maria Esther Rey, Iván Pérez Correa
Von Wobeser y Sierra	Luis Burgueño, Alberto Córdoba
	VALUABLE PRACTICE
Casares Carrillo Abogados	Antonio Casares
DeForest Abogados	Rodrigo Márquez, Sandra Naveda, Fernando Ruiz, Gustavo Zepeda Ruíz
Deloitte Legal Mexico	Ramón Bravo, Diego Valdés
EY Mexico	Pablo Enriquez, Leonora Olmedo
FLAG	Adrián Cabrero, Boris Otto
García Velasco & García De Luca	Gonzalo Garcia Velasco
Goodrich Riquelme y Asociados	Agustín Urdapilleta
Jáuregui y Del Valle	Luis Balderas, Luis Flores
Müggenburg Gorches y Peñalosa	Luis Gerardo Ramírez Villela
Pérez Correa Gonzalez	Fernando Eraña, Luis Gonzalez, Jorge Labastida
Rapa - Ruiz Ahumada Palazuelos	Jose Ruiz Lopez
Sánchez-Labrador & López Martínez	Diego Sánchez-Labrador, Víctor López
Trujillo Abogados	Oscar Arroyo

# **FINTECH**

#### **Best Law Firms**

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)	
	LEADING	
Albanesi Tech Legal Consulting	Victoria Albanesi	
Creel, García-Cuéllar, Aiza Y Enríquez	Jean Michel Enriquez, Juan Carlos Ollivier	
Crs Legal	Diego Arzamendi Caso	
Nader Hayaux & Goebel	Adrian Lopez	
	EXCELLENT	
Bgbg - Bello, Gallardo, Bonequi y García	Miguel Gallardo, Javier Pérez, Juan Carlos Tejado	
Chevez Ruiz Zamarripa y Cia.	Valentin Ibarra	
Galicia Abogados	Manuel Galicia, Arturo Perdomo, Humberto Perez	
Greenberg Traurig	Arturo Pérez-Estrada	
Legal Paradox	Carlos Valderrama Narvaez	
Pérez-Llorca	José Ignacio Rivero, Luis Mancera	
HIGHLY RECOMMENDED		
Basham Ringe y Correa	Miguel Angel Peralta, Pedro Said	
Chávez Vargas Abogados	Fernando Serrallonga, Alejandro Carreño	
Davara Abogados	Isabel Davara	
Innovaciones Legales	Héctor Alejandro Atondo Siu, David Sanchez Rosales	
Legal Project	Pamela Soto	
Pérez Correa Gonzalez y Asociados	Fernando Eraña, Emilio Carrillo	
Ritch, Mueller y Nicolau	Pablo Perezalonso Eguia, Eduardo Triulzi	
Sánchez-Labrador & López Martínez	Diego Sánchez-Labrador, Víctor López, Ernesto Santiago Guerrero	
White & Case	Eduardo Flores, Juan Antono Martin, Andrés Mosqueira	
	RECOMMENDED	
Cannizzo	Stefano Amato, Enrique García	
EY Mexico	Pablo Enriquez, Leonora Olmedo, Tatiana Treviño	
Jáuregui y Del Valle	Luis Balderas	
Kuri Breña, Sánchez Ugarte y Aznar	Rodrigo López Márquez	
Mijares, Angoitia, Cortés y Fuentes	Ignacio Armida Beguerisse	





# **CORPORATE TAX**

#### **Best Law Firms**

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
	LEADING
Chevez Ruiz Zamarripa Y Cia.	Iván Moguel, Ricardo Rendón
Creel, García-Cuéllar, Aiza Y Enríquez	Jorge Correa, Alejandro Santoyo, Omar Zuñiga
	<b>EXCELLENT</b> Gerardo Nieto, Gil Zenteno, Alejandro Barrera, Sergio Barajas, Victor Barajas,
Basham Ringe y Correa	Franciso Matus, Norberto Ruiz
Galicia Abogados	Gabriela Pellón, Federico Scheffler, Edson Uribe, Denise Lester, Eduardo Michan
Ritch, Mueller y Nicolau	Oscar A. López Velarde, Santiago Llano Zapatero
Skatt	Viviana Belaunzáran, Rodrigo Covarrubias, Luis García, Felipe Mendoza, Uriel Olvera, Jaime Rojas, Ronaldo Moya
Turanzas Bravo & Ambrosi	Francisco Ortega, Pedro Ramirez, Angel Turanzas
Baker McKenzie	Jorge Narváez-Hásfura, Luis Carbajo
EY Mexico	Manuel F. Solano, José Pizarro-Suárez
Jáuregui Y Del Valle	Luis Del Valle, Oscar Paz
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
Anaya Abogados	Edgar Anaya, Fabiola Díaz
Arias Y Meurinne	Luis Eduardo Meurinne
Garrigues México	Abel Mejía-Cosenza, Francisco Barajas, Guillermo Villaseñor, Manuel Llaca, Mariana Eguiarte, Ricardo Fernández De Arellano, Ricardo León-Santacruz
Martín, Isla & Pickering abogados	Ricardo Martín González
Muñoz, Manzo Y Ocampo	Federico Groenewold, Alejo Muñoz
Nader Hayaux & Goebel	Ana Paula Pardo L., Adalberto Valadez
Natera	Christian Natera
Parás Asesores Fiscales	Alejandro Guizar
Creel Abogados	Carlos Martinez, Javier Portas
Foley Arena	Roberto Arena, Fernando Camarena
Jones Day	Rodrigo Gomez
Kavanagh Gorozpe	Paul Kavanagh
Mijares, Angoitia, Cortés Y Fuentes	Nora Morales Rodríguez, Enrique Ramírez Figueroa, Manuel Tamez
Ortiz Abogados Tributarios	Gabriel Ortiz
Pérez Robles	Arturo Pérez Robles
PwC Mexico	Mauricio Hurtado
	RECOMMENDED
Cuatrecasas México	Juan David Mina
DLA Piper Mexico	Guillermo Aguayo

Hogan Lovells	Jaime Espinoza de los Monteros, Arturo Tiburcio
Holland & Knight	Mario Barrera, Eugenio Grageda, Ricardo Ibarra
Ortiz, Sosa Y Asociados	Miguel Ortiz
Santamarina Y Steta	Mariano Calderon
SMPS Legal	Francisco Carbajal, Luis Curiel Piña, Jorge San Martin
Tena Abogados	Rafael Tena
Von Wobeser Y Sierra	Alejandro J. Torres Rivero, Fernando Moreno
	VALUABLE PRACTICE
Béndiksen Law	Jaime Bendiksen
Bettinger Asesores	Herbert Bettinger García
C&C Asesores	Alfredo Castilleja, Ricardo García de Alba, Jorge Pasquel
Calderon Gonzalez Y Carvajal	Alejandro Calderon Aguilera
Calvo Nicolau Y Márquez Cristerna	Enrique Calvo Nicolau, Oscar Marquez
Catalán, Fonseca, Morales Y Cia	César Catalán Sánchez
Cuevas Abogados	Isabel Albo Fernández, Diego Cuevas Estandía
DeForest Abogados	Wilberg García Heres, Jaime Lopez y Porras, Rodrigo Marquez, Alejandro Salas
Deloitte Legal Mexico	Ricardo Gonzalez Orta, Mauricio Martínez, Hugo Romero
Dm Tax	Raymundo Dominguez Marin
Haynes And Boone	Edgar Klee
Ibáñez Parkman	Eduardo Castillo
Ramirez Gutierrez Azpe Rodriguez Rivero Y Hurtad	Rosario Huet
Rizo, Erreguerena y Garza-Cantú	José Miguel Erreguerena Albaitero

#### **GALICIA ABOGADOS: DIFFERENCE-MAKING EXPERTS**



Gabriela Pellon

Key Figure(s): Denise Lester, Eduardo Michan, Gabriela Pellon, Federico Scheffler and Edson Uribe Established: 1994

Track record: Galicia is recognized for its in-depth knowledge of the national tax system and international tax treaties. The team advises banking, infrastructure and energy companies on the review and optimization of their financial models, with the objective of analyzing the application of tax provisions in cases of investment and disinvestment of projects.

**Team & differentiation:** The firm has a wealth of experience handling tax audits on transfer pricing, financial systems, international taxation and digital services, among others. Its extensive knowledge of alternative dispute resolution procedures means it not only offers effective solutions to resolve cases, but also preserves a good working relationship with the tax authorities, thanks to an emphasis on open and cooperative dialogue.

#### MARTÍN, ISLA & PICKERING ABOGADOS: SPECIALIST TAX SOLUTIONS



Ricardo Martín González

Key Figure(s): Ricardo Martín González Established: 2018

Track record: Martín, Isla & Pickering, which specializes in a range of distinct practice areas, is always ready to offer personalized, highquality legal services tailored to the needs of its clients. The firm stands out for its commitment is to building trust and ensuring satisfaction, consistently exceeding expectations at every

Team & differentiation: The firm's tax department is renowned for its exceptional expertise across diverse taxation areas. Serving both national and international clients, it excels in foreign trade, alternative dispute resolution - including robust defenses and conclusive agreements with the taxpayer ombudsman – as well as managing amparo proceedings and navigating complex litigation related to tax issues.





# TAX LITIGATION

#### **Best Law Firms**

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
	LEADING
Basham Ringe y Correa	Gerardo Nieto, Gil Zenteno, Alejandro Barrera, Sergio Barajas, Victor Barajas, Franciso Matus, Norberto Ruiz
Chevez Ruiz Zamarripa y Cia.	Manuel Sainz
	EXCELLENT
Arias y Meurinne	Pedro Arias
Baker McKenzie	Jorge Narváez-Hásfura, Luis Carbajo
Jones Day	Rodrigo Gomez
Martín, Isla & Pickering abogados	Ricardo Martín González
Mijares, Angoitia, Cortés Y Fuentes	Enrique Ramírez Figueroa
PwC Mexico	Fernando Lorenzo
Turanzas Bravo & Ambrosi	Angel Turanzas
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
Creel, García-Cuéllar, Aiza y Enríquez	Luis Vazquez R.
Garrigues Mexico	Manuel Llaca
Jáuregui y Del Valle	Luis Del Valle, Luis Carballo, Josemaría Ferez
Natera	Christian Natera
Skatt	Julia Castillo
	RECOMMENDED
Bettinger Asesores	Diego Lopez, Desiree Corral
Cannizzo	Roberto Cannizzo, Andrés Mascarúa
CMS Woodhouse Lorente Ludlow	Ángel Escalante
Hogan Lovells	Arturo Tiburcio
Holland & Knight	Mario Barrera
Ortiz Abogados Tributarios	Gabriel Ortiz
Parás Asesores Fiscales	Mariana Covarrubias, Antonio Gómez del Campo, Alejandro Guizar
SMPS Legal	Luis Curiel Piña
Tena Abogados	Rafael Tena

VALUABLE PRACTICE		
C&C Asesores	Alfredo Castilleja, Ricardo García de Alba, Jorge Pasquel	
Cuevas Abogados	Isabel Albo, Diego Cuevas	
DLA Piper Mexico	Guillermo Aguayo	
EY Mexico	Jorge Libreros, Oscar Ortíz, Manuel Solano	
Galicia Abogados	Denise Lester, Edson Uribe	
Ibáñez Parkman	Eduardo Castillo	
Rapa - Ruiz Ahumada Palazuelos	Ricardo Ahumada	
Rmr Abogados	Reginaldo Montaño	
Solis y Asociados	Christian Solis	
Kavanagh Gorozpe	Paul Kavanagh	
Von Wobeser y Sierra	Alejandro Torres, Fernando Moreno, Luis Torres	

# **WEALTH MANAGEMENT**

#### **Best Law Firms**

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)	
	LEADING	
Basham Ringe y Correa	Víctor Barajas, Alejandro Barrera	
Turanzas Bravo & Ambrosi	Mauricio Bravo, Pedro Ramirez	
	EXCELLENT	
Baker McKenzie	Jorge Narváez-Hásfura, Javier Ordoñez	
Chevez Ruiz Zamarripa Y Cia.	Alfredo Sanchez	
Garrigues México	Abel F. Mejia, Ricardo León	
MET	Manuel Tron	
HIGHLY RECOMMENDED		
Brook & Cano	Arturo Brook, Mauricio Cano	
Galicia Abogados	Gabriela Pellon	
	RECOMMENDED	
Anaya Abogados	Fabiola Díaz	
Holland & Knight	Eugenio Grageda	
Muñoz, Manzo Y Ocampo	Federico Groenewold, Gyselle San Martin	



# **INVESTMENTS & EXITS**

#### Best Venture Capital Firms

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
	LEADING
Mayfield Fund	Navin Chaddha
Ribbit Capital	Micky Malka
Sequoia Capital	Roelof Botha, Douglas Leone, Alfred Lin, Michael Moritz
	EXCELLENT
Accel	Andrew Braccia, Sameer Gandhi, Ryan Sweeney
Addition	Lee Fixel
Andreessen Horowitz	Chris Dixon, David George, Ben Horowitz, Jeff Jordan
Benchmark	Peter Fenton, Chetan Puttagunta, Erick Vishria
Founder Collective	David Frankel
<b>Greylock Partners</b>	Reid Hoffman
Notable Capital	Hans Tung
Redpoint Ventures	Satish Dharmaraj, Elliot Geidt, Scott Raney
<b>Union Square Ventures</b>	Fred Wilson
Y Combinator	Garry Tan
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
Bessemer Venture Partners	Charles Birnbaum, Jeremy Levine, Elliott Robinson
Charles River Ventures (CRV)	Murat Bicer, Max Gazor, Saar Gur
Founders Fund	Brian Singerman, Peter Thiel
New Enterprise Associates	Scott Sandell
Pear VC	Mar Hershenson, Pejman Nozad
<b>Primary Ventures Partners</b>	Ben Sun
	RECOMMENDED
<b>Battery Ventures</b>	Roger Lee
<b>Emergence Capital</b>	Santi Subotovsky
Felicis Ventures	Aydin Senkut
Firstmark Capital	Rick Heitzmann
Greenoaks Capital	Neil Mehta
Index Ventures	Martin Mignot, Shardul Shah, Mike Volpi
Khosla Ventures	Vinod Khosla
Kleiner Perkins	Mamoon Hamid

# **ENERGY & NATURAL RESOURCES**

#### Best Investment Banks

	BANK	KEY FIGURE(S)
		LEADING
	BofA Securities	Randy Bayless, Brad Hutchinson, Jason Satsky
	Citi	Michael Jamieson
	Goldman Sachs	Suhail Sikhtian
	Lazard	Pablo Hernandez Schmidt-Tophoff
	UBS	George Manahilov
		EXCELLENT
1	Guggenheim Securities	Allen Otto
	J.P. Morgan	Robert Keepers
	Moelis & Company	Martin Houston
	Royal Bank of Canada	David Levin
2	Jefferies	William Marko
	KPMG	Angie Gildea
	RBC Capital Markets	Nick Woodruff
	Société Générale	Ben Koehler
		HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
	Barclays	John Plaster
	BMO Capital Markets	Jonathan Hackett, Rahim Bapoo, Shabari Nayak
	Evercore	Shaun Finnie
	Morgan Stanley	Christopher Mize
	Piper Sandler	James Baker, Mike Dillahunt
	TD Securities	Robert Pierce
	Tenoaks Energy Advisors	BJ Brandenberger, Lindsay Sherrer, Jason Webb
	Tudor, Pickering, Holt & Co	Paul Perea



# **HEALTHCARE & LIFE SCIENCES**

#### Best Investment Banks

BANK	KEY FIGURE(S)
	LEADING
Centerview Partners	Michael Muntner, Stuart Smith
Citi	Jason Jun
Goldman Sachs	Sonia Gupta, Matthew Leskowitz
J.P. Morgan	Mike Gaito, Christopher Gartin
Morgan Stanley	Joseph Modisett
	EXCELLENT
1 BofA Securities	Bruno Stembaum
Deutsche Bank	Trey Hanlan
Greenhill & Co.	Richard Jacobsen Jr.
Guggenheim Securities	Jeffrey Kirshner, Todd Richter
Jefferies	Real Leclerc
2 Barclays	Naeem Merchant, Lisa Rogers
Evercore	François Maisonrouge
Lazard	Michael Wiggins
Piper Sandler	Peter Day, J.P. Peltier
PJT Partners	Tom Davidson
UBS Investment Bank	Les Franks, Matt Schainker
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
Cain Brothers	Jill Frew, James Moloney
Moelis & Company	Amy Chen, Ryan Bell
Perella Weinberg Partners	Jason Forschler, Philippe McAuliffe, Christopher O'Connor
Raymond James Financial	Eric Francois
Rothschild & Co	Alex Mironov, Matthew O'Donnell
SVB Financial Group	Kale Frank
William Blair	Brent Felitto, Steve Tole

# **INDUSTRIALS**

#### Best Investment Banks

BANK	KEY FIGURE(S)
	LEADING
BofA Securities	Joe Messina
Citi	Susan Manuelle
Goldman Sachs	Matt McClure
J.P. Morgan	Charles Bouckaert
Lazard	Robert Frost
	EXCELLENT
Baird	Joel Cohen, Joseph Packee
Barclays	John Lange, Spyros Svoronos
Evercore	Anthony Magro
Guggenheim Securities	Onur Eken, John Welsh
Jefferies	David Bradley
Lincoln International	Tom Williams
Morgan Stanley	John Church, Joe Kistler
HIG	CHLY RECOMMENDED
Centerview Partners	Gayle Turk
Deutsche Bank	Mustafa Hafeez
Greenhill & Co.	Stephen Cruise, David Hunt
Harris Williams & Co.	Patrick McNulty
Houlihan Lokey	Bill Peluchiwski
Moelis & Company	Greg Starkins
Rothschild & Co	Adam Reeder
UBS Investment Bank	Eric Moskal





# **RETAIL & CONSUMER GOODS**

#### Best Investment Banks

BANK	KEY FIGURE(S)
	LEADING
BofA Securities	Lisa Clyde, Tucker Williamson
Jefferies	Vinay Prabhu
Rothschild & Co	David Mell
	EXCELLENT
Centerview Partners	Kenneth Berliner
Goldman Sachs	Karen Levin
Deloitte	Rod Sides, Anthony Waelter
Houlihan Lokey	Jay Novak
Lazard	David Iverson
RBC Capital Markets	Marco Habert, Matthew Stopnik, Jim Wolfe
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
Barclays	Lowell Strug
Citi	Craig Vallorano
J.P. Morgan	Dana Weinstein
Morgan Stanley	Kristen Rossi
UBS Investment Bank	Solon Kentas
	RECOMMENDED
Baird	Glen Clarke
Evercore	Wilco Faessen
Guggenheim Partners	Sean Daugherty, Peter Moses
Harris Williams & Co.	John Neuner
Piper Sandler	Damon Chandik, Janica Lane
William Blair	Adam Filkin

# **TMT**

### Best Investment Banks

	BANK	KEY FIGURE(S)
		LEADING
	Goldman Sachs	Sam Britton, Jason Tofsky
	J.P. Morgan	Jennifer Nason, Fred Turpin, Scott Wilcoxen
	Morgan Stanley	Michael Grimes
	Qatalyst Partners	George Boutros
		EXCELLENT
1	Barclays	Abhishek Singhal
	BofA Securities	David Fishman
	LionTree Advisors	Aryeh Bourkoff
	Raymond James Financial	Brendan Ryan
2	Citi	Mark Keene
	Evercore	Naveen Nataraj
	Houlihan Lokey	Keith Skirbe
	Lazard	Garrett Baker
	Needham & Company	Jack Iacovone, Pooyan Mehdizadeh
	Wells Fargo Securities	Gerry Walters
	HIC	GHLY RECOMMENDED
	Centerview Partners	David Hess
	Deutsche Bank	Ajay Shah
	Jefferies	Phil Berkowitz, Cameron Lester
	RBC Capital Markets	Matthew Stopnik, Jim Wolfe





# **PRIVATE EQUITY**

#### Best Investment Banks

	BANK	KEY FIGURE(S)
		LEADING
	Goldman Sachs	Andre Alfaro
		EXCELLENT
1	BofA Securities	Jae Lee
	J.P. Morgan	Andrew Tuthill
	Morgan Stanley	William Sanders
2	Houlihan Lokey	John Mavredakis, Kevin Salmini
	Lazard	Kevan Comstock, Stephen Salyer, Steven Tipler
	William Blair	Brandon Lower
	HI	GHLY RECOMMENDED
1	Citi	Cary Kochman
	Deutsche Bank	Kent Penwell
	Jefferies	Jeffrey Greenip
2	Evercore	Saul Goodman
	Harris Williams & Co.	Bruce Kelleher
	Lincoln International	Franklin Harris
	Raymond James Financial	David Clark
	Truist Securities	Michael Carter
		RECOMMENDED
	Guggenheim Securities	Jonathan Cary, Christopher Macios
	Moelis & Company	Tarik Rguem
	RBC Capital Markets	Matthew Stopnik, Jim Wolfe

# **RESTRUCTURING**

#### Best Investment Banks

BANK	KEY FIGURE(S)
	LEADING
Evercore	Daniel Aronson, Roopesh Shah, David Ying
Jefferies	Jeffrey Finger, Michael O'Hara
	EXCELLENT
Ducera Partners	Michael Kramer
Guggenheim Securities	Ronen Bojmel
Houlihan Lokey	John-Paul Hanson, David Hilty, Eric Siegert
Lazard	Andrew Torgove
Moelis & Company	Thane Carlston, William Derrough
Perella Weinberg Partners	Bruce Mendelsohn
PJT Partners	Steve Zelin
Rothschild & Co	Andrew Yearley
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
Centerview Partners	Karn Chopra, Sam Greene, Marc Puntus
GLC Advisors	Soren Reynertson
Goldman Sachs	Keith Braun
Greenhill & Co.	Neil Augustine, Eric Mendelsohn
Miller Buckfire	Matthew Rodrigue
Piper Sandler	Todd Snyder
PJ Solomon	Irtiaz Ahmad, Aryeh Sand
UBS Investment Bank	Michael Camacho





# **BANKING & FINANCE: REGULATORY**

#### **Best Law Firms**

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
Cleary Gottlieb Steen & Hamilton	Derek Bush
Davis Polk & Wardwell	Randall Guynn, Annette Nazareth
Sullivan & Cromwell	Mitchell Eitel, Michael Wiseman
	EXCELLENT
Covington & Burling	Bruce Bennett, Michael Nonaka
Debevoise & Plimpton	Satish Kini, Gregory Lyons
Simpson Thacher & Bartlett	Lee Meyerson
Skadden, Arps, Slate, Meagher & Flom	Jamie Boucher
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
A&O Shearman	Reena Sahni
Arnold & Porter	David Freeman, Jr
Cadwalader, Wickersham & Taft	Jed Miller
Latham & Watkins	Alan Avery
Mayer Brown	Steven Kaplan
Morrison & Foerster	Rick Fischer
	RECOMMENDED
Ballard Spahr	Alan Kaplinsky
Hogan Lovells	Richard Schaberg
Ropes & Gray	Paul Scrivano
Schulte Roth & Zabel	Donald Mosher, Julian Rainero, Craig Warkol
WilmerHale	Franca Harris Gutierrez

# **BANKING & FINANCE: TRANSACTIONAL**

#### **Best Law Firms**

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
	LEADING
Cahill Gordon & Reindel	James Clark, William Hartnett
Davis Polk & Wardwell	James Florack, Jason Kyrwood
Kirkland & Ellis	Christopher Butler, Linda Myers, Jay Ptashek
Simpson Thacher & Bartlett	Patrick Ryan
Cravath, Swaine & Moore	Michael Goldman, Stephen Kessing, George Zobitz
Latham & Watkins	Greg Robins, Daniel Seale
Weil, Gotshal & Manges	Daniel Dokos, Douglas Urquhart
	EXCELLENT
Debevoise & Plimpton	Jeffrey Ross
Milbank	Carlos Albarracín
Skadden, Arps, Slate, Meagher & Flom	Seth Jacobson
White & Case	Eric Leicht
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
Cleary Gottlieb Steen & Hamilton	Duane McLaughlin, Amy Shapiro
Gibson, Dunn & Crutcher	Aaron Adams, Linda Curtis
Mayer Brown	Paul Jorissen, J. Bradley Keck, Angela Ulum
Paul, Weiss, Rifkind, Wharton & Garrison	Gregory Ezring
Ropes & Gray	Stefanie Birkmann, Byung Choi
	RECOMMENDED
A&O Shearman	Jake Mincemoyer, Maura O'Sullivan
Fried Frank Harris Shriver & Jacobson	Simon Wedgbury
Hogan Lovells	Deborah Staudinger
Jones Day	Brett Barragate, Jayant Tambe
King & Spalding	Carolyn Alford
McGuireWoods	Kevin McGinnis
Morgan, Lewis & Bockius	Thomas Mellor, Edwin Smith
Paul Hastings	John Cobb, Jennifer Yount
Proskauer Rose	Andrew Bettwy, Ron Franklin
Sidley Austin	Kevin Blauch
Sullivan & Cromwell	Ari Blaut, John Estes, Neal McKnight
Willkie Farr & Gallagher	Viktor Okasmaa



# **ACQUISITION FINANCE**

#### **Best Law Firms**

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
	LEADING
Cahill Gordon & Reindel	James Clark, William Hartnett
Davis Polk & Wardwell	James Florack, Sartaj Gill, Jason Kyrwood
Kirkland & Ellis	Christopher Butler, Linda Myers, Jay Ptashek
Simpson Thacher & Bartlett	James Cross, Patrick Ryan
Cravath, Swaine & Moore	Craig Arcella, Michael Goldman, Joseph Zavaglia, George Zobitz
Latham & Watkins	Manu Gayatrinath, Greg Robins, Daniel Seale
Weil, Gotshal & Manges	Daniel Dokos, Douglas Urquhart
Wachtell, Lipton, Rosen & Katz	Eric Rosof
	EXCELLENT
Debevoise & Plimpton	David Brittenham, Jeffrey Ross
Milbank	Drew Fine
Ropes & Gray	Stefanie Birkmann, Byung Choi
Skadden, Arps, Slate, Meagher & Flom	Seth Jacobson, Sarah Ward
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
A&O Shearman	Maura O'Sullivan
White & Case	Eric Leicht
Cleary Gottlieb Steen & Hamilton	Duane McLaughlin, Margaret Peponis, Amy Shapiro
Fried, Frank, Harris, Shriver & Jacobson	Christian Nahr, William Reindel
Gibson, Dunn & Crutcher	Aaron Adams, Linda Curtis
Mayer Brown	David Duffee, Matthew O'Meara, Scott Zemser
Paul Hastings	John Cobb
Paul, Weiss, Rifkind, Wharton & Garrison	Gregory Ezring
Sidley Austin	Angela Fontana
Sullivan & Cromwell	Ari Blaut, John Estes, Neal McKnight
Willkie Farr & Gallagher	Viktor Okasmaa
	RECOMMENDED
Jones Day	Brett Barragate
King & Spalding	Carolyn Alford, William Fuller, Ellen Maria Snare
Proskauer Rose	Stephen Boyko, Justin Breen, Steven Ellis

# **DEBT CAPITAL MARKETS (DCM)**

### **Best Law Firms**

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
	LEADING
Cleary Gottlieb Steen & Hamilton	Craig Brod, Jeffrey Karpf
Cravath, Swaine & Moore	Craig Arcella, Stephen Burns, William Fogg, Andrew Pitts
Davis Polk & Wardwell	Maurice Blanco, Richard Truesdell
Simpson Thacher & Bartlett	Arthur Robinson
Skadden, Arps, Slate, Meagher & Flom	David Goldschmidt, Michael Zeidel
Sullivan & Cromwell	Catherine Clarkin, Robert Downes, Sarah Payne
	EXCELLENT
Cahill Gordon & Reindel	James Clark, William Hartnett
Mayer Brown	Edward Best, Anna Pinedo
Kirkland & Ellis	Robert Hayward, Joshua Korff, Christian Nagler
Latham & Watkins	Ian Schuman
A&O Shearman	Ilir Mujalovic
Debevoise & Plimpton	Matthew Kaplan, Steven Slutzky
Gibson, Dunn & Crutcher	Andrew Fabens, Hillary Holmes, Stewart McDowell, Peter Wardle
Paul, Weiss, Rifkind, Wharton & Garrison	Gregory Ezring, John Kennedy
Weil, Gotshal & Manges	Frank Adams, Corey Chivers, Heather Emmel
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
Fried, Frank, Harris, Shriver & Jacobson	Daniel Bursky
Jones Day	Brett Barragate, Christopher Kelly
Milbank	Marcelo Mottesi
Sidley Austin	Edward Petrosky
	RECOMMENDED
Arnold & Porter	Teresa Johnson, Christopher Peterson
Baker Botts	Joshua Davidson
Hogan Lovells	Eve Howard
Hunton Andrews Kurth	Courtney Butler, Susan Failla, Peter O'Brien
King & Spalding	Keith Townsend
Vinson & Elkins	David Palmer Oelman, Matthew Strock
Wachtell, Lipton, Rosen & Katz	Gregory Pessin
White & Case	John Vetterli
Winston & Strawn	David Sakowitz
	VALUABLE PRACTICE
Dechert	Thomas Friedmann, David Rosenthal
Morrison & Foerster	Gavin Grover, Scott Lesmes
Paul Hastings	Frank Lopez, Eric Sibbitt
Proskauer Rose	Peter Fass, Steven Lichtenfeld





# **EQUITY CAPITAL MARKETS (ECM)**

#### Best Law Firms

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
	LEADING
Davis Polk & Wardwell	Maurice Blanco, Michael Kaplan, Richard Truesdell
Latham & Watkins	Ian Schuman
Simpson Thacher & Bartlett	Arthur Robinson
Cleary Gottlieb Steen & Hamilton	Craig Brod, Jeffrey Karpf
Cooley	Charlie Kim, David Peinsipp
Cravath, Swaine & Moore	Craig Arcella, Stephen Burns, William Fogg, Andrew Pitts
Skadden, Arps, Slate, Meagher & Flom	David Goldschmidt, Michael Zeidel
	EXCELLENT
A&O Shearman	Ilir Mujalovic
Kirkland & Ellis	Robert Hayward, Joshua Korff
Paul, Weiss, Rifkind, Wharton & Garrison	Gregory Ezring
Ropes & Gray	Craig Marcus, Patrick O'Brien, Paul Tropp
Sullivan & Cromwell	Catherine Clarkin, Robert Downes
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
Debevoise & Plimpton	Matthew Kaplan, Steven Slutzky
Fried, Frank, Harris, Shriver & Jacobson	Daniel Bursky
Goodwin Procter	Daniel Adams
Hogan Lovells	Eve Howard
Vinson & Elkins	David Palmer Oelman, Matthew Strock
White & Case	John Vetterli
Weil, Gotshal & Manges	Alexander Lynch
Wilson Sonsini Goodrich Rosati	Allison Spinner
	RECOMMENDED
Baker Botts	Joshua Davidson
Dechert	Thomas Friedmann, David Rosenthal
Fenwick & West	Robert A. Freedman
Freshfields Bruckhaus Deringer	Valerie Ford Jacob
Gibson, Dunn & Crutcher	Andrew Fabens, Hillary Holmes, Stewart McDowell, Peter Wardle
Mayer Brown	Edward Best
Milbank	Marcelo Mottesi
Paul Hastings	Frank Lopez
Sidley Austin	Edward Petrosky

# **RESTRUCTURING & INSOLVENCY**

#### **Best Law Firms**

	FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
		LEADING
1	Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld	Ira Dizengoff, Philip Dublin, Abid Qureshi
	Davis Polk & Wardwell	Donald Bernstein, Marshall Huebner, Damian Schaible
	Kirkland & Ellis	Edward Sassower, James Sprayregen
	Milbank	Dennis Dunne
	Paul, Weiss, Rifkind, Wharton & Garrison	Paul Basta, Andrew Rosenberg
	Weil, Gotshal & Manges	Matt Barr, Gary Holtzer, Ray Schrock
2	Latham & Watkins	David Hammerman, George Davis, Caroline Reckler
	White & Case	John Cunningham, Thomas Lauria
		EXCELLENT
	Brown Rudnick	Robert Stark
	Cleary Gottlieb Steen & Hamilton	Richard Cooper, Sean O'Neal, Lisa Schweitzer
	Kramer Levin Naftalis & Frankel	Kenneth Eckstein, Thomas Moers Mayer
	Morrison & Foerster	Jennifer Marines, Lorenzo Marinuzzi
	Skadden, Arps, Slate, Meagher & Flom	Paul Leake
	Wachtell, Lipton, Rosen & Katz	Richard Mason
	Willkie Farr & Gallagher	Matthew Feldman, Rachel Strickland
		HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
	Debevoise & Plimpton	Natasha Labovitz, Sidney Levinson
	Jones Day	Bruce Bennett
	Pachulski Stang Ziehl & Jones	Laura Davis Jones, Richard Pachulski
	Paul Hastings	Luc Despins, Jayme Goldstein, Kristopher Hansen, Justin Rawlins
	Proskauer Rose	Martin Bienenstock





RECOMMENDED		
Gibson, Dunn & Crutcher	David Feldman, Scott Greenberg, Jeffrey Krause, Michael Rosenthal	
Kasowitz Benson Torres	David Rosner, Matthew Stein	
Morgan, Lewis & Bockius	Jennifer Feldsher, Andrew Gallo, John Goodchild III	
Quinn Emanuel Urquhart & Sullivan	Susheel Kirpalani	
Simpson Thacher & Bartlett	Sandeep Qusba, Michael Torkin	
Stroock & Stroock & Lavan	Jeffrey Lowenthal	
	VALUABLE PRACTICE	
Arnold & Porter	Michael Messersmith	
Cravath, Swaine & Moore	George Zobitz, Paul Zumbro	
Dechert	Allan Brilliant	
Hogan Lovells	Christopher Donoho, Ronald Silverman, Richard Wynne	
Hughes Hubbard & Reed	Kathryn Coleman, Christopher Kiplok	
Katten Muchin Rosenman	Steven Reisman, Peter Siddiqui	
Ktbs Law	Kenneth Klee, Michael Tuchin	
Mayer Brown	Adam Paul, Brian Trust, Matthew Wargin	
Norton Rose Fulbright	Jason Boland, Ryan Manns, Howard Seife	
O'Melveny & Myers	Peter Friedman, John Rapisardi	
Ropes & Gray	Mark Bane, Gregg Galardi	
Schulte Roth & Zabel	Adam Harris, Douglas Mintz	
Sidley Austin	Stephen E. Hessler	
Sullivan & Cromwell	James Bromley, Andrew Dietderich	
Vinson & Elkins	David Meyer, Bill Wallander	

### **Best Law Firms**

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
	LEADING
Cleary Gottlieb Steen & Hamilton	Jason Factor, Diana Wollman
Cravath, Swaine & Moore	Stephen Gordon
Davis Polk & Wardwell	David Schnabel
Kirkland & Ellis	Todd Maynes, Dean Shulman
Simpson Thacher & Bartlett	Nancy Mehlman
Skadden, Arps, Slate, Meagher & Flom	Eric B. Sensenbrenner, Hal Hicks
Debevoise & Plimpton	Peter Furci, Peter Schuur
Paul, Weiss, Rifkind, Wharton & Garrison	Brad Okun, Scott Sontag
Sullivan & Cromwell	Davis J. Wang, Isaac J. Wheeler
Wachtell, Lipton, Rosen & Katz	Deborah Paul, Jodi Schwartz
Weil, Gotshal & Manges	Joe Pari
	EXCELLENT
<b>Eversheds Sutherland</b>	Jeffrey Friedman
Fried, Frank, Harris, Shriver & Jacobson	Alan Kaden, David Shapiro
Gibson, Dunn & Crutcher	Eric Sloan
Latham & Watkins	David Della Rocca, Joseph Krosnoble, Jiyeon Lee-Lim
Mayer Brown	James Barry, Jason Bazar
McDermott Will & Emery	Jane Wells May
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
A&O Shearman	Christopher Harrison, Larry Crouch
Fenwick & West	Adam Halpern
Morgan, Lewis & Bockius	Barton Bassett, Daniel Nelson
Paul Hastings	Joseph Opich
Proskauer Rose	Ira Bogner
White & Case	Kim Marie Boylan
Ropes & Gray	Elaine Murphy
Sidley Austin	Laura Barzilai, Robert Kreitman, Bridget O'Neill
Vinson & Elkins	George Gerachis
	RECOMMENDED
Baker McKenzie	Melinda Phelan
Cadwalader, Wickersham & Taft	Linda Swartz
Clifford Chance	Avrohom Gelber, James Gouwar, David Moldenhauer, Philip Wagman





Covington & Burling	Michael Caballero, Daniel Luchsinger	
Dechert	Joshua Milgrim	
Milbank	Russell Kestenbaum	
O'Melveny & Myers	Jeff Walbridge	
Steptoe & Johnson	Philip West, Lisa Zarlenga	
Willkie Farr & Gallagher	Christopher Peters	
VALUABLE PRACTICE		
Alston & Bird	Kendall Houghton	
Baker Botts	Derek Green	
Goodwin	Neal Sandford	
Ivins, Phillips & Barker	Jeffrey Moeller, Leslie Schneider	
Jones Day	Joseph A. Goldman, Scott Levine, Edward T. Kennedy	
Miller & Chevalier Chartered	Layla Asali, Kevin Kenworthy	
Schulte Roth & Zabel	Shlomo Twerski, Alan Waldenburg	

# **RESTRUCTURING**

### **Best Consulting Firms**

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
	LEADING
AlixPartners	Lisa Donohue
Alvarez & Marsal	Jeffery Stegenga
FTI Consulting NY	Michael Eisenband, Carlyn Taylor
	EXCELLENT
Accordion	Andrew Hede
Berkeley Research Group	Christopher Kearns
CohnReznick	James H. Aronoff
Evercore	Gregory Berube
Guggenheim Securities	Brendan Hayes
Kroll	Anthony Berkus
Miller Buckfire	James Doak
Opportune	David Baggett
Raymond James Financial	Jacob Czarnick
SSG Capital Advisors	Mark E. Chesen

# **FUND FORMATION**

### **Best Law Firms**

	FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
		LEADING
	Debevoise & Plimpton	David Schwartz, Rebecca Silberstein
	Kirkland & Ellis	John O'Neil
	Simpson Thacher & Bartlett	Michael Wolitzer
		EXCELLENT
1	Fried, Frank, Harris, Shriver & Jacobson	Lawrence Barshay, Kenneth Rosh
	Ropes & Gray	Leigh Fraser, Morri Weinberg
2	Cleary Gottlieb Steen & Hamilton	Adrian Leipsic, Elizabeth Lenas
	Paul, Weiss, Rifkind, Wharton & Garrison	Udi Grofman, Marco Masotti
	Proskauer Rose	Howard Beber, Stephen Mears, Robin Painter, Chip Parsons, David Tegeler
	Weil, Gotshal & Manges	Jonathon Soler
		HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
	Davis Polk & Wardwell	Michael Hong, Leor Landa, Nora M. Jordan
	Gibson Dunn	Jennifer Bellah Maguire, Shukie Grossman, Edward Sopher
	Goodwin	John Ferguson, Paul Verbesey
	Latham & Watkins	Andrea Schwartzman
		RECOMMENDED
	Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld	Prakash Mehta, Stephen Vine
	Cooley	John Dado
	Covington & Burling	Michael Paul Reed
	Morgan, Lewis & Bockius	Roger Joseph, Timothy Levin, Courtney Nowell, Jedd Wider
	Paul Hastings	Josh Sternoff
	Schulte Roth & Zabel	Stephanie Breslow, David Efron, David Nissenbaum
	Willkie Farr & Gallagher	Phillip Isom, Margery Neale, Lior Ohayon





# **PROJECT FINANCE: LENDER-SIDE**

#### **Best Law Firms**

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
I de Cowdi	LEADING
Latham & Watkins	Jeffrey Greenberg
Milbank	Daniel Bartfeld
White & Case	Nandan Nelivigi
Mayer Brown	Paul Astolfi, Robert Goldberg, Joseph Seliga
Norton Rose Fulbright	Benjamin Koenigsberg, Keith Martin
A&O Shearman	
	Cynthia Urda Kassis, Kent Rowey
Kirkland & Ellis	Rohit Chaudhry
O'Melveny & Myers	Eric Richards, Gregory Thorpe
Sidley Austin	Irving Rotter, Cliff Vrielink
Skadden, Arps, Slate, Meagher & Flom	Lance Brasher
Winston & Strawn	Alan Hoffman, Richard P. Puttré, Michael Pikiel
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
Bracewell	Thomas Tomlinson
Clifford Chance	Lori Ann Bean
Hunton Andrews Kurth	Jeffrey Schroeder
Orrick, Herrington & Sutcliffe	Daniel Mathews, Blake Winburne
Paul Hastings	Bob Kartheiser
Simpson Thacher & Bartlett	David Lieberman
Vinson & Elkins	Kaam Sahely
	RECOMMENDED
Ashurst	Betty Cerini
DLA Piper	Robert Gruendel
Freshfields Bruckhaus Deringer	Melissa Raciti-Knapp
Hogan Lovells	Jorge Diaz-Silveira
McGuireWoods	Brian Kelly
Morrison & Foerster	Frederick Jenney
Pillsbury Winthrop Shaw Pittman	Robert James
Sullivan & Cromwell	Christopher Mann, Inosi Nyatta

# **PROJECT FINANCE: SPONSOR-SIDE**

#### **Best Law Firms**

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
	LEADING
Latham & Watkins	Jeffrey Greenberg
Milbank	Daniel Bartfeld
White & Case	Nandan Nelivigi
	EXCELLENT
Mayer Brown	Paul Astolfi, Robert Goldberg, Joseph Seliga
Norton Rose Fulbright	Benjamin Koenigsberg, Keith Martin
A&O Shearman	Cynthia Urda Kassis, Kent Rowey
O'Melveny & Myers	Eric Richards, Gregory Thorpe
Kirkland & Ellis	Rohit Chaudhry
Orrick, Herrington & Sutcliffe	Daniel Mathews, Blake Winburne
Skadden, Arps, Slate, Meagher & Flom	Lance Brasher
Sullivan & Cromwell	Christopher Mann, Inosi Nyatta
Vinson & Elkins	Kaam Sahely
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
Bracewell	Thomas Tomlinson
Cleary Gottlieb Steen & Hamilton	Adam Brenneman, Chantal Kordula, Jeffrey Lewis
Clifford Chance	Lori Ann Bean
DLA Piper	Gregory Smith
Morgan, Lewis & Bockius	Richard Filosa, John Klauberg
Sidley Austin	Irving Rotter, Cliff Vrielink
	RECOMMENDED
Hogan Lovells	Jorge Diaz-Silveira
Hunton Andrews Kurth	Jeffrey Schroeder
Pillsbury Winthrop Shaw Pittman	Robert James
Winston & Strawn	Alan Hoffman
	VALUABLE PRACTICE
Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld	Zachary Wittenberg
Baker McKenzie	José Antonio Morán, James O'Brien, Clyde Rankin III
Freshfields Bruckhaus Deringer	Melissa Raciti-Knapp
King & Spalding	Scott Greer
Paul Hastings	Bob Kartheiser





#### **Best Law Firms**

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
	LEADING
Consortium Legal	Rafael Luna, Diego Salto
Facio & Cañas	José María Oreamuno, Adrián Torrealba
	EXCELLENT
Arias	Carlos Camacho, Carolina Flores
BLP	Luis Chacón
EY Law Central America	Rafael Sayagués
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
Aguilar Castillo Love	John Aguilar-Quesada
Alta Batalla	Rodrigo Zelaya
ECIJA	Mariela Hernández
Lang & Asociados	Henry Lang
Magnalex Abogados	Victor Mora
	RECOMMENDED
Central Law	Randall Quirós Bustamante
Colbs Estudio Legal	Sebastián Jiménez
KPMG Costa Rica	Cristina Sansonetti
Nassar Abogados	Tomas Nassar
Sfera Legal	Robert van der Putten



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FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
	LEADING
Consortium Legal	Mario Estuardo Archila, Alfredo Rodríguez
Mayora & Mayora S.C.	Eduardo Mayora, Juan Carlos Casellas
	EXCELLENT
Alta Qil + 4 Abogados	José Quiñones
Arias Law	Ximena Tercero
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
A.D. Sosa & Soto S.C.	Einar Klanderud
Blp Legal	Elisa Lacs, Jorge Arenales
Carrillo & Asociados	Alfonso Carrillo
Deloitte Legal Guatemala	Estuardo Paganini
Sfera Legal	Christian Michelangeli



### Best Law Firms

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
	EXCELLENT
Galindo, Arias & López - Gala	Edgar Herrera, Anna Cristina Valdes
Morgan & Morgan	Jose Rafael Reyes
Rivera Bolivar & Castañedas	José Javier Rivera Jimenez, Javier Said Acuña Rivera
Valdés Mora & Asociados	Camilo Valdés Mora
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
Alfaro, Ferrer & Ramírez - Afra	Alejandro Alemán
Anzola Robles & Asociados	Ramón Anzola, José Antonio Brenes
Arias, Fábrega & Fábrega - Arifa	Estif Aparicio, Ricardo Arango, Jazmín Solís
Deloitte Panamá	Desiree Esaa
FT International Law Firm	Paolo Ferrari
KPMG Panamá	Jair Montúfar
Prime Solutions - Tax & Legal	Giovanna Bernal
RC Tax Consulting	Adolfo Campos
	RECOMMENDED
BDO	Rafael Rivera, Malvis Mina
Delvalle, Escalona, Levy & Corró - Delco	Diego Corró
Fabrega Molino	José Juan Marquez, José Agustin Preciado
López Morales & Chiari   Abogados	Hernando Chiari
PwC Panamá	Yaremis Pérez





### **BANKING & FINANCE**

### **Best Law Firms**

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
	LEADING
Bruchou & Funes de Rioja	Hugo N. L. Bruzone
Beccar Varela	Maximiliano D'Auro, Luciana Denegri, Daniel Levi, Pablo Torretta
Bomchil	Fermín Caride, María Victoria Funes, Patricio Martin, María Victoria Tuculet
	EXCELLENT
Dla Piper Argentina	Marcelo Etchebarne, Alejandro Noblía, Justo Segura, Guillermo Cabanellas
Marval, O'Farrell & Mairal	Santiago Carregal
Pérez Alati, Grondona, Benites & Arntsen	Alan Arnsten, Gabriela Grigioni, Mariano Grondona, Diego Serrano
Tavarone, Rovelli, Salim & Miani	Julieta de Ruggiero, Francisco Molina, Marcelo Tavarone, Federico Salim
TCA Tanoira Cassagne	Rocío Carrica, Alexia Rosenthal, Jaime Uranga, Ignacio Criado
Allende & Brea	Jorge Mayora, Carlos Melhem
MHR Abogados	Martín Lepiane, José Martínez de Hoz (n), Jimena Vega Olmos
Mitrani Caballero & Ruiz Moreno Abogados	Julio Martínez, Matías Olcese, Diego Parise, Mercedes Rodríguez
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
Cerolini & Ferrari Abogados	Agustín Cerolini
Errecondo Gonzalez & Funes Abogados	Javier Errecondo, Baruki Gonzalez, Facundo Goslino
Nicholson & Cano Abogados	Mario Oscar Kenny, Emiliano R. Silva
Salaverri, Burgio, Wetzler & Malbrán	Diego Salaverri, Germán Wetzler Malbrán
Zang, Bergel & Viñes Abogados	María Angélica Grisolia, Francisco J. Roggero, Carolina Zang
	RECOMMENDED
Alfaro Abogados	Carlos Enrique Alfaro
Bullo Abogados	Gustavo Javier Torassa
Croz Tax & Legal	Hernán Carassai
Estudio O'Farrell	Sebastián Luegmayer, Uriel O'Farrell
Hope Duggan & Silva	Rufino Arce, Juan Duggan
Lanfranco, Castro Madero & Gramajo	Fermín Castro Madero, Mariano Gramajo
	VALUABLE PRACTICE
Baker McKenzie	Gabriel Gómez
Candioti Gatto Bicain & Ocantos	Alejandro Vogelman
Estudio Bunge – Bunge, Smith & Luchía Puig	Agustín Bunge, Diego C. Bunge, Pedro Menendez
Estudio Levene	Carolina Arroyo
EY	Jorge Garnier
Richards Cardinal Tützer Zabala Zaefferer	Hernán Camarero
Severgnini Robiola Grinberg & Tombeur	Héctor Grinberg, Carlos Tombeur





# **FINTECH**

#### **Best Law Firms**

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
	LEADING
Allende & Brea	Pablo Andrés Palazzi, Jorge I. Mayora, Carlos Melhem
Beccar Varela	Daniel Levi, María Shakespear, Pablo Torretta
Marval, O'Farrell & Mairal	Juan M. Diehl Moreno
TCA Tanoira Cassagne	Rocío Carrica, Luis Merello, Alexia Rosenthal, Manuel Tanoira
	EXCELLENT
Pérez Alati, Grondona, Benites & Arntsen	Gabriela Grigioni, Diego Serrano
Tavarone, Rovelli, Salim & Miani	Julieta de Ruggiero, Marcelo R. Tavarone
Bomchil	Fermín Caride, María Victoria Funes, María Victoria Tuculet
Errecondo Gonzalez & Funes Abogados	Saturnino Funes, Baruki Gonzalez, Facundo Goslino
Estudio O'Farrell	Sebastián Luegmayer
Gpg Advisory Partners	Santiago Mora
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
A&F   Allende & Ferrante Abogados	Lisandro Allende, Ignacio Nantillo
Barreiro, Oliva, De Luca, Jaca & Nicastro Abogados	Lucía López-Laxague, Gonzalo Oliva Beltrán, Patricio Juan Trench, Dolores Gallo
Cerolini & Ferrari Abogados	Agustín Cerolini
Estudio Bunge – Bunge, Smith & Luchía Puig	Agustín Bunge, Diego César Bunge, Pedro Menéndez
	RECOMMENDED
Baker Mckenzi	Gabriel Gómez Giglio
Estudio Garrido Abogados	Gustavo Garrido, Raúl Granillo Ocampo (h)
Mitrani Caballero & Ruiz Moreno Abogados	Matías Olcese
	VALUABLE PRACTICE
Dentons Rattagan Arocena	Ricardo Balestra
Richards Cardinal Tützer Zabala Zaefferer	Hernán Camarero

# **STARTUPS & INNOVATION**

#### **Best Law Firms**

In each tier, the firms are ordered alphabetically

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)		
	LEADING		
Marval, O'Farrell & Mairal	Hernan Slemenson, Pablo Viñals		
TCA Tanoira Cassagne	Manuel Tanoira		
	EXCELLENT		
Estudio Garrido Abogados	Gustavo Garrido, Lucas Granillo		
Pérez Alati, Grondona, Benites & Arntsen	P. Eugenio Aramburu, Santiago Daireaux		
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED		
Estudio Garrido Abogados	Gustavo Garrido, Lucas Granillo		
Pérez Alati, Grondona, Benites & Arntsen	P. Eugenio Aramburu, Santiago Daireaux		
	RECOMMENDED		
Beccar Varela	María Shakespear		
Bruchou & Funes de Rioja	Santiago Pedro Balbi		
DLA Piper Argentina	Antonio Arias		
Estudio Bunge – Bunge, Smith & Luchía Puig	Agustín Bunge, Cristian Lacoste, Pedro Menéndez		
Salaberren & López Sansón	Sebastián López Sansón		

# **WEALTH MANAGEMENT**

#### **Best Law Firms**

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)		
LEADING			
Mcewan	Juan McEwan		
EXCELLENT			
Allende & Brea	Raúl Fratantoni, Nicolás Procopio		
Bruchou & Funes de Rioja	Ezequiel Lipovetzky		
Marval, O'Farrell & Mairal	Gabriel Gotlib, Walter Keiniger		
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED		
Canosa	Javier Canosa		
D'Alessandro Tax	Valeria D'Alessandro		
	RECOMMENDED		
Asorey & Navarrine Abogados	Rubén Asorey		
Baker McKenzie	Martín Barreiro		
Croz Tax & Legal	Hernán Carassai, Esteban Domínguez, Pablo Roberts		
Mitrani Caballero & Ruiz Moreno Abogados Corina Laudato			
Rosso Alba Francia & Asociados	Cecilia Burgos, Cristian E. Rosso Alba		
Salaberren & López Sansón	Sebatián López Sánson		





#### **Best Law Firms**

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
	LEADING
Bruchou & Funes de Rioja	Liban Kusa, Ezequiel Lipovetzky, Nicolás Nogueira Catellini, Daniela Rey
Marval, O'Farrell & Mairal	Gabriel Gotlib, María Inés Brandt, Walter Keiniger, Fernando Vaquero
	EXCELLENT
Beccar Varela	María de los Ángeles Olano, Santiago Montezanti
Bomchil	Ariadna L. Artopoulos, Mariano Ballone, Alejandro E. Messineo, Guillermo Teijeiro
Pérez Alati, Grondona, Benites & Arntsen	Manuel Benites, Facundo Fernández Santos, Andrés M. Galíndez, Luis Marcelo Núñez
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
Allende & Brea	Raúl Fratantoni, Nicolás Procopio
Baker McKenzie	Martín Barreiro
Brons & Salas	Leandro Cáceres
Estudio O'Farrell	Guillermo Lalanne, Miguel Tesón
Mitrani Caballero & Ruiz Moreno Abogados	Gloria Gurbista, Corina Laudato, Juan Iglesias Mamone
Rosso Alba Francia & Asociados	Cristian E. Rosso Alba, Juan Marcos Rougés
Salaberren & López Sansón	Sebastián López Sansón
	RECOMMENDED
Abeledo Gottheil Abogados	Gabriela Inés Buratti, Eduardo Raúl Mujica
Asorey & Navarrine	Rubén Asorey
Beretta Godoy	Omar Beretta, Mariela Sas
Bulit Goñi   Lema	Enrique Bulit Goñi, Rodrigo Lema
Estudio Tarsitano, Gimenez, Lifrieri & Pampliega	María Inés Giménez, Alberto Tarsitano
MHR Abogados	Maximiliano Batista
Tavarone, Rovelli, Salim & Miani	Gastón Miani
	VALUABLE PRACTICE
Andersen Argentina	Juan Astibia, Luis María Flores Giménez, Bartolomé Homar Más
Candioti Gatto Bicain & Ocantos	Javier Gatto Bicain
Croz Tax & Legal	Esteban Domínguez, Pablo Roberts
D'Alessandro Tax	Valeria D'Alessandro
Dla Piper Argentina	Augusto Mancinelli
Estudio Garrido Abogados	María Cancio
EY	Sergio Caveggia, María Amelia Frade
FBA Tax	Ignacio Fernandez Borzese
Luna Requena Abogados Tributaristas	Alvaro Luna Requena
Nicholson y Cano Abogados	Cecilia Martin
Richards, Cardinal, Tützer, Zabala & Zaefferer	Tomás Balzano
Zang, Bergel & Viñes Abogados	Diego Embón



### **BANKING & FINANCE**

#### **Best Law Firms**

In each tier, the firms are ordered alphabetically

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)		
	LEADING		
Dentons Guevara & Gutiérrez	Enrique Barrios, Ramiro Guevara, Jorge Luis Inchauste		
Moreno Baldivieso	Andrés Moreno, Teddy Mercado		
	EXCELLENT		
Bufete Aguirre, Quintanilla, Soria & Nishizawa - BAQSN	Santiago A. Nishizawa Takano, Eduardo Quintanilla Ballivián		
Criales & Urcullo	Javier Urcullo		
Indacochea & Asociados	Alonso Indacochea, Mariana Pereira, Ana Carola Muñoz, Leonardo Azurduy		
PPO	Carlos Pinto		
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED		
Becerra de la Roca Donoso & Asociados	Mauricio Becerra de la Roca		
C.R. & F. Rojas – Abogados	María del Carmen Ballivian, Elizabeth Landivar, Sandra Salinas		
Julio Gemio Asociados	Sergio Bustillo Ayala, Franz Chávez Gonzáles, Julio Gemio Montes de Oca		
Würth Bedoya Costa Du Rels Abogados	Fernando Bedoya		
RECOMMENDED			
Inchauste & Navarro	Juan Inchauste		
Inchauste & Navarro  Villegas Aldazosa Y Asociados Soc Civ	Juan Inchauste  Sergio Dávila Corrales		

#### JULIO GEMIO ASOCIADOS: FINANCE AND COMMERCE PROFESSIONALS



Julio Gemio

Key Figure(s): Julio Gemio

Established: 2020

Track record: Boutique law firm specializing in financial legal advice and consultancy, unique in operating under the guidelines of ISO 31022. It concentrates on practice areas such as administrative and regulatory law, corporate governance, labor law, cooperative societies and insurance and reinsurance. The firm has clients in different sectors among which are investment companies, banks, technology companies and real estate companies.

Team & differentiation: Founding partner Julio Gemio created his firm after more than 20 years of legal practice related to financial matters at the financial system supervisory authority (ASFI). The team he assembled has extensive experience in banking/finance, corporate, supervision and financial control. The firm combines knowledge of the public and private sectors with its extensive track record in financial sector regulation and its associated services.





#### **Best Law Firms**

In each tier, the firms are ordered alphabetically

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
	LEADING
Araujo & Forgues	Jaime Araujo, Jannine Forgues
Benítez Rivas, Pérez & Asociados	Elbio Pérez
PPO	Pablo Ordoñez
Villegas Aldazosa Y Asociados Soc Civ	Álvaro Villegas Aldazosa
	EXCELLENT
Dentons Guevara & Gutiérrez	Mauricio Dalman
Inchauste & Navarro	Fidel Navarro Claros
Indacochea & Asociados	Candys Dorado, Mariana Pereira, Alonso Indacochea
Moreno Baldivieso	Rodrigo Burgos, Moisés Blanco
HIGH	ILY RECOMMENDED
Bufete Aguirre, Quintanilla, Soria & Nishizawa - BAQSN	Mauricio Torrico Galindo
C.R. & F. Rojas – Abogados	Diego Rojas
Criales & Urcullo	Luis Valda
Wayar & Von Borries Abogados	Mauricio Dávila Jordan

#### INDACOCHEA & ASOCIADOS: LEGAL TEAM OF BUSINESS EXPERTS



Alonso Indacochea Pardo de Zela

Key Figure(s): Alonso Indacochea Pardo de Zela, Mariana Pereira Nava, Andere Indacochea Pardo de Zela and Anwar Farah Montero

de Zela and Anwar Faral Montero **Established**: 1991 **Track record:** The firm has developed redoubtable expertise in complex corporate transactions, advising on foreign investment mandates, including mergers and acquisitions, incorporations and capital increases. It also advises on labor and social security compliance, financial services regulations and provides ongoing tax advice to clients. Banco Nacional De Bolivia S.A., Imcruz Comercial S.A. and EFG Bank are clients.

**Team & differentiation:** Alonso Indacochea heads the corporate and legaltech teams, and is an key advisor to the financial team. Indacochea furnishes comprehensive strategies for foreign investment and project finance transactions. Mariana Pereira is in charge of the banking & finance area, leading financing projects in the country, as well as incorporations, mergers and acquisitions of commercial companies, corporate restructurings and tax planning.



# **WEALTH MANAGEMENT**

#### **Best Family Offices**

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
	LEADING
G5 Partners	Renato Klarnet, André Benchimol
Turim MFO	Leonardo Martins Moraes, Eduardo Gomes de Almeida
Pragma	Luiz Francisco Guerra, Aloisio Camargo, Beny Schinazi
We Capital	Carolina Falzoni
Wright Capital Wealth Management	Alexandre Abud, Alexandre Gottlieb Lindenbojm, Fernanda Camargo
	EXCELLENT
Julius Baer	Natália Destro
Portofino Multi Family Office	Carolina Giovanella
UBS Consenso	Mari Yoshioka
	HIGLY RECOMMENDED
Carpa Family Office	Ian Dubugras
Lifetime Gestora de Recursos	Liliana Berthier, Vitor Carettoni, Natalia Szyfman
One Wealth Management	Pedro Henrique Vendramini, Fernando Diniz, Fabiano Ferrari
Vêneto Family Office	Carlos Henrique Chaves Pessoa, Fernando Luiz Damasceno, Bernardo Pereira Ottoni
WHG	Limerci Cavariani, Amanda Tavares
JGP	Eduardo Ruhman, Guilherme Araujo
TAG Investimentos	Thiago de Castro, André Leite, Marco Bismarchi
	RECOMMENDED
Araújo Fontes	José Benevides Romano
ASA Investments	Sergio Mitsuo Vilela
Astor Capital	Rodrigo Queiroz Frota, Francisco Morel, Alexandre Frota
Berkana	Luiz Carlos Moreira Lima, Daniel Ferdinand Cardoso Calier, Lucas Souza Silva
Brainvest	Fernando Gelman, Jan Gunnar Karsten, Dennis Kac
Galapagos Taler	Mari Emmanouilides, Paulo Colaferro, Richard Ziliotto
Perfin	Suzana Vescovi
Sten Gestão Patrimonial	Pedro Olmo, Savio Barros, Bruno Rodrigues
TNA Gestão Patrimonial	Ricardo Taboaço, Veronica Nieckele, Roberto Luiz Corrêa da Fonseca





### **WEALTH MANAGEMENT**

#### Best Private Banks

In each tier, the banks are ordered alphabetically

BANK	KEY FIGURE(S)
	LEADING
BTG Pactual	Rogério Pessoa, Mariana Oiticica
Itaú Private Bank	Fernando Beyruti
Santander Private Banking	Luciana Guaspari O. Bragança
	EXCELLENT
Banco do Brasil Private	Guilherme Alexandre Rossi, Josue Espindola
Banco Safra	Sérgio Penchas, Kelly Fuoco
Bradesco Private Bank	Augusto Miranda, Márcio Renato Ribeiro, Juliana Laham
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
UBS Consenso	Yuri Freitas
XP Private	Renato Folino
	RECOMMENDED
Citi	Eduardo Ventura
Genial	Claudio Massari

# **REAL ESTATE**

#### Best Investment Fund Managers

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)	
	LEADING	
BTG Pactual	Fernando Crestana, Michel Wurman	
Capitânia Investimentos	Ricardo Quintero	
Kinea Investimentos	Carlos Martins, Flávio Cagno	
RBR Asset Management	Ricardo Almendra, Guilherme Bueno Netto, Caio Castro	
Vinci Partners	Leandro Bousquet, Rodrigo Coelho, Ilan Nigri	
XP Asset Management	Pedro Carraz, André Masetti	
EXCELLENT		
Bresco	Carlos Javier Betancourt	
Hedge Investments	Alexandre Machado, João Phelipe Toazza, Mauro Carame Dahruj	

Real Estate Patria Investimentos	Rodrigo Abbud, Ken Wainer, Vitor Martins
TRX	Luiz Augusto F. do Amaral, José Alves Neto
Valora Investimentos	Alessandro Vedrossi, Daniel Pegorini
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
Banco Safra	Marcus Vinicius Fernandes
Jive   Mauá	Luiz Fernando Figueiredo, Brunno Bagnariolli
Rio Bravo Investimentos	Gustavo Franco
Vectis	Alexandre Aoude, Laercio Boaventura
	RECOMMENDED
Bradesco Asset Management	Luiz Eugenio Junqueira Figueiredo
Brookfield Business Partners	Roberto Perroni
Genial	André Schwartz, Rafael Vasconcelos
Guardian Asset	Gustavo Asdourian
Hemisfério Sul Investimentos	Rafael Mazzini, Maximo Lima
Iridium Gestão	Gabriel Porto, Rafael Yunes, Obede Rodrigues
JPP Asset	Daniel Pinheiro
Oliveira Trust	Antonio Amaro, José Alexandre Costa de Freitas
Ourinvest	Bruce Thomas Philips
REC Gestão de Recursos	Moise Politi
Riza Asset	Daniel Lemos
TG Core Asset	Diego Siqueira Santos, Pedro Ernesto Bragança Bites Leão
	VALUABLE PRACTICE
Banco Fator	João Antônio Lopes Filho
Inter	Alexandre Riccio
Tivio Capital	Adriano Mantesso, Victor Cioban
	NOTABLE PRACTICE
Hectare	Lucas Elmor, Tales Prado Furlanetti S. Silva
Hines	Elena Gonzalez, Katia Varalla Levy
Itaú	Miltom d'Avila
Santander	Sandro Gamba
Votorantim Asset Management	Silvia Benvenuti





# **EQUITY CAPITAL MARKETS (ECM)**

#### **Best Investment Banks**

BANK	KEY FIGURE(S)
	LEADING
Bradesco BBI	Claudia Bollina Mesquita, Felipe Thut
BTG Pactual	Fabio Nazari
Itaú BBA	Renata Dominguez
	EXCELLENT
BofA Securities	Hans Lin, Douglas Oliveira
Citi	Marcelo Millen
Goldman Sachs	Thiago Bortoluci
JP Morgan	Felipe Barros Barreto Aidar
Santander	José Pedro Leite da Costa
UBS BB	João Carlos Floriano
XP Investimentos	Vítor Saraiva, Kristian Orberg
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
Banco Safra	João Paulo Feneberg Torres
Morgan Stanley	Tiago Pessoa, Alessandro Zema
	RECOMMENDED
Banco ABC Brasil	Gustavo Bellon, Ricardo Rocha
Caixa Econômica Federal	Gabriel Dutra Cardozo, Sérgio Bini
Scotiabank	Leandro Salles Santos
	VALUABLE PRACTICE
ALFA	André Novellino Natale
Banco BV	Jorge Ball
BNP Paribas	Tiago Cesar
BR Partners	Danilo Catarucci, Livia Endo, Marcella Marcondes
Genial	Osvaldo Casado Jr., Mikael Martins

# **DEBT CAPITAL MARKETS (DCM)**

#### Best Investment Banks

BANK	KEY FIGURE(S)
	LEADING
Itaú BBA	Guilherme Maranhão, Gustavo Porto, Felipe Wilberg
Bradesco BBI	Andre Carvalho, Felipe Thut
BTG Pactual	Daniel Vaz, Kaian Ferraz
Santander	Cassiano Barbosa
UBS BB	Samy Podlubny, Sylvia Coutinho, Carlos Belinger
XP Investimentos	Pedro Mesquita
	EXCELLENT
Banco ABC Brasil	Gustavo Bellon, Ricardo Rocha
Banco BV	João Frizzo
Banco Safra	Thiago Pellicciari
BR Partners	Danilo Catarucci, Gustavo Guedes
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
ALFA	Pedro Henrique Silva
Bocom BBM	Pedro Caldas, Leandro Nogueira
Caixa Econômica Federal	Ronny Peterson Costa, Gabriel Dutra Cardozo
Citi	Eduardo Miras
Guide Investimentos	Luis Gustavo Pereira
	RECOMMENDED
Banco Inter	João Vitor Menin
Banco Modal	Bernardo Obadia
BNP Paribas	Enrico Castro, Gilberto Kfouri
JP Morgan	Ricardo Leoni
Morgan Stanley	Tiago Pessoa, Alessandro Zema
	VALUABLE PRACTICE
Banco BMG	Daniel Karam
Banco BS2	Marcio Paulino de Paiva
<b>BofA Securities</b>	Nuno Filipe Martins
Crédit Agricole	Yves-Marie Gayet, Cyrille Brunotte
Credit Suisse Group	Rodrigo Fittipaldi Rocha
Daycoval	Renato Otranto
Genial	Osvaldo Casado Jr., Mikael Martins
Rabobank	Adriana Sodré Gouveia
RB Capital	Adalbero Cavalcanti
	NOTABLE PRACTICE
Barclays Brasil	Alex Araujo
Goldman Sachs	Silvio Valdissera
Haitong	Miguel Guiomar, Eduardo Bierrenbach, Rogerio Graziottin
NuInvest	Arthur Vieira





# INDEPENDENT ADVISORS: DEBT CAPITAL MARKETS (DCM)

### **Best Consulting Firms**

The firms are ordered alphabetically

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
	MAPPING
Artica	Eduardo Correa
Criteria	Lutfala Wadhy Neto
EQI	Priscilla Scherer
JK Capital	Rafael Campos
FG/A	Luis Gustavo Torrano Correa, Juliano Merlotto, Willian Orzari Hernandes
Galapos	Maurício Polesi Bergamaschi, Fábio Vitola
IGC	Amanda Rangel
Imeri	Carlos Marcelo
JGP	Alexandre Romeiro, Diego Maurell
Olimpia Partner	Richard Rainer
RGS	Victor Barreira

# **PRIVATE EQUITY**

#### **Best Investment Funds**

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
	LEADING
Advent International	Patrice Etlin, Victor Beattie
Crescera Capital	Daniel Borghi
General Atlantic	Frederico Carvalho, Martín Escobari
Kinea Investimentos	Cristiano Gioia Lauretti
Patria Investments	Ricardo Scavazza
Vinci Partners	Carlos Eduardo Martins e Silva, Gabriel Felzenszwalb
Warburg Pincus	Henrique Muramoto, Piero Minardi
	EXCELLENT
EB Capital	Eduardo Sirotsky Melzer, Luciana Antonini Ribeiro, Pedro Parente
H.I.G. Capital	Fernando Marques Oliveira, Marcelo Hudik F. de Albuquerque
L Catterton	Julio Babecki, Peter Lohken
Mubadala Capital	Oscar Fahlgren, Ricardo Paes
Riverwood Capital	Joaquim Lima
XP Asset Management	Gustavo Pires

HIGHLY RECOMMENDED		
Actis Capital	Davi Carvalho Mota	
Aqua Capital	Sebastian Popik	
Axxon Group	Fábio Maranhão, Nicolas Wollak	
<b>Brookfield Business Partners</b>	Alexandre Thiollier	
Canada Pension Plan Investment Board (CPPIB)	Tania Sztamfater Chocolat, Ricardo Szlejf	
D1 Capital Partners	Jeremy Katz	
DGF Investimentos	Frederico Greve, Sidney Chameh	
DSK Capital	Diego Stark, Felipe Fonseca Pereira	
GEF Capital Partners	Alexandre Alvim, Anibal Wadih	
GIC Private Limited	Eduardo de Mesquita Samara, Wolfgang Schwerdtle	
SPX Capital	Fernando Borges	
Starboard Asset	Paulo Thiago Mendonça	
TreeCorp Investiments	Bruno D'Ancona, Danilo Just Soares, Luis Filipe Lomonaco	
	RECOMMENDED	
Angra Partners	Alberto Guth, Sergio Brasil	
BlackRock	Carlos Massaru Takahashi, Karina Saade	
Fir Capital	Guilherme Emrich	
Gávea Investimentos	Amaury Bier, Arminio Fraga Neto, Luiz Henrique Fraga	
SK Tarpon	Marcelo Lima, Vasco Oliveira	
TCV	Tim Hoag, Tyler Flint	
	VALUABLE PRACTICE	
3G Capital	Carlos Alberto Sicupira, Jorge Paulo Lemann, Marcel Telles	
	NOTABLE PRACTICE	
CapSur Capital	Marcel Arins	
GP Investments	Antonio Bonchristiano	
Invesco	Marty Flanagan	
Stratus Private Equity	Álvaro Gonçalves	
Victoria Capital Partners	Carlos Garcia	

# **IPO READINESS**

### Best Consulting Firms

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)		
	LEADING		
Deloitte	Jon Marcus		
EY	Luiz Sérgio Vieira		
KPMG	Sidney Ito		
PwC	Alessandro Marchesino		
	EXCELLENT		
BDO Brasil	David Fernandes, Luiz Fernandes Carvalho Tenório, Luiz Gustavo Pereira dos Santos, Raul Corrêa da Silva		
Grant Thornton	João Rafael Belo de Araujo Filho, Marco Aurélio Paulino Neves, Leonardo Maia		
IRKO Hirashima	Humberto Linaris, Eduardo Luque, Poliana Hespanhol, Ruy Luiz de Paula		
PP&C Auditores Independentes	Marcos Rodrigues, Aline Poiani		
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED		
Baker Tilly Brasil	Henrique Premoli		
Crowe Brasil	Marcelo Lico, Ricardo Julio Rodil		
Mazars	Eduardo Cabrera, Rodrigo Viñau		
RSM Brasil	Laercio Soto		





### FINANCIAL AUDITS

#### **Best Consulting Firms**

In each tier, the firms are ordered alphabetically

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
	LEADING
Deloitte	Marcelo Magalhães Fernandes
EY	Luiz Sérgio Vieira
KPMG	Carlos Pires
PwC	Fabio Cajazeira
	EXCELLENT
BDO	David Fernandes, Marisa de Albuquerque, Viviene Alves Bauer
Grant Thornton	Octavio Zampirollo
IRKO Hirashima	Eduardo Luque, Poliana Hespanhol
PP&C Auditores Independentes	Giácomo de Paula
RSM	Fernando Medeiros
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
Baker Tilly	Fábio Muralo
Crowe	Marcelo Lico, Sergio Oliveira, Fabio Debiaze, Luciana Toniolo
Mazars	Paulo Misse
Russell Bedford	Jorge Cereja, Moacir Laurenço de Jesus
	RECOMMENDED
CLA	Thiago Brehmer
Ecovis WFA	André José Valério, Robson Izabel, Antonio Rocha
HLB	Luís Antônio Villanova, Rogério Rokembach
Premium Bravo	Amanda Castilho
Protiviti	Bruno Giometti
UHY Bendoraytes	Franklin Bendoraytes, Geysa Bendoraytes, Sergio Bendoraytes
	VALUABLE PRACTICE
Alvarez & Marsal	Eduardo Magalhães
Berkan	Bradlei Ricardo Moretti, Tatiane Schmitz
MCS Markup	Walter Neumayer, Romulo Caputo, Tatiana Martins
Moore	Hildebrando Camargo, Ruy Gomes da Silva Filho
Kreston Partnership	Marco Enzo Tortora, Julio Baffini

#### **DELOITTE BRASIL: BENCHMARK-SETTING AUDITING SERVICES**



Luiz Oseliero

Key Figure(s): Luiz Oseliero Established: 1845 Track record: In response to the increasing complexity of business environments, driven by new technologies, regulatory changes and fast-flowing global information, Deloitte has developed innovative tools and resources to meet these demands. The firm is highly respected for its ability to provide comprehensive auditing, financial advisory and risk management solutions while adhering to strict compliance standards.

Team & differentiation: Luiz Oseliero, an expert with over 20 years' experience, ensures that Deloitte continues to set the standard for innovative, high-quality audits. With more than 175 years of tradition, not to mention 7,000 Brazil-based professionals, including 300 partners, the firm has invested heavily in what it calls the "Audit of the Future" – a forward-thinking approach designed to align with modern business needs.

# **RESTRUCTURING & INSOLVENCY ADVISORS**

### **Best Consulting Firms**

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)	
	LEADING	
Alvarez & Marsal	Luis de Lucio, Marcelo Gomes	
FTI Consulting	Samuel Aguirre, Luciano Lindemann, Leonardo Florencio	
Laplace Finanças	Renato Carvalho, Allan Libman, Marcelo Saad	
Moelis & Co.	Otávio Guazzelli, Jório Salgado-Gama, Erick Alberti	
RK Partners	Adriano Sebusiani, Ricardo Knoepfelmacher	
EXCELLENT		
Íntegra Associados	Renato Carvalho Franco, Marcelo Milliet	
Lazard	Flavio de Picciotto	
Pantalica Partners	Antonio Bruno Monteiro de Carvalho, Salvatore Milanese	
Rothschild & Co.	Luiz Muniz, Marcos Spieler	
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED	
Deloitte	Luis Vasco Elias, Ana Beatriz Moroni, Daniella Piha, André Souza	
Galeazzi e Associados	Bruno de Queiroz, Cláudio Santos, Luiz Galeazzi	
Houlihan Lokey	Eric Siegert, Joseph Swanson	
KPMG	Alan Riddell, Osana Mendonça	
	RECOMMENDED	
Araújo Fontes	Felipe Borlido, Leonardo Teixeira	
BR Partners	Fabiana Balducci	
PwC	Leonardo Dell'Oso	
Werte Capital 1	Felipe Baialuna	
	VALUABLE PRACTICE	
Corporate Consulting	Luís Alberto de Paiva	
EY	Lucio Teixeira	
G5 Partners	Corrado Varoli, Marcelo Lajchter	
IVIX Value Cration	Nelson Bastos, Pedro Guizzo	
TCP Partners	Wilbert Sanchez, Fábio Flores	
	NOTABLE PRACTICE	
Makalu	Luiz Prado, Gustavo Tachibana, Matheus Hyashida	
McKinsey	Rami Goldfajn	





# **OUTSOURCING / BPO**

### **Best Consulting Firms**

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
	LEADING
Deloitte	Rogerio Panessa
IRKO	Flavio Bastos, Carlos Alberto Marcicano, Alessandro de Oliveira Leme, Zelir Souza
BDO	Julian Clemente, Katia Abate, Paulo Piccolo
EY	Luiz Sérgio Vieira, Ricardo Pinheiro Lopes, Segundino Patiño de La Fuente
Mazars	Adilson Silva, Antonio Costa, Ricardo Rosati
	EXCELLENT
Assessor Bordin	Allan Bordin, Antonio Carlos Bordin, João Simonette
Crowe	Marcelo Lico, Erika Suzuki, Juliana Brito
HLB	Ines Caressato
PP&C Serviços Contábeis	Paulo José de Carvalho, Marco Aurélio Silva, Kleber José Vieira
TMF	Rodrigo Zambon
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
Baker Tilly	Adilson Galdeano, Rodolfo Resende
Confirp Contabilidade	Carlos Junior
Domingues e Pinho Contadores	Luciana Uchôa, Glória Cunha, Marluci Azevedo
Grant Thornton	Denis Satolo, Claudia Rossi, Antoniel Silva
MLegate	Antonio Carlos Machado, Rosana Tessari, João Carlos Castilho Garcia
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Alexia Ventures	Patrick Arippol, Wolff Klabin
Astella Investimentos	Edson Rigonatti
DGF Investimentos	Frederico Greve, Sidney Chameh
Igah, Ventures	Marcio Trigueiro, Pedro Sirotsky Melzer
ONEVC	Arthur Brennand, Bruno Yoshimura, Eduardo Campos
QED Investors	Frank Rotman, Nigel Morris
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
Endeavor	Anderson Thees, Igor Piquet
Headline	Romero Rodrigues, Gabriel Alves
Iporanga Ventures	Leonardo Teixeira, Renato Valente
Maya Capital	Lara Lemann, Monica Saggioro Leal
	RECOMMENDED
Canary	Florian Hagenbuch, Julio Vasconcellos, Marcos Toledo
KPTL	Gustavo Junqueira, Renato Ramalho
TM3	Marcel Malczewski
	VALUABLE PRACTICE
Chromo Invest	Tiago Wallau Kretzmann
GreenRock	Matheus Prado Nascimento
NXTP	Alex Busse, Darly Bendo
Quona Capital	Jonathan Whittle
Redpoint eVentures	Anderson Thees
	NOTABLE PRACTICE
Barn Investimentos	Flavio Zaclis
Confrapar	Kadu Guillaume, Rodrigo Esteves





# **VENTURE CAPITAL: SERIES B AND FOLLOW ONS**

### **Best Investment Funds**

In each tier, the firms are ordered alphabetically

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
	LEADING
Riverwood Capital	Joaquim Lima
Valor Capital Group	Everson Lopes, Lucas Mendes, Michael Nicklas
	EXCELLENT
IFC - International Finance Corporation	Carlos Leiria Pinto
OneVC	Arthur Brennand, Bruno Yoshimura, Eduardo Campos
Qualcomm Ventures	Carlos Kokron
SK Tarpon	Marcelo Lima
Tiger Global Management	Chase Coleman
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
Crescera	Fernando Silva
DNA Capital	Luiz Henrique Noronha
Kaszek	Hernan Kazah, Nicolas Berman, Mariana Donangelo
Softbank	Maria Tereza Azevedo
TM3	Marcel Malczewski
	RECOMMENDED
Bicycle Capital	Marcelo Claure
Bridge One	João Brandão
Caravela	Mario DeLara
Kinea	Marcio Verri, Philippe Schlumpf
Lightrock	Marcos Wilson Pereira, Gustavo Verdelli
Monashees	Eric Acher
Ribbit Capital	Meyer Malka, Nick Shalek, Nikolay Kostov
Upload	Carlos Simonsen, Mario Moraes

# **BANKING & FINANCE**

## Best Law Firms

	FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
		LEADING
1	Machado Meyer Advogados	Nei Schilling Zelmanovits, José Prado, Eduardo Castro
	Pinheiro Neto Advogados	Bruno Balduccini, José Luiz Homem de Mello, Fernando R. de Almeida Prado
2	Lefosse Advogados	Renata Cardoso, Kenneth Antunes Ferreira, Ricardo Prado
	Mattos Filho	Bruno Mastriani Simões Tuca, Flavia Magliozzi, Frederico Kerr Bullamah
	Pinheiro Guimarães Advogados	Francisco Pinheiro Guimarães Neto, Plinio Pinheiro Guimarães Neto, Francisco José Pinheiro Guimarães
		EXCELLENT
	Cescon, Barrieu, Flesch & Barreto Advogados	Ronald Herscovici, Maurício Teixeira dos Santos
	Demarest Advogados	Fabio Braga
	Stocche Forbes Advogados	Guilherme Forbes, Henrique Filizzola, Marcos Ribeiro
	Tauil & Chequer Advogados	Eduardo Lima, Priscilla Santos, Anna Gouvea
	TozziniFreire Advogados	Alexei Bonamin, Marcus Fonseca, Pedro Eroles

	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
BMA - Barbosa, Müssnich, Aragão	Camila Goldberg, Rafael Dutra, Anna Carolina Malta
Cascione Advogados	Fabio Cascione, Marcelo Padua Lima, Gabriel Capella
Dias Carneiro Advogados	Thiago Vallandro Flores, Ricardo Sanches, Gustavo Junqueira
Levy & Salomão Advogados	Eduardo Salomão Neto, Luiz Roberto de Assis
Lobo de Rizzo Advogados	André Ramos Bedim, Guilherme Cookie
Veirano Advogados	Ana Carolina Barreto
	RECOMMENDED
Campos Mello Advogados	Jorge Gallo, Marcelo Mattos
Santos Neto Advogados	Domicio dos Santos Neto, Nicolau Nardi, Paula Moraes dos Santos
Trench Rossi Watanabe	Luis Ambrósio, Rafael Disposti
VBSO - Vaz, Buranello, Shingaki & Oioli Advogados	Erik Frederico Oioli, José Alves Ribeiro Jr., Henrique Vicentin Lisboa
Vieira Rezende Advogados	Celso Contin, Roberto Vianna
	VALUABLE PRACTICE
/asbz	Alexandre B. David, Rodrigo Rocha Casarotti
Felsberg Advogados	Maria da Graça Pedretti, Ricardo Higashitani
Freitas Leite Advogados	Cristiano da Cruz Leite
Franco Leutewiler Henriques Advogados	Gabriel Buscarini Leutewiler, William Rizzi
Madrona Fialho Advogados	Marcelo Cosac, Leonardo Di Cola, Luis Bellini
Monteiro, Rusu, Cameirão e Bercht Advogados	Daniel Lopes Monteiro, Roberto Pekelman Rusu, Allan Borba Bercht
Vidigal Advogados	Rubens Vidigal
VBPG - Vella Pugliese Buosi e Guidoni Advogados	Rodrigo Vella, Gabriella Maranesi Najjar, Fernando Henrique Lopes

## **BANKING: REGULATORY**

#### **Best Law Firms**

	FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
		LEADING
1	Pinheiro Neto Advogados	Bruno Balduccini, José Luiz Homem de Mello, Fernando R. de Almeida Prado
2	Cascione Advogados	Fabio Cascione, Marcelo Padua Lima, Gabriel Capella
	Levy & Salomão Advogados	Eduardo Salomão Neto, Luiz Roberto de Assis
	Machado Meyer Advogados	Nei Schilling Zelmanovits, Eduardo Avila de Castro, Adriano Schnur Ferreira
		EXCELLENT
1	Barcellos Tucunduva Advogados	Giancarllo Melito, Mariana Prado Lisboa e Thiago do Amaral Santos
	Lefosse Advogados	Renata Cardoso, Kenneth Antunes Ferreira, Ricardo Prado
	Mattos Filho Advogados	Alex Hatanaka, Larissa Arruy
	TozziniFreire Advogados	Alexei Bonamin, Marcus da Fonseca
2	FAS Advogados, in cooperation with CMS	Paulo Mertz Focaccia, Vicente Piccoli Medeiros Braga
	Fialdini Advogados	Vanessa Fialdini
	Saddi Advogados	Jairo Saddi
	Sturzenegger e Cavalcante Advogados Associados	Luiz Carlos Sturzenegger, Marcos Cavalcante de Oliveira
	Vidigal Neto Advogados	Rubens Vidigal Neto, Fernanda Mary Sonoki
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	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
b/luz	Luciana Simões Rebello Horta, Cesar R. Carvalho
Demarest Advogados	Fabio Braga
Laudisio Advogados	Arnaldo Penteado Laudisio
Pinheiro Guimarães Advogados	Francisco Pinheiro Guimarães Neto
	RECOMMENDED
HNaves Advogados	Helen Naves
Tauil & Chequer Advogados	Eduardo Lima, Priscilla Santos
VPBG - Vella Pugliese Buosi e Guidoni Advogados	Denise Salles, Fernando Henrique Lopes
Velloza Advogados	Cesar Amendolara, Leandro Vilarinho Borges

### HNAVES ADVOGADOS: SPECIALIST BANKING BOUTIQUE



Helen Naves

Key Figure(s): Helen Naves Established: 2021 Track record: HNaves Advogados is a boutique law firm, recognized for its vast expertise in financial, banking and capital markets law. The firm provides strategic legal guidance on complex financial transactions, including debt capital markets, banking contracts and international investments.

Team & differentiation: Founded by Helen Naves, a seasoned expert with over two decades of experience in multinational financial institutions and top law firms, HNaves Advogados offers specialist legal services that align with clients' business goals. The firm's boutique approach ensures high-quality, tailored strategies for each client.

## **CAPITAL MARKETS: REGULATORY & LEGAL OPINIONS**

#### **Best Law Firms**

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
	LEADING
Lefosse Advogados	Luiz Octavio Lopes, Rodrigo Junqueira, Carlos Barbosa Mello
Loria e Kalansky Advogados	Eli Loria, Daniel Kalansky
Machado Meyer Advogados	Adriana Pallis, Gustavo Rugani, Clarissa Freitas, Alessandra de Souza Pinto
Mattos Filho	Jean Marcel Arakawa, Vanessa Fiusa, Caio Cossermelli
Trindade Sociedade de Advogados	Marcelo Trindade
	EXCELLENT
Bocater, Camargo, Costa e Silva, Rodrigues Advogados	Francisco da Costa e Silva, Maria Isabel Bocater, Flávio Martins Rodrigues, João Laudo de Camargo, Maurício Jayme e Silva, Jaques Wurman
Eizirik Advogados	Nelson Eizirik
Pinheiro Neto Advogados	Henrique Lang, Ricardo Russo, Tiago Themudo Lessa
Yazbek Advogados	Otávio Yazbek
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
BMA - Barbosa, Müssnich, Aragão	Camila Goldberg, Jane Goldman Nusbaum, Felipe Prado
Cescon, Barrieu, Flesch & Barreto Advogados	Cristina de Freitas Bueno
Chediak Advogados	Julian Fonseca Peña Chediak, Caio Machado Filho, Julio Maia Vidal
Madrona Fialho Advogados	Marcelo Cosac Said, Nair Veras Saldanha, Leonardo Di Cola Nunes
Stocche Forbes Advogados	Henrique Filizzola, Marcos Canecchio Ribeiro, Bernardo Kruel
	RECOMMENDED
Demarest Advogados	Paula Magalhāes, Maiara Madureira Mendes, Luiz Felipe Eustaquio, Thiago Giantomassi, João Paulo Minetto
Renteria Advogados	Pablo Renteria
Gustavo Gonzalez Advogados	Gustavo Gonzalez

# **EQUITY CAPITAL MARKETS (ECM)**

### **Best Law Firms**

In each tier, the firms are ordered alphabetically

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
	LEADING
Lefosse Advogados	Luiz Octavio Lopes, Rodrigo Junqueira, Carlos Barbosa Mello, Ricardo Prado, Jana Araujo
Machado Meyer Advogados	Gustavo Rugani, Arthur Penteado, Raphael Zono, Bruno Racy, Gustavo Secaf Rebello, Alessandra de Souza Pinto
Mattos Filho	Jean Arakawa, Vanessa Fiusa, Caio Cossermelli
Pinheiro Neto Advogados	José Carlos Meirelles, Fernando J. Prado Ferreira, Henrique Lang
	EXCELLENT
Cescon, Barrieu, Flesch & Barreto Advogados	Alexandre Gossn Barreto, Ronald Herscovici
Pinheiro Guimarães Advogados	Francisco José Pinheiro Guimarães, Ivie Moura Alves, Paula Pessôa
Stocche Forbes Advogados	Henrique Filizzola, Frederico Moura, Marcos Ribeiro, Thadeu Bretas
Tauil & Chequer Advogados	Carlos Motta, Rodolfo Tella, Luis Montes, Bruno Cerqueira, Daniella Monteiro, Guilherme Tranquillini, Eduardo Lima
2 BMA - Barbosa, Müssnich, Aragão	Camila Goldberg, Jane Goldman Nusbaum, Felipe Prado
Demarest Advogados	Thiago Giantomassi, João Paulo Minetto, Leticia Galdino Wanderley, Paula Magalhães, Luiz Felipe Eustaquio, Maiara Madureira Mendes
Trench Rossi Watanabe	Daniel de Miranda Facó, Evaristo Lucena, Eduardo Herszkowicz
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
Lobo de Rizzo Advogados	Andre Ramos Bedim, Gabriela Ponte Machado, Guilherme Cooke, Gustavo Silveira Cunha, Maria Costa Neves Machado, Mariana Cano Assef Donini, Milton Pinatti

# **CAPITAL MARKETS: INTERNATIONAL LAW FIRMS**

#### **Best Law Firms**

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
	LEADING
Davis Polk & Wardwell	Manoel Garcia Dias
White & Case	Donald Baker, John Gusman
Skadden, Arps, Slate, Meagher & Flom	J. Mathias von Bernuth
Simpson Thacher & Bartlett	Grenfel S. Calheiros
Milbank	Fabiana Y. Sakai, Tobias Stirnberg
	EXCELLENT
Cleary Gottlieb Steen & Hamilton	Juan G. Giráldez
Winston & Strawn	Rodrigo Carvalho
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
Clifford Chance	Anthony Oldfield
Linklaters	Matthew Poulter
DLA Piper	Amadeu Ribeiro, Marcello Hallake, Bruno Soares
Paul Hastings LLP	Jonathan E. Kellner
Shearman & Sterling	Roberta Cherman
Hogan Lovells	Isabel Carvalho
Proskauer Rose	Antonio Piccirillo, David Fenwick, Fabio Yamada



### **DEBT CAPITAL MARKETS (DCM)**

### **Best Law Firms**

In each tier, the firms are ordered alphabetically

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
	LEADING
Lefosse Advogados	Ricardo Prado, Roberto Zarour, Bruno Massis
Machado Meyer Advogados	Gustavo Rugani, Arthur Penteado, Raphael Zono, Bruno Racy, Gustavo Secaf Rebello, Alessandra de Souza Pir
Mattos Filho, Veiga Filho, Marrey Jr. e Quiroga Advogados	Marina Anselmo Schneider, Marina Procknor, Jean Arakawa
Lobo de Rizzo Advogados	Andre Ramos Bedim, Gabriela Ponte Machado, Guilherme Cooke
Pinheiro Guimarães Advogados	Plinio Pinheiro Guimarães Neto, Francisco José Pinheiro Guimarães, Paula Pessôa
Pinheiro Neto Advogados	Ricardo Russo, José Luiz Homem de Mello, José Carlos Meirelles
Stocche Forbes Advogados	Henrique Filizzola, Frederico Moura, Marcos Ribeiro, Thadeu Bretas
Tauil & Chequer Advogados	Carlos Motta, Rodolfo Tella, Luis Montes
	EXCELLENT
Cescon, Barrieu, Flesch & Barreto Advogados	Alexandre Gossn Barreto, Maurício Santos
VBSO - Vaz, Buranello, Shingaki & Oioli Advogados	Erik Frederico Oioli, José Alves Ribeiro Jr., Henrique Vicentin Lisboa
Demarest Advogados	Thiago Giantomassi, João Paulo Minetto, Leticia Galdino Wanderley, Marina Ferraz Aidar, Luiz Felipe Eustac
Monteiro, Rusu, Cameirão e Bercht Advogados	Roberto Pekelman Rusu, Allan Borba Bercht, Marina Lipener Fenerich
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
Campos Mello Advogados	Jorge Gallo, Marcelo Mattos
Cascione Advogados	Fábio Cascione, Gabriel Capella, Ana Paula Calil
i2a Advogados	Ronaldo Ishikawa, Luis Peyser
Madrona Fialho Advogados	Marcelo Cosac Said, Leonardo Di Cola Nunes, Nair Veras Saldanha, Luis Bellini
Mello Torres	Carlos Jose Rolim de Mello
TozziniFreire Advogados	Alexei Bonamin, Felipe Tulio de Paiva
	RECOMMENDED
BMA - Barbosa, Müssnich, Aragão	Camila Goldberg, Rafael Dutra, Anna Carolina Malta
Franco, Leutewiler, Henriques Advogados	Gabriel Buscarini Leutewiler, William Rizzi
Trench Rossi Watanabe	Luis Ambrosio, Daniel Facó, Eduardo Herszkowicz
Veirano Advogados	Lior Pinsky, Ingrid Thomas Hessling, Alberto Bragança
	VALUABLE PRACTICE
Bocater, Camargo, Costa e Silva, Rodrigues Advogados	Maria Isabel do Prado Bocater, Matheus Corredato Rossi, Francisco da Costa e Silva, Flavio Martins Roggues, Jaques Wurman, Maurício Jayme e Silva
Coelho Advogados	Diego Gonçalves Coelho
NFA - Negrão Ferrari Advogados	Carlos Eduardo Peres Ferrari, Bruno Gagliardi, Guilherme Iuassê Osima
PMK Advogados	Rana Moraz Müller, Rafael Gobbi, Ricardo Stuber
Santos Neto Advogados	Matheus Zilioti, Henrique Takeda, Domicio dos Santos Neto
Souto Correa Advogados	Conrado Davoli, Júlia Vásquez Tourinho, Mariana Guenka

#### STOCCHE FORBES ADVOGADOS: CAPITAL MARKETS MASTERY



André Stocche

Key Figure(s): André Stocche, Guilherme Forbes and Henrique Filizzola Established: 2012

Track record: Debt capital markets expert Stocche Forbes is frequently sought after for its deep understanding of regulatory matters involving the Brazilian Securities Commission (CVM) and the Brazilian Financial and Capital Markets Association (ANBIMA). The firm is particularly valued by major players in the energy, infrastructure and retail industries for its strategic involvement in key public consultations and regulatory developments.

Team & differentiation: São Paulo-based Stocche Forbes' debt capital markets team has seven partners and 27 associates, recently bolstered by the promotion of Victor Manso Roman and Eduardo Pereira to partner. With a prestigious client base, including BTG Pactual, Itaú and XP Investimentos, the firm is admired for its sophisticated approach to capital market transactions. Branch offices are located in Rio de Janeiro, Brasília, Belo Horizonte and Ribeirão Preto.

#### MONTEIRO, RUSU, CAMEIRÃO, BERCHT **ADVOGADOS: BANKING EXPERTS**



Roberto Pekelman Rusu

Key Figure(s): Daniel Lopes Monteiro, Roberto Pekelman Rusu and Allan Borba Bercht Established: 2016

Track record: Highly sought after firm with top-tier clients in the banking, real estate, insurance and agribusiness industries. With profound expertise in structuring complex capital markets and financial transactions, the firm skillfully handles a host of securities-related matters, including debenture issuances, commercial papers, and real estate and agribusiness receivables certificates.

Team & differentiation: São Paulo-based Monteiro Rusu boasts a robust debt capital markets team comprising five partners and 16 associates. The practice is guided by experienced founding partners Roberto Pekelman Rusu and Allan Borba Bercht. The firm enjoys the confidence of major players of the financial sector, including Santander, Bradesco and Itaú, due to its proven track record for delivering high-quality legal services.

## **BANKRUPTCY**

### **Best Law Firms**

In each tier, the firms are ordered alphabetically

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
	LEADING
E.Munhoz Advogados	Eduardo Secchi Munhoz
Pinheiro Neto Advogados	Giuliano Colombo, André Moraes Marques
Thomaz Bastos, Waisberg, Kurzweil Advogados	Joel Luís Thomaz Bastos, Ivo Waisberg, Bruno Kurzweil de Oliveira
Felsberg Advogados	Thomas Felsberg, Fabiana Solano, Clara Azzoni
Galdino & Coelho, Pimenta, Takemi, Ayoub Advogados	Flavio Galdino, Eduardo Takemi Kataoka, Rafael Pimenta
	EXCELLENT
BMA - Barbosa, Müssnich, Aragão	Sergio Savi, Luciana Celidonio
Ferro, Castro Neves, Daltro & Gomide Advogados	Daltro de Campos Borges Filho, Eduardo Pecoraro, Thiago Peixoto Alves
Machado Meyer Advogados	Renato Maggio, Renata Martins de Oliveira Amado
Sergio Bermudes Advogados	Marcelo Carpenter, Ricardo Loretti Henrici, Thaís Vasconcellos de Sá
- 0	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
Cescon, Barrieu, Flesch & Barreto Advogados	Esther Kagan Slud, Daniel Pinheiro Longa, Alexandre Gossn Barreto
Demarest Advogados	Guilherme Bechara
Lefosse Advogados	Roberto Zarour, Fábio Rosas, Felipe Camara
Mange Advogados	Renato Luiz Mange, Walter Vieira Filho, Luciano Guimarães da Silveira
Padis Mattar Advogados	Eduardo Augusto Mattar, Paulo Padis, Renata Machado Veloso
Tepedino, Berezowski e Poppa Advogados	Bruno Poppa, José Eduardo Tavanti Junior, Rodolfo Fontana
$\Pi$	RECOMMENDED
/asbz	Aitan Portela, Bruno Chiaradia, Alexandre B. David
Leite, Tosto e Barros Advogados	Rodrigo Quadrante, Paulo Guilherme Lopes, Patricia Rios
Lollato Lopes Rangel Ribeiro Advogados	Felipe Lollato, Tiago Lopes, Aguinaldo Ribeiro Jr.
Mattos Filho	Marcelo Sampaio Goés Ricupero, Alex Hatanaka, André Chateaubriand Martins
Pinheiro Guimarães Advogados	Plinio Pinheiro Guimarães Neto, Francisco José Pinheiro Guimarães
Rosman, Penalva, Souza Leão, Franco, Vale Advogados	Paulo Penalva Santos
Sacramone, Orleans e Bragança Advogados	Marcelo Sacramone, Gabriel de Orleans e Bragança, Hugo Tubone Yamashita
Santos Neto Advogados	Fernando Bilotti Ferreira, Vivian Castellan Bernardino
Souto Correa Advogados	Gilberto Deon Corrêa Jr., Rodrigo Tellechea, Luis Felipe Spinelli
Stocche Forbes Advogados	Guilherme Forbes, Guilherme Gaspari Coelho, Teo Galvão
Stocche Porbes Navogados	VALUABLE PRACTICE
Bumachar Advogados Associados	Juliana Bumachar, Vitor Hugo Erlich Varella, Hayna Bittencourt
Campana Pacca Advogados	Paulo Campana, João Ricardo Pacca
Dias Carneiro Advogados	Laura Bumachar, Antonio Nachif, Álvaro Brito Arantes
Freire, Assis, Sakamoto E Violante Advogados (FASV)	Alexandre Faro, Gabriel Antonio Soares Freire Junior, Luita Vieira
LDCM Advogados	Tatiana Flores Gaspar Serafim, Pedro Pereira Lopes
LMorato Advogados	Leonardo Morato, Antônio Aires, Daniel Alencar
Mandel Advocacia	Julio Kahan Mandel
PGLaw	Thomaz Luis Sant'Ana, Maria Fabiana Dominguez Sant'Ana
Tauil & Chequer Advogados	Liv Machado
Wald, Antunes, Vita e Blattner Advogados	Arnoldo Wald Filho, Adriana Conrado Zamponi
Basilio Advogados	Ana Tereza Basilio
Castro Barros Advogados	Alexandre Catramby, José Augusto Leal, Rodrigo Mattos
Motta Fernandes Advogados	Luis Roux, Fernando Lobo
SABZ Advogados	Paulo Doron Rehder de Araujo, Kleber Luiz Zanchim, Renan Tadeu de Souza Soares
Salomão, Kaiuca, Abrahão, Raposo & Cotta Advogados	Luis Felipe Salomão Filho, Rodrigo Cotta, Eduardo Abrahão
Veirano Advogados	Diego Capistrano, Gustavo Stolagli, Julia Tamer Langen
Vilas Boas Lopes Frattari Advogados	Daniel Vilas Boas
Timo Doas Lopes Hattail Autogauos	NOTABLE PRACTICE
Gustavo Tepedino Advogados	Gustavo Tepedino, Milena Donato Oliva, Vivianne Abílio
VPBG - Vella Pugliese Buosi e Guidoni Advogados	Antonio Celso Pugliese, Carolina Mansur de Grandis

#### TWK ADVOGADOS: DEBT RESTRUCTURING AND INSOLVENCY EXPERTS



Joel Luís Thomaz Bastos

Key Figure(s): Joel Luís Thomaz Bastos, Ivo Waisberg and Bruno Kurzweil Established: 2016

Track record: Widely recognized for its expertise in debt restructuring and insolvency, TWK Advogados has an impressive record advising leading domestic and international companies, investment funds and fund managers in both judicial and extrajudicial processes. TWK offers comprehensive assistance, from strategic planning to the execution of complex restructuring solutions, including M&A, financing and corporate reorganizations.

Team & differentiation: Founded by seasoned partners Joel Luís Thomaz Bastos, Ivo Waisberg and Bruno Kurzweil, TWK Advogados is a flourishing firm with highly skilled experts. The firm's multidisciplinary approach enables it to provide cutting-edge legal solutions to debtors, creditors and investors. Known for its dedication to excellence, TWK expertly navigates the complexities of both domestic and cross-border restructuring and insolvency cases.





# **INVESTMENT FUNDS: STRUCTURING**

### **Best Law Firms**

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
Lafacca Advagados	André Mileski
Lefosse Advogados	
Mattos Filho	Pedro Whitaker de Souza Dias, Marina Procknor, Ana Carolina Lima Nomura  Guilherme Malouf, Luciana Costa Engelberg, Thales Tormin Saito, Nei Schilling Zelmanovits, Edua
Machado Meyer Advogados	do Avila de Castro, Renato Gomes Ribeiro Maggio
Pinheiro Neto Advogados	Rodrigo de Almeida Manso Vieira, Enrico Bentivegna, Caio Ferreira Silva
	EXCELLENT
Cepeda Advogados	Fábio Cepeda, Fabricio Avino, Andre Wakimoto
Cescon, Barrieu, Flesch & Barreto Advogados	Maria Cristina Cescon, Marcos Rafael Flesch, Cristina Bueno
Demarest Advogados	Thiago Giantomassi, Leticia Galdino Wanderley
Pinheiro Guimarães Advogados	Plinio Pinheiro Guimarães, Paula Pessôa, Roberta Pimentel
Stocche Forbes Advogados	Henrique Filizzola, Marcos Ribeiro, Bernardo Kruel, Thadeu Bretas
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
Freitas Leite Advogados	Cristiano da Cruz Leite, Humberto De Paula Lima Isaac, Fernanda Amaral
i2a Advogados	Ronaldo Ishikawa, Luis Peyser
Lobo de Rizzo Advogados	Guilherme Cooke, Milton Pinatti Ferreira de Souza
Madrona Fialho Advogados	Marcelo Cosac Said, Leonardo Di Cola Nunes, Luis Bellini
VBSO - Vaz, Buranello, Shingaki & Oioli Advogados	Erik Oioli, José Alves Ribeiro Jr., Henrique Vicentin Lisboa
Vidigal Neto Advogados	Rubens Vidigal Neto, Fernanda Mary Sonoki
	RECOMMENDED
BMA – Barbosa Müssnich Aragão	Francisco Müssnich, Monique Mavignier, Luís Flaks
Lacaz Martins, Pereira Neto, Gurevich e Schoueri Advogados	Erica Fernandes Campos Verissimo
TozziniFreire Advogados	Alexei Bonamin, Marcus Fonseca, Felipe Tulio de Paiva
	VALUABLE PRACTICE
Bronstein, Zilberberg, Chueiri & Potenza Advogados	André Rainho das Neves
Altit Advogados	Michael Altit
Mello Torres	Carlos José Rolim de Mello
NFA - Negrão Ferrari Advogados	Carlos Eduardo Peres Ferrari, Bruno Gagliardi
Souto Correa Advogados	Alvaro de Lima Rossini, Conrado Davoli, Júlia Vásquez Tourinho, Mariana Guenka
	NOTABLE PRACTICE
Monteiro, Rusu, Cameirão	Daniel Monteiro, Roberto Rusu, Alan Bercht
Trench Rossi Watanabe	Eduardo Herszkowicz, Evaristo Lucena
Velloza Advogados Associados	Felipe Marin Vieira
Veirano Advogados	Ingrid Hessling

# **PRIVATE EQUITY**

### **Best Law Firms**

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
	LEADING
Mattos Filho	Pedro Whitaker de Souza Dias, Marina Procknor, Ana Carolina Lima Nomura
Lefosse Advogados	Luiz Octavio Lopes, Sérgio Machado
	EXCELLENT
Demarest Advogados	Ana Carolina Botto Audi, Luciana Tornovsky, Thiago Sandim, Paulo Rocha, Thiago Maia, Débora Sejtman Gartner
Machado Meyer Advogados	Guilherme Bueno Malouf, Mauro Leschziner, Arthur Penteado
Pinheiro Neto Advogados	Rodrigo de Almeida Manso Vieira, Enrico Bentivegna, Caio Ferreira Silva
Stocche Forbes Advogados	André Stocche, Flavio Meyer, Fabiano Milani
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
BMA – Barbosa Müssnich Aragão	Francisco Müssnich, Monique Mavignier, Luís Flaks
Cescon, Barrieu, Flesch & Barreto Advogados	Maria Cristina Cescon, Marcos Rafael Flesch, Cristina Bueno
Lobo de Rizzo Advogados	Marcela Tavares de Vasconcelos, Guilherme Cooke
Madrona Fialho Advogados	Marcelo Cosac Said, Leonardo Di Cola Nunes
Pinheiro Guimarães Advogados	Plinio Pinheiro Guimarães, Paula Pessôa, Roberta Pimentel
	RECOMMENDED
Bronstein, Zilberberg, Chueiri & Potenza Advogados	André Rainho das Neves
Tauil & Chequer Advogados in association with Mayer Brown	Carlos Motta, Christian Roschmann, Guilherme Tranquillini
Mello Torres	Carlos José Rolim de Mello
TozziniFreire Advogados	Alexei Bonamin, Maria Bofill, Carla do Couto Hellu Battilana
Vidigal Neto Advogados	Rubens Vidigal Neto, Fernanda Mary Sonoki





# **TAX: ADVISORY**

### **Best Law Firms**

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
	LEADING
Lefosse Advogados	Gustavo Lian Haddad, Ricardo Bolan, Gustavo Paes
Machado Meyer Advogados	Daniela Zagari Gonçalves, Raquel Novais, Celso Costa
Mariz de Oliveira e Siqueira Campos Advogados	Roberto de Siqueira Campos, Ricardo Mariz de Oliveira, João Francisco Bianco
Mattos Filho	Roberto Quiroga, Andrea Bazzo Lauletta, Luiz Felipe Centeno Ferraz
Pinheiro Neto Advogados	Luciana Galhardo, Mauro Berenholc, Eduardo Carvalho Caiuby
	EXCELLENT
BMA - Barbosa, Müssnich, Aragão	Lígia Regini, José Otavio Faloppa, Debora Bacellar
Demarest Advogados	Carlos Eduardo Orsolon, Douglas Mota
Lacaz Martins, Pereira Neto, Gurevich & Schoueri Advogados	Ricardo Lacaz Martins, Luis Eduardo Schoueri, Luciana Angeiras Ferreira
Sacha Calmon - Misabel Derzi Consultores e Advogados	Valter Lobato, André Mendes Moreira, Fernando Moura
Trench Rossi Watanabe	Simone Musa, Clarissa Machado, Maria Fernanda Furtado
Stocche Forbes Advogados	Renato Coelho, Paulo Duarte, Renato Stanley
TozziniFreire Advogados	Renata Emery, Thiago Medaglia, Ricardo Maito
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
Brigagão, Duque Estrada Advogados	Gustavo Brigagão, Roberto Duque Estrada, Rodrigo Caserta, Eduardo Muniz, Ana Cristina Assunção
Gaia Silva Gaede Advogados	Gerson Stocco de Siqueira, Mauro Jacob, Flávio Augusto Dumont
Machado Associados	Júlio de Oliveira, Gilberto Cipullo, Antonio Carlos Harada
Ulhôa Canto Advogados	Carlos Alberto Ulhôa Canto, Rodrigo Brunelli Machado, João Dodsworth Guerra
Utumi Advogados	Ana Cláudia Akie Utumi, Camila Abrunhosa Tapias
Veirano Advogados	Ian Muniz, Abel Amaro, André Carvalho
	RECOMMENDED
Barros Carvalho Advogados Associados	Paulo de Barros Carvalho
Bichara Advogados	Luis Gustavo Bichara, Murillo Allevato, Thiago de Mattos Marques
Dias de Souza Advogados Associados	Hamilton Dias de Souza, Mário Luiz Oliveira da Costa, Hugo Funaro
KLA Advogados	Henrique Lopes, Victor Polizelli, Álvaro Lucasechi
Lobo de Rizzo Advogados	Alexandre Siciliano Borges, Mariana Miranda Lima, Maria Carolina Bachur
Schneider, Pugliese, Sztokfisz e Figueiredo Advogados	Eduardo Pugliese Pincelli, Cassio Sztokfisz, Henrique Philip Schneider
Souto Correa Advogados	Fernando Gomes de Souza Ayres, Henry Gonçalves Lummertz, Giacomo Paro, Yoon Chung Kim, Anderson Trautman Cardoso, Valter Tremarin Junior, Pedro Demartini
Tauil & Chequer Advogados	Anderson Iraulman Cardoso, valler Iremann Junior, Pedro Demartini
	Ivan Tauil, Guido Vinci, Eduardo Telles
Vieira Rezende Advogados	
VPBG - Vella Pugliese Buosi	Ivan Tauil, Guido Vinci, Eduardo Telles
	Ivan Tauil, Guido Vinci, Eduardo Telles  Rafael de Moraes Amorim, Thiago Vasconcelos Severini, Michel Siqueira Batista
VPBG - Vella Pugliese Buosi e Guidoni Advogados	Ivan Tauil, Guido Vinci, Eduardo Telles  Rafael de Moraes Amorim, Thiago Vasconcelos Severini, Michel Siqueira Batista  Antonio Carlos Guidoni Filho, André Ricardo Lemes, Ricardo Braghini
VPBG - Vella Pugliese Buosi e Guidoni Advogados Advocacia Lunardelli Aires Barreto Advogados Associados	Ivan Tauil, Guido Vinci, Eduardo Telles  Rafael de Moraes Amorim, Thiago Vasconcelos Severini, Michel Siqueira Batista  Antonio Carlos Guidoni Filho, André Ricardo Lemes, Ricardo Braghini  Pedro Guilherme Lunardelli
VPBG - Vella Pugliese Buosi e Guidoni Advogados Advocacia Lunardelli Aires Barreto Advogados Associados	Ivan Tauil, Guido Vinci, Eduardo Telles  Rafael de Moraes Amorim, Thiago Vasconcelos Severini, Michel Siqueira Batista  Antonio Carlos Guidoni Filho, André Ricardo Lemes, Ricardo Braghini  Pedro Guilherme Lunardelli  Paulo Ayres Barreto
VPBG - Vella Pugliese Buosi e Guidoni Advogados Advocacia Lunardelli Aires Barreto Advogados Associados /asbz	Ivan Tauil, Guido Vinci, Eduardo Telles Rafael de Moraes Amorim, Thiago Vasconcelos Severini, Michel Siqueira Batista Antonio Carlos Guidoni Filho, André Ricardo Lemes, Ricardo Braghini Pedro Guilherme Lunardelli Paulo Ayres Barreto Alexandre Gleria, Danilo Leal, Antônio Moreno
VPBG - Vella Pugliese Buosi e Guidoni Advogados Advocacia Lunardelli Aires Barreto Advogados Associados /asbz Castro Barros Advogados	Ivan Tauil, Guido Vinci, Eduardo Telles  Rafael de Moraes Amorim, Thiago Vasconcelos Severini, Michel Siqueira Batista  Antonio Carlos Guidoni Filho, André Ricardo Lemes, Ricardo Braghini  Pedro Guilherme Lunardelli  Paulo Ayres Barreto  Alexandre Gleria, Danilo Leal, Antônio Moreno  André Gomes de Oliveira, Daniela Duque Estrada, Gabriel Manica
VPBG - Vella Pugliese Buosi e Guidoni Advogados Advocacia Lunardelli Aires Barreto Advogados Associados /asbz Castro Barros Advogados Cascione Advogados	Ivan Tauil, Guido Vinci, Eduardo Telles  Rafael de Moraes Amorim, Thiago Vasconcelos Severini, Michel Siqueira Batista  Antonio Carlos Guidoni Filho, André Ricardo Lemes, Ricardo Braghini  Pedro Guilherme Lunardelli  Paulo Ayres Barreto  Alexandre Gleria, Danilo Leal, Antônio Moreno  André Gomes de Oliveira, Daniela Duque Estrada, Gabriel Manica  Luca Salvoni, Rafael Vega, Gabriel Baccarini
VPBG - Vella Pugliese Buosi e Guidoni Advogados Advocacia Lunardelli Aires Barreto Advogados Associados /asbz Castro Barros Advogados Cascione Advogados Cescon, Barrieu, Flesch & Barreto Advogados	Ivan Tauil, Guido Vinci, Eduardo Telles Rafael de Moraes Amorim, Thiago Vasconcelos Severini, Michel Siqueira Batista Antonio Carlos Guidoni Filho, André Ricardo Lemes, Ricardo Braghini Pedro Guilherme Lunardelli Paulo Ayres Barreto Alexandre Gleria, Danilo Leal, Antônio Moreno André Gomes de Oliveira, Daniela Duque Estrada, Gabriel Manica Luca Salvoni, Rafael Vega, Gabriel Baccarini Roberto Barrieu, Hugo Barreto Sodré Leal

	VALUABLE PRACTICE
Campos Mello Advogados in cooperation with DLA Piper	Alex Jorge, Juliana Costa
Dias Carneiro Advogados	Antonio Amendola, Rodrigo Maito da Silveira
Madrona Fialho Advogados	Marcos Ortiz, Rafael Malheiro, Paulo Bento, Pedro Magalhães
Maneira Advogados	Roberto Codorniz
Neves & Battendieri Advogados	Guilherme Pereira das Neves, Luiz Frederico Battendieri
2 Azevedo Sette Advogados	Leandra Guimarães
CMT - Carvalho, Machado e Timm Advogados	Cristiano Rosa Carvalho, Lucas Tavares dos Santos, Reginaldo dos Santos Bueno
FAS Advogados in cooperation with CMS	Juliana Porchat de Assis
Fraga, Bekierman & Cristiano Advogados	Lycia Braz Moreira, Gilberto Fraga, Marcelo Leonardo Cristiano
Mannrich e Vasconcelos Advogados	Breno Ferreira Martins Vasconcelos, Thais Veiga Shingai
Rayes & Fagundes Advogados Associados	Ronaldo Rayes, Bruno Aguiar, Flávio Yoshida
VBSO - Vaz, Buranello, Shingaki & Oioli Advogados	Paulo Cesar Ruzisca Vaz, Mario Shingaki, Diego Miguita
Velloza Advogados	Rubens Velloza, Fernanda Junqueira Calazans, Elisa da Costa Henriques
	NOTABLE PRACTICE
1 ALMA Law	Alexandre Monteiro, Luciana Aguiar, Francisco Lisboa Moreira
Bueno Tax Lawyers	Matheus Bueno, Fernanda Lains
ButtiniMoraes	João André Buttini de Moraes, Sergio Villanova Vasconcelos, Eduardo Barreto
FCAM - Ferraz de Camargo e Matsunaga Advogados	Marcos Matsunaga, Julio Assis, Adler Woczikosky
Huck Otranto Camargo	Paulo Cesar Butti Cardoso, Marcelo Muratori, Henrique Mellão Cecchi
Junqueira Ie Advogados	Lavinia Junqueira, Cristiane Ie, Marina Pettinelli
MFT - Martins, Franco e Teixeira Advocacia Empresarial	Natanael Martins
Pinheiro Guimarães Advogados	Plinio Pinheiro Guimarães, Daniela Fassheber, Rafael Vianello
VBD Advogados	Rodrigo Dias
2 Araújo e Policastro Advogados	Sylvio Fernando Paes de Barros Jr.
Bocater Advogados	Carlos Augusto C. Branco
	Werther Botelho Spagnol, Daniela Procópio, Marco Túlio Ibraim
Bronstein, Zilberberg, Chueiri e Potenza Advogados	Marcelo Perez
Candido Martins Advogados	Alamy Candido, Tatiana Cappa Chiaradia
Daniel & Diniz Advocacia Tributária	Carlos Augusto Daniel Neto, Diego Diniz Ribeiro, Antonio Carlos Atulim
Galvão Villani, Navarro, Zangiácomo e Bardella Advogados	Tatiana Villani, Carlos Eduardo Navarro, Salvador Cândido Brandão Junior
Lacerda Gama Advogados	Tácio Lacerda Gama, Lucia Paoliello Guimarães Chuva, Letícia Tourinho Dantas
Mattos Engelberg Echenique Advogados	Wolmar Esteves, Murilo Lopes
Martins Villac Advogados	Renato Vilela Faria
Martinelli Advogados	André Monduzzi, Breno Cônsoli, Bruno Condurú Davis
MVGA - Madeira, Valentim & Gallardo Advogados	Geraldo Valentim Neto
Terciotti Andrade Gomes Donato Advogados	Maurício Terciotti, Edgar Santos Gomes, Renato Peluzo
Simões Pires Advogados	Rafael Simões Pires, Amanda Pecoraro
Sobral Dix & Hochman Advogados	Daniel Dix, Amanda Pereira

### ARAÚJO E POLICASTRO ADVOGADOS: TAILORED TAX STRATEGIES FOR COMPLEX CHALLENGES



**Key Figure(s):** Sylvio Fernando Paes de Barros Jr.

Established: 1962

Sylvio Fernando Paes de Barros Jr.

Track record: Araújo e Policastro Advogados is highly regarded for its personalized approach, outstanding responsiveness, and attention to detail in providing both tax litigation and advisory services. It offers tailored tax planning solutions for companies, institutions, and individuals, addressing a variety of transactions across commercial, industrial, and service sectors.

Team & differentiation: São Paulo-based Araújo e Policastro Advogados is comprised of a team of 24 associates which contains graduates of some of the most prestigious universities in Brazil, the United States and Europe. The department is led by seasoned partner Sylvio Fernando Paes de Barros Jr., widely recognized as a key figure in his field, with over 40 years' experience in the local legal market.





# **TAX: LITIGATION**

### **Best Law Firms**

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
	LEADING
Advocacia Krakowiak	Leo Krakowiak, Ricardo Krakowiak
Mattos Filho	Roberto Quiroga Mosquera, Glaucia M. Lauletta Frascino, João Marcos Colussi
Pinheiro Neto Advogados	Luciana Rosanova Galhardo, Mauro Berenholc
Machado Meyer Advogados	Daniella Zagari, Cristiane Romano, Marcelo Fortes
Mariz de Oliveira e Siqueira Campos Adyogados	Roberto de Siqueira Campos, Ricardo Mariz de Oliveira, João Francisco Bianco
Sacha Calmon - Misabel Derzi Consultores e Advogados	Valter de Souza Lobato, André Mendes Moreira, Misabel Abreu Machado Derzi
	EXCELLENT
Brigagão, Duque Estrada Advogados	Gustavo Brigagão, Roberto Duque Estrada, Rodrigo Caserta, Eduardo Muniz, Ana Cristina Assun
Demarest Advogados	Marcelo Annunziata, Priscila Faricelli, Carlos Eduardo Marino Orsolon, Douglas Mota
Dias de Souza Advogados Associados	Hamilton Dias de Souza, Mário Luiz Oliveira da Costa, Hugo Funaro
Lacaz Martins, Pereira Neto, Gurevich & Schoueri Advogados	Ricardo Lacaz Martins, Luis Eduardo Schoueri, Luciana Angeiras Ferreira
Lefosse Advogados	Gustavo Lian Haddad, Ana Carolina Utimati, Bruno Carramaschi
Machado Associados	Julio de Oliveira, Daniel Lacasa Maya, Paulo Rogerio Ribeiro
Trench Rossi Watanabe	Maria Rita Ferragut, Claudio Moretti, Thales Stucky
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
Aires Barreto Advogados Associados	Paulo Ayres Barreto, Carla de Lourdes Gonçalves, Simone Rodrigues Costa Barreto
Bichara Advogados	Luiz Gustavo Bichara, Mattheus Reis e Montenegro, Pedro Teixeira de Siqueira
BMA - Barbosa, Müssnich, Aragão	Mauricio Faro, Ligia Regini, Luiza Sampaio de Lacerda Benjó
Gaia Silva Gaede Advogados	Enio Zaha, Flávio Prado, Mauro Jacob
KLA Advogados	Henrique Lopes, Victor Polizelli, Álvaro Lucasechi
Lobo de Rizzo Advogados	Ana Clara Freire Tenorio Lima, Andrey Biagini Brazao, Eduardo Martinelli Carvalho
Maneira Advogados	Eduardo Maneira
Rolim, Goulart, Cardoso Advogados	João Dácio Rolim, Luciana Goulart Ferreira, Alessandro Mendes Cardoso
Schneider, Pugliese, Sztokfisz	Eduardo Pugliese Pincelli, Cassio Sztokfis, Henrique Philip Schneider
e Figueiredo Advogados TozziniFreire Advogados	Gustavo Nygaard, Renata Emery, Bruno Rodrigues Teixeira de Lima
Ulhôa Canto Advogados	Carlos Alberto Ulhôa Canto, Antonio Carlos Garcia de Souza
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Advocacia Fernanda Hernandez	Fernanda Guimarães Hernandez, Luciana Marques dos Reis Frattini, Rebeca Azevedo da Silva,
Andrade Maia Advogados	Rodrigo Gabriel Alarcon Fabio Brun Goldschmidt, Leonardo Aguirra Andrade, Ane Streck Silveira
Botelho, Spagnol, Carvalho, Ibraim	
Advogados	Werther Botelho Spagnol, Daniela Procópio, Marco Túlio Ibraim
Mannrich e Vasconcelos Advogados	Breno Ferreira Martins, Thais Veiga Shingai, Maria Raphaela Dadona Matthiesen
Mauler Advogados	Igor Mauler Santiago, Andréa Bedran, Valdecir de Souza
Rivitti e Dias Advogados	Karem Jureidini Dias, José Carlos da Matta Rivitti, Murilo Marco
SiqueiraCastro Advogados	Maucir Fregonesi Jr., Marluzi Andrea Costa Barros, Cristina Mancebo Câmara  Anderson Trautmann Cardoso, Henry Lummertz, Giacomo Paro, Fernando Ayres,
Souto Correa Advogados	Valter Tremarin Junior, Pedro Demartini
Utumi Advogados	Ana Cláudia Akie Utumi, Camila Abrunhosa Tapias
Veirano Advogados	Ian Muniz, Flávio Paranhos
Vieira Rezende Advogados	Luiz André Nunes de Oliveira, Breno Ladeira Kingma
VPBG - Vella Pugliese Buosi e Guidoni Advogados	Antonio Carlos Guidoni Filho, André Ricardo Lemes, Helena Vicentini de Assis
Advocacia Lunardelli	Pedro Guilherme Lunardelli
/asbz	Alexandre Gléria, Adriana Passaro, Adriano Silvério
Campos Mello Advogados in cooperation with DLA Piper	Humberto Marini, Renato Lopes da Rocha, Flavia Ganzella
Huck Otranto Camargo	Marcelo Muratori, Paulo Cesar Butti Cardoso, Barbara Weg
Lacerda Gama Advogados Associados	Tácio Lacerda Gama, Lucia Paoliello Guimarães Chuva, Leticia Tourinho Dantas
MFT - Martins, Franco e Teixeira Advocacia Empresarial	Natanael Martins

VALUABLE PRACTICE	
ALMA Law	Alexandre Monteiro, Luciana Aguiar, Francisco Lisboa Moreira
Azevedo Sette Advogados	Leandra Guimarães
Bocater Advogados	Carlos Augusto C. Branco
Cescon, Barrieu, Flesch & Barreto Advogados	Roberto Barrieu, Hugo Barreto Sodré Leal
Dias Carneiro Advogados	Antonio Amendola, Rodrigo Maito
FAS Advogados, in cooperation with CMS	Leo Lopes de Oliveira Neto
Felsberg Advogados	Anna Flávia Izelli Greco, Rodrigo Prado Gonçalves
Fraga, Bekierman & Cristiano Advogados	Gilberto Fraga, Lycia Braz Moreira, Ilan Machtyngier
L.O. Baptista Advogados	Marcos R. Barbosa, José Roberto M. De Lima, João Victor Guedes Santos
Madrona Fialho Advogados	Patricia Lima, Marcos Tranchesi Ortiz, Paulo Roberto Andrade, José Eduardo Tellini Toledo
Tauil & Chequer Advogados in association with Mayer Brown	Ivan Tauil, Guido Vinci, Eduardo Telles
with Mayer Brown VBSO - Vaz, Buranello, Shingaki & Oioli Advogados	Paulo Cesar Ruzisca Vaz, Mario Shingaki, Diego Miguita
Abreu, Goulart & Santos Advogados	Bruno de Abreu Faria, Rafael Goulart, Raphael Aguiar Mihaliuc
Ayres Ribeiro Advogados	Gilberto Ayres Moreira, Fernando Westin Marcondes Pereira, Victor Tavares de Castro
BRATAX - Brazuna, Ruschmann e Soriano Sociedade de Advogados	José Luis Brazuna, Cristiano Frederico Ruschmann
Cascione Advogados	Luca Salvoni, Rafael Vega, Gabriel Baccarini
Castro Barros Advogados	André Oliveira, Daniela Duque Estrada
Levy & Salomão Advogados	Vinicius Branco
Martins Villac Advogados	Renato Vilela Faria
MVGA - Madeira, Valentim & Gallardo Advogados	Geraldo Valentim Neto
Novotny Advogados	Renata Novotny, Lauro de Oliveira Vianna, Luis Gustavo Gouveia Neves
Pinheiro Guimarães	Daniela Viana Cordeiro de Melo Fasshebe, Rafael Vianello, Thiago Paranhos Neves
Rayes & Fagundes Advogados Associados	Ronaldo Rayes, Bruno Aguiar, Maria Teresa Grazi
Terciotti Andrade Gomes Donato Advogados	Maurício Terciotti, Daniel Durão de Andrade, Edgar Santos Gomes
	NOTABLE PRACTICE
Bonaccorso, Cavalcante, Oliveira e Ristow Sociedade de Advogados	Rafael Pinheiro Lucas Ristow, Ricardo Elias Chahine
Barros de Arruda Advogados	Luiz Henrique Barros de Arruda, Isabela Rocha de Hollanda
Daniel & Diniz Advocacia Tributária	Carlos Augusto Daniel Neto, Diego Diniz Ribeiro, Antonio Carlos Atulim
Renault, Puretz, Da Gama e Pires Advogados	Felipe Renault, Tadeu Puretz, Gustavo da Gama
Mattos Engelberg Echenique Advogados	Wolmar Esteves, Murilo Lopes
Martinelli Advogados	Bruno Condurú Davis, Breno Cônsoli, Cintia Meyer
Mello Torres Advogados	Renata Ribeiro Kingston
Miguel Neto Advogados	Djalma dos Angelos, João Cipriano, Danielle Caldeirão Santos, Gustavo Abib, Lucas Souza de Araújo Wellington Antunes
MJ Alves Burle e Viana Advogados	Marcos Joaquim Gonçalves Alves, Alan Viana, Leandro Bettini
Sobral Dix & Hochman Advogados	Otto Sobral
Villemor Amaral Advogados	Marcus Vinicius de Almeida Francisco, João Guilherme Sauer, Maria Clara Morette

#### **ALMA LAW:** STRATEGIC SOLUTIONS FOR TAX DISPUTES



Alexandre Monteiro

**Key Figure(s)**: Alexandre Monteiro, Luciana Aguiar and Francisco Lisboa Moreira Established: 2023

Track record: Alma Law is a dynamic firm known for its deep expertise in a wide range of tax-related matters, from handling legal and administrative disputes to providing legal opinions, creating tax governance frameworks and addressing international tax issues. The firm serves prominent clients, including B3, Ambev, XP Investimentos, Aspen Pharmaceutical, Vibra Energia, Shell, Petrogal, Laboratórios B. Braun and Engie.

Team & differentiation: Founded in January 2023 by Luciana Aguiar, Alexandre Monteiro and Francisco Lisboa Moreira, the firm boasts a team of seven highly specialized attorneys. Alma Law is headquartered in São Paulo and primarily specializes in tax, regulatory matters (with a particular focus on regulatory matters in the energy sector), public law, corporate, capital markets and M&A.

#### MADEIRA, VALENTIM & GALLARDO ADVOGADOS: MASTERING THE COMPLEXITY OF TAX LITIGATION



Geraldo Valentim Neto

Key Figure(s): Geraldo Valentim Neto Established: 2011

Track record: Madeira, Valentim & Gallardo Advogados (MVGA) is a respected advisor to leading companies in the chemicals, consumer goods, and pharmaceutical industries. The firm is especially valued for its deep expertise in customs matters, double taxation agreements and transfer pricing rules. MVGA's strategic and practical approach provides effective solutions for intricate tax issues.

Team & differentiation: São Paulo-based Madeira, Valentim & Gallardo Advogados specializes in corporate, tax and litigation matters, and provides strategic legal services to both national and international clients. The firm's tax litigation department is led by seasoned founding partner Geraldo Valentim Neto, who brings more than two decades' worth of experience to the role.





# **TAX: RISING FIRMS**

### **Best Law Firms**

Firms are ordered alphabetically

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
	MAPPING
Almeida Advogados	Rodrigo Petry Terra, Fabio Catta Preta Casella, Celso Sinotti Júnior
Balera, Berbel & Mitne Advogados	Diogo Lopes Vilela Berbel, Gustavo Rezende Mitne, Ligia Prado Rosolém
Baruel Barreto Advogados	Bruno Baruel Rocha, Rafael Monteiro Barreto, Ana Paula Baruel
BBL Advogados I Becker, Bruzzi & Lameirão Advogados	Pedro Lameirão, Natalia Ferreira Dias
BBMOV – Bisson, Bortoloti, Moreno, Occaso e Verzola Sociedade de Advogados	Carlos Roberto Occaso, Leonardo Franco Vanzela, Ana Lívia Vaz Bisson
Bicalho Navarro Advogados	Alexandre Tadeu Navarro
Brasil Salomão e Matthes Advocacia	Marcelo Viana Salomão, Fábio Pallaretti Calcini, Gabriel Magalhães Borges Prata
BRZ Advogados	Renata de Paoli Gontijo, Pedro de Mello Martins Teixeira
BVZ – Bastos Bari Vilela Zugman Advogados	Daniel Zugman, Frederico Bastos
Candido Martins Advogados	Tatiana Cappa Chiaradia, Alamy Candido
Carvalho, Sica, Muszkat, Vidigal e Carneiro (CSMV Advogados)	Flávio de Haro Sanches, Ana Carolina Monguilod
CBLM Advogados	Eloisa Curi
Costa Tavares Paes Advogados	Richard Edward Dotoli, Victor Schmidt
DDSA - De Luca, Derenusson e Schuttoff Advogados	Sabine Ingrid Schuttoff, Claudia Derenusson Riedel
Farroco Abreu Guarnieri Zotelli Advogados	José Maurício Abreu, Valeria Zotelli
Finocchio & Ustra Sociedade de Advogados	Leandro Lucon, Juliana Camargo Amaro
Franco Leutewiler Henriques Advogados	Tiago Espellet Dockhorn
Gasparini, Nogueira de Lima, Barbosa e Freire Advogados	Francisco Nogueira de Lima, Mauricio Braga Chapinoti, Rafael Balanin
HRSA   Sociedade de Advogados	Isabel Garcia Calich da Fonseca, João Paulo de Seixas Maia Krepel, Lucas Martini de Aguiar
Lavez Coutinho	Raphael Lavez, Rômulo Coutinho, Arthur Pitman
LRI Advogados	Gilberto de Castro Moreira Jr., Graziella Lacerda Cabral Junqueira
Mello Torres Advogados	Renata Ribeiro Kingston
Murayama, Affonso Ferreira e Mota Advogados	Janssen Murayama, Bruno Moreira Affonso Ferreira
Nasser Sociedade de Advogados	Anderson Stefani
Neder e Romano Advogados	Marcos Vinicius Neder, Roberta de Lima Romano
Renault Zattar da Gama Rodrigues Pires Sociedade de Advogados (Brazil)	Felipe Renault, Tadeu Puretz, Gustavo da Gama
RFtax Advogados e Consultores	Rafael Fabiano
Salusse Marangoni Parente Jabur Advogados	Eduardo Perez Salusse, Allan Moraes, Lina Braga Santin Cooke
Santos Neto Advogados	Henrique Munia Erbolato, Leandro Genaro
Schmidt, Lourenço, Kingston Advogados Associados - SLK Advogados	Eduardo da Rocha Schmidt
Schmidt, Valois, Miranda, Ferreira & Agel Advogados	João Agripino Maia, Rodrigo Pinheiro
Souza Araujo Butzer e Zanchim Advogados – SABZ Advogados	Pedro Guilherme G. de Souza

# **TAX: SOUTHEAST**

### **Best Law Firms**

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
	LEADING
Sacha Calmon - Misabel Derzi Consultores e Advogados	Valter de Souza Lobato, André Mendes Moreira, Misabel Abreu Machado Derzi
Botelho, Spagnol, Carvalho, Ibraim Advogados	Werther Botelho Spagnol, Daniela Procópio Spagnol, Marco Túlio Fernandes Ibraim
	EXCELLENT
Azevedo Sette Advogados	Leandra Guimarães
Rolim, Goulart, Cardoso Advogados	João Dácio Rolim, Luciana Goulart, Alessandro Mendes Cardoso
Rodolfo Gropen Advocacia	Rodolfo de Lima Gropen, João Manoel Rolla, Guilherme Rodrigues Macedo
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
Coimbra, Chaves & Batista Advogados	Paulo Coimbra, Onofre A. Batista Jr., Alice De Abreu L. Jorge
Freitas Ferraz Advogados	Thiago Braichi
Madrona Fialho Advogados	Patrícia Lima, Pedro Magalhães
Vilas Boas Lopes Frattari Advogados	Rafhael Frattari
	RECOMMENDED
Henriques Sociedade de Advogados	Guilherme de Almeida Henriques, Marcelo Hugo de Oliveira Campos, Flávio Machado Vilhena Dias
Jabour e Alkmim Sociedade de Advogados	Marcelo Jabour, Alexandre Alkmim
Martinelli Advogados	Bruno Condurú Davis, Francisco Costa de Albuquerque Maranhão, Lucas Aguiar Coelho
	VALUABLE PRACTICE
Arrieiro Advogados	Eduardo Arrieiro
Bernardes & Advogados Associados	Flavio Couto Bernardes, André Tostes
Candiotto Valle Advogados	Marcelo Candiotto Freire
CMT – Carvalho, Machado e Timm Advogados	Cristiano Rosa Carvalho, Gabriela Cabral Pires, Lucas Tavares dos Santos
Cunha Leão Advogados	Luiz Henrique Cunha, Fabiana Leão, Danielle Victor Ambrosano
Junqueira de Carvalho e Murgel Advogados	Fabio Junqueira de Carvalho, Maria Inês Murgel
Lacerda Diniz e Sena Advogados	Daniel Jardim Sena, Mauricia Veloso, Fernanda Silveira
Manucci Advogados	Fabricio Costa Resende de Campos
William Freire Advogados	Paulo Honório
	NOTABLE PRACTICE
Moura Tavares, Figueiredo, Moreira e Campos Advogados	Ricardo Alves Moreira, Ismail Antonio Vieira Salles, Alex dos Santos Ribas
PHRS Advogados	Pedro Simão
RFtax Advogados e Consultores	Rafael Fabiano





## TAX: SOUTH

### **Best Law Firms**

In each tier, the firms are ordered alphabetically

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
	LEADING
Souto Correa Advogados	Anderson Trautmann Cardoso, André Luiz da Silva Gomes, Henry Lummertz, Valter Tremarin Junior
Rafael Pandolfo Advogados Associados	Rafael Pandolfo, Rafael Santos Borin, Airton Bombardelli Riella
Silveiro Advogados	Cassiano Menke, Louise Lerina, Lívia Troglio Stumpf
	EXCELLENT
Andrade Maia Advogados	Fabio Goldschmidt, Ane Streck Silveira, Lucas Pinheiro Tavares
CMT – Carvalho, Machado e Timm Advogados	Cristiano Rosa Carvalho, Lucas Tavares dos Santos, Reginaldo dos Santos Bueno
Gaia Silva Gaede & Associados Sociedade de Advogados	Henrique Gaede, Antonio Carlos Pacheco, Flávio Augusto Dumont Prado
Lippert Advogados	Rafael Korff Wagner, George Lippert Neto
TozziniFreire Advogados	Gustavo Nygaard, Rafael Mallmann, Bernardo Mascarenhas Mardini
Trench Rossi Watanabe	Cláudio Moretti, Thales Stucky
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
Charneski Advogados	Heron Charneski
Diego Galbinski Advocacia	Diego Galbinski
Ferraz de Camargo e Matsunaga Advogados (FCAM Advogados)	Adler Woczikosky, Marcos Matsunaga
Hilú & Caron Baptista Sociedade de Advogados	Miguel Hilú Neto, Marcelo Caron Baptista
Marins Bertoldi Advogados	James José Marins de Souza, Hugo Sellmer, Viviane de Carvalho Lima
Matter, Boettcher, Zanini e Souza Advogados	Maurício Licks
Simões Pires Advogados	Rafael Machado Simões Pires, Amanda Pegoraro
	RECOMMENDED
Arauz Advogados	Rodrigo Borba, Danielle Dalledone
Eichenberg, Lobato, Abreu & Advogados Associados	Edmundo Cavalcanti Eichenberg
Martinelli Advogados	Carlos Eduardo D. Amorim, Cintia Eliane Meyer, Fernanda Bandinelli Baccim
Rossi, Maffini, Milman & Grando Advogados	Felipe Esteves Grando, Bruno Guimarães, Jéssica Lazzari
Veirano Advogados	Fabio Barichello
Zulmar Neves Advocacia	João Carlos Franzoi Basso
	VALUABLE PRACTICE
Menezes Niebuhr Sociedade de Advogados	Ricardo Anderle, Gabriel Collaço Vieira, Gabriela Bittencourt Zanella
Pimentel & Rohenkohl Advogados Associados	Claudio Leite Pimentel
Rafael Nichele Advogados	Rafael Nichele

### RAFAEL PANDOLFO ADVOGADOS: OPTIMIZING TAX OUTCOMES IN BRAZIL'S SOUTHERN MARKET



Key Figure(s): Rafael Pandolfo, Rafael Santos Borin and Airton Bombardelli Riella Established: 2002

Track record: A renowned law firm with over 20 years' expertise in tax and corporate law, Rafael Pandolfo Advogados specializes in handling complex administrative and judicial cases for a discerning clientele. Sought after for its strategic tax consulting, corporate restructuring and innovative use of AI and data tools. Clients across various sectors appreciate the firm's proactive and tailored approach.

Team & differentiation: Headquartered in the southern city of Porto Alegre, Rafael Pandolfo Advogados Associados contains a team of 23 partners and 12 associates, all of whom come with extensive experience and strong academic backgrounds, including postgraduates, masters and PhDs. The firm's founder, Rafael Pandolfo, brings over 20 years' experience in the legal field to bear when navigating complex tax matters for clients.

Rafael Pandolfo

## TAX: NORTH

### **Best Law Firms**

In each tier, the firms are ordered alphabetically

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
	LEADING
Silveira, Athias, Soriano de Mello, Bentes, Lobato & Scaff - Advogados	Fernando Facury Scaff, Afonso Marcius Vaz Lobato, Sérgio Fiuza de Mello Mendes Filho
	EXCELLENT
Águila Advogados Associados	João Gabriel Casemiro Águila
Alecrim, Costa & Oliveira Advogados Associados	Paulo Ricardo Alecrim, Daniel dos Santos Costa
AMTF - Almeida Prado, Marx Tesser & Flor Advogados	Pedro Marx, Paulo Tesser, Marlon Flôr
Andrade GC Advogados	Germano Costa Andrade, Keyth Yara Pontes Pina, Victor Bastos da Costa
FFV Advogados	Ugo Freire, Daniel Farias, Michel Viana, Saulo Pereira, Gustavo Pereira, Américo Ribeiro
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
Brandão Ozores Advogados	Luiz Felipe Brandão Ozores, Fabio Silva Andrade, Fernanda de Andrade Rebouças Machado
Mendes Advocacia e Consultoria	Lucca Darwich Mendes, João Paulo Mendes Neto, Leonardo Costa Norat
Simões Pires	Rafael Machado Simões Pires, Amanda Pegoraro
	RECOMMENDED
Cavalcante, Pereira & Advogados Associados	Pedro Miguel L. Das Neves Félix-Alves, Rodolfo Meira Roessing
Simões Pires Advogados	Carlos Eduardo Coimbra Donegatti
Marcio Maués Advogados	Marcio Maués
Abdulmassih Advogados	Chedid Abdulmassih
Coelho de Souza Sociedade de Advogados	Bruno Coelho de Souza, Roberta Coelho de Souza
Correa, Benaion e advogados associados	Serafim Correa
Trindade Advogados	Diogo de Azevedo Trindade
Vieira da Rocha Machado Alves - VRMA	Paulo Vitor Vieira da Rocha

### MÁRCIO MAUÉS ADVOGADOS: DILIGENT TAX-LAW REPRESENTATION



Established: 2017

Key Figure(s): Márcio Maués

Track record: Founded in 2017 and based in Belém, Pará, Márcio Maués Advogados is widely recognized for its expertise in tax law. The firm offers strategic counsel in tax consulting, planning, and both administrative and judicial litigation. It has built a strong reputation as a regional leader, advising companies across various sectors on complex tax matters.

Team & differentiation: Led by Márcio Maués, a prominent figure in tax law, the firm stands out for its personalized service and technical precision. Known for delivering customized legal solutions aligned with clients' business objectives, Márcio Maués Advogados provides exceptional support in resolving tax-related challenges with an emphasis on client-focused results.



# **TAX: NORTHEAST**

### **Best Law Firms**

In each tier, the firms are ordered alphabetically

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
	LEADING
Da Fonte, Advogados	Alexandre Andrade Lima Da Fonte Filho, Carlos André Pereira Lima, Grace Kat Medeiros da Costa Neves Pereira
	EXCELLENT
Batista, Fazio, Manzi & Milet Advogados	Walter Manzi
Ivo Barboza & Advogados Associados	Ivo Barboza
Martorelli Advogados	Andrea Feitosa Maranhão, João Amadeus Santos
Queiroz Cavalcanti Advocacia	Ricardo Varejão
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
Bomfim Novis Advogados	Diego Bomfim, Carlos Maia, Matheus Monteiro
Coelho & Dalle Advogados	Márcia Dias
Cruz Campos Lobo Advogados	Leonardo Nuñez Campos
Di Cavalcanti Advogados	Phelippe Falbo Di Cavalcanti Mello, Catarina da Fonte
Fraga e Trigo Advogados	Pedro Trigo, Eduardo Fraga, Rodrigo Santos de Almeida
Mota Fonseca e Advogados	Manoel Mota Fonseca
Nogueira Reis Advogados	Marcelo Neeser Nogueira Reis
Porangaba, Sotero, Bacelar e Urbano Advogados	João Bacelar
Urbano Vitalino Advogados	Alexandre José Gois Lima de Victor, Luis Maranhão
	RECOMMENDED
Castro e Silva, Galvão Advogados	Eric Castro
Erick Macedo Advocacia	Erick Macedo, Cristiane Silva Costa, Leonardo da Fonte
Mello Pimentel Advocacia	Taciana Bradley
Monteiro e Monteiro Advogados	Bruno Romero Pedrosa Monteiro, Ana Karina Pedrosa de Carvalho, Augusto César Lourenço Brederodes
Serur Advogados	Aristoteles Camara, Cristiano Luzes
Severien Andrade Advogados	Fernando Rebelo de Andrade
SiqueiraCastro Advogados	Marluzi Andrea Costa Barros, Talita Lima Amaro
Valença & Associados Advocacia e Consultoria	ı Nelson Bruno Valença, Arão Bezerra Andrade

# **TAX: CENTER-WEST**

#### **Best Law Firms**

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)	
	LEADING	
Advocacia Bettiol Luiz Alberto Bettiol		
Advocacia Fernanda Hernandez	Fernanda Guimarães Hernandez, Luciana Marques dos Reis Frattini, Rebeca Azevedo da Silva	
Machado Meyer Advogados	Cristiane Romano	
Mattos Filho	Ariane Costa Guimarães	
Pinheiro Neto Advogados	Luiz Paulo Romano	
	EXCELLENT	
Veirano Advogados	Marcelo Reinecken	
Advocacia Dias de Souza	Daniel Correa, Hamilton Dias de Souza	
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED	
Bento Muniz Advocacia	Eduardo Muniz, Ary Athayde Jr., Pedro Ludovico	
Caputo, Bastos e Serra Advogados	Francisco Caputo, Isabella Paschoal, Caio Caputo	
MJ Alves e Burle Advogados e Consultores	Marcos Joaquim Gonçalves Alves, Alan Flores Viana, Gabriella Alencar Ribeiro	
Sacha Calmon Misabel Derzi - Consultores e Advogados	Tiago Conde Teixeira	
TozziniFreire Advogados	Bruno Teixeira	

# INTERNATIONAL TRADE

### **Best Law Firms**

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
	LEADING
Demarest Advogados	Victor Bovarotti Lopes, Fernando Benjamin Bueno, Camila Biral, José Setti Diaz
Pinheiro Neto Advogados	Renê Guilherme da Silva Medrado, Mauro Berenholc, Carol Sayeg
Veirano Advogados	Ana T. Caetano
	EXCELLENT
Carla Junqueira & Associadas	Carla Amaral Junqueira
Magalhães e Dias Advocacia	Yi Shin Tang, Ana Luiza Sanches, Camila Tomimatsu
MPA Trade Law	Claudia Marques, Rodrigo Pupo
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
Madrona Fialho Advogados	Lucas Spadano
Monteiro & Weiss Trade - MW Trade	Andrea Weiss Balassiano, Carol Monteiro de Carvalho
Trench Rossi Watanabe	Francisco Negrão, Paulo Casagrande, Rafael Gregorin, Horácio Veiga de Almeida Neto, Alessandra Machado
	RECOMMENDED
Azevedo Sette Advogados	Luiz Eduardo Salles
Bichara Advogados	Giuseppe Melotti
Gringberg Cordovil Advogados	Ricardo Motta, Leonor Cordovil
Nasser Sociedade de Advogados	Rabih Nasser, Salem Nasser, Anderson Stefani
TozziniFreire Advogados	Lisandra Pacheco, Marcelo Calliari
	VALUABLE PRACTICE
Barral Parente Pinheiro Advogados	Welber Barral, Gilvan Brogini, Celso Figueiredo
BFSA - Borges Furlaneto & Sayeg Advogados	Karla Borges Furlaneto, Fernanda Manzano Sayeg
Unotrade	Roberto Kanitz, Thomas Fischer



# **WEALTH MANAGEMENT**

### Best Law Firms

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
	LEADING
Humberto Sanches e Associados	Humberto Sanches, Adriane Pacheco, Beatriz de Souza Lima Martinez
Lefosse Advogados	Andréa Caliento, Gustavo Haddad, Ricardo Santos
Mattos Filho	Alessandro Amadeu da Fonseca, Nicole Najjar Prado de Oliveira
	EXCELLENT
FreitasLeite Advogados	Raul Leite, Humberto de Paula Lima Isaac
Nogueira Pires Advogados	Andrea Nogueira Neves
Utumi Advogados	Ana Cláudia Akie Utumi, Camila Abrunhosa Tapias
Moreau Advogados	Pierre Moreau, Leonardo Abreu, Gabriela Cardoso
PLKC Advogados	Luiz Kignel, José Henrique Longo
Velloza Advogados	Joanna Oliveira Rezende, Natalia Zimmermann
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
BMA – Barbosa, Müssnich, Aragão	Debora Bacellar de Almeida, Hermano Notaroberto Barbosa
Chulam Colucci Advogados	Nycolas Colucci, Eduardo Chulam
Machado Meyer Advogados	Fernando Colucci, Celso Costa, Glaucia Coelho
Madrona Fialho Advogados	Juliano Rotoli Okawa, Igor Nascimento de Souza, João Carlos Toledo
	RECOMMENDED
Candido Martins Advogados	Alamy Candido, Raphael Arantes Pires
Juliana Cardoso Advogados	Juliana Cardoso
Junqueira Ie Advogados	Lavinia Junqueira, Cristiane Ie
Lacaz Martins, Pereira Neto, Gurevich & Schoueri Advogados	Ricardo Lacaz Martins, Michelle Sobreira Ricciardi Rosa, Fernanda Botelho de Oliveira Dixo
Lembi Advogados	Rachel Muraro Lembi, Mariana Belisario Carone, Catarina Novais Nogueira
L.O. Baptista Advogados	Marcelo Trussardi Paolini, João Victor Guedes, Ulisses Simões da Silva
Pinheiro Neto Advogados	Carlos Alberto Moreira Lima Jr., Celso Cintra Mori
Trench Rossi Watanabe	Clarissa Machado, Giuliana Schunck, Fernanda Haddad
Ulhôa Canto Advogados	Aloysio Meirelles de Miranda Filho
	VALUABLE PRACTICE
Abe Advogados	Gabriela Gomes de Andrade
BVZ - Bastos Bari Vilela Zugman Advogados	Frederico Bastos, Daniel Zugman, Renato Vilela
Huck Otranto Camargo	Estela Monteiro Soares de Camargo, Thalita Duarte Henriques Pinto, Paulo Santos Zampieri
KLA Advogados	Vera Cardoso de Almeida, Carolina Ducci, Fernando Lopes Koury
Leoni Siqueira Advogados	Carlos Leoni Siqueira, Flavio Leoni Siqueira, João Paulo Ferraz Vasconcellos
TozziniFreire Advogados	Flávia Andrade, Silvia Zono, Erlan Valverde
Vicira Rezende Advogados	Paulo Vieira, Rafael de Moraes Amorim, Michel Siqueira Batista
Brigagão, Duque Estrada – Advogados	Gustavo Brigagão, Roberto Duque Estrada, Rodrigo Caserta
Farroco Abreu Guarnieri Zotelli Advogados	José Mauricio Abreu
Franco Leutewiler Henriques Advogados	Rodolfo Bertin, Tiago Espellet Dockhorn
HRSA   Sociedade de Advogados	Isabel Fonseca, João Paulo Krepel, Guilherme Gomes Pereira
Lilla Vergniassi Advogadas	Daniela Vergniassi
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# **REAL ESTATE**

### **Best Law Firms**

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
	LEADING
Bicalho Navarro Advogados	Rodrigo Cury Bicalho, Renato José Mirisola Rodrigues, Thiago Antonio Dias
Duarte Garcia, Serra Netto e Terra	Marcelo Terra, Guilherme Caffaro Terra, Natália Japur, José Carlos Baptista Puoli, Natalie Collet Feitosa Lange, Helena Mendonça de Toledo Arruda
Pinheiro Neto Advogados	Luciano Garcia Rossi, Franco Musetti Grotti, Gustavo S. Freitas
	EXCELLENT
Campos Mello Advogados	Bernardo Buarque Schiller, Ivandro Trevelim, Fabio Perrone Campos Mello
KLA Advogados	Pedro Cortez, Tomaz Matheus, Rodrigo Pontes
PMK Advogados	Fernando Maximiano, Rafael Gobbi, Patricia Monteiro
VBD Advogados	Olivar Lorena Vitale Junior, Rodrigo Antonio Dias, Daniele Brandão Gazel de Araújo, Bruno Sales da Silva, Flávio Coelho de Almeida
Machado Meyer Advogados	Maria Flavia Seabra, Fatima Tadea Rombola Fonseca, Bruno Costa
Mattos Filho	Rossana Fernandes Duarte, Mariana Spoto Cobra, Janaína Vargas
Stocche Forbes Advogados	Alexandre Clápis, Vilmar Lima Carreiro Filho, Débora Andrade Stupp Santiago
Tauil & Chequer Advogados	José Paulo Marzagão, Ludmila Braga, Jessica Queiroz
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
i2a Advogados	Luis Peyser, Ronaldo Ishikawa, Vanessa A. Oliveira
Lefosse Advogados	Andréa Caliento, Mariana Rodrigues
TozziniFreire Advogados	Vladimir Miranda Abreu, Pablo Meira Queiroz
	RECOMMENDED
Amaral e Nicolau Advogados	José Vicente Amaral Filho, Julio Nicolau Filho
BMA - Barbosa, Müssnich, Aragão	Cristiana Moreira, Guilherme Zoghbi Ayala
Caselli Guimarães Advogados	Lúcia Silveira Frias, Fernanda Inhasz
Demarest Advogados	Lucas Tavares Bueno, Marc Stalder, Thiago Giantomassi
Gustavo Padilha Advogados	Gustavo Pinheiro Guimarães Padilha, Celio dos Santos Kelab, Mariana Neves Monteiro
Huck Otranto Camargo	Estela Monteiro Soares de Camargo, Thalita Duarte Henriques Pinto, Paulo Vitor Paula Santos Zampieri
Lacaz Martins, Pereira Neto, Gurevich & Schoueri Advogados	Erica Fernandes Campos Verissimo, Flavia Meira de Castro Checchia, Roberta Capozzoli Diniz
Madrona Fialho Advogados	Eduardo Tristão
Veirano Advogados	Rodrigo de Castro, Raphael Moreira Espírito Santo, Diego Lerner
	VALUABLE PRACTICE
Cascione Advogados	Fábio Cascione
Cescon, Barrieu, Flesch & Barreto Advogados	Marcos Lopes Prado
Lobo & Lira Advogados	José-Ricardo Pereira Lira, Joana Ribeiro, Juliana Zielinsky
Lobo de Rizzo Advogados	Fernanda Christina de Souza Rosa





NFA - Negrão Ferrari Advogados	Ricardo Negrão
Pantano Advogados	Tania Pantano
Portela, Lima, Lobato & Colen Advogados	Humberto Rossetti Portela, Júlio de Carvalho Paula Lima, Milton Eduardo Colen
Souto Correa Advogados	Gllberto Côrrea Jr.
Silveiro Advogados	Rodrigo Mutti, Nicolas Aires Paiva, Bruna Quintana, Ana Larissa da Rosa Pereira, Giovanni Mendes Ribeiro Pallaoro
	NOTABLE PRACTICE
Amatuzzi Advogados	Bruno Amatuzzi, Gabriela Pacela Moraes, Daniel Cardoso Gomes
CGM Advogados	Carolina Penteado da Costa Galvão
Eichenberg, Lobato, Abreu & Advogados Associados	Lucas Braga Eichenberg, Carlos Eduardo Fransceschini Lobato, Theo Keiserman de Abreu
FreitasLeite Advogados	Cristiano da Cruz Leite
Goulart Colepicolo Advogados	João Gilberto Freire Goulart
Martens & Dornaus Advogados	Georges Louis Martens Filho, Victor Dornaus
Romani Advogados	Tarso Romani
ALM Advogados	Telmo Arbex Linhares, Rubens Leonardo Marin
Andrade Foz Advogados	Carolina Moura Foz
/asbz	Raquel de Moraes Laudanna
Claudio Mandelblatt Advogados Associados	s Claudio Mandelblatt, Ilan Levacov, Carolinne Barcelos, Ananda Ulhoa
Dib, Almeida, Laguna e Manssur	Luis Rodrigo Almeida, William Adib Dib Junior
Isoldi Advogados	Maria Cecilia Guimarães Isoldi
Lange Conti Advogados	Renata Lange Moura, Fabiana Conti Della Manna
VBSO Advogados	Erik Frederico Oioli, José Alves Ribeiro Jr., Henrique Vicentin Lisboa
Viseu Advogados	Giselle Vergal Lopes
Viseu Advogados	Giselle Vergal Lopes

#### **GUSTAVO PADILHA ADVOGADOS:** STRATEGIC COUNSEL ON REAL ESTATE MATTERS



Gustavo Pinheiro Guimarães Padilha

Key Figure(s): Celio dos Santos Kelab, Mariana Neves Monteiro and Gustavo Pinheiro Guimarães Padilha Established: 1997

Track record: Esteemed real-estate boutique with over two decades of experience providing custom-designed legal solutions to both personal and business clients. Recognized for advising on complex construction projects, property acquisitions, and built-to-suit agreements. The firm's multidisciplinary approach, combined with the strong academic background of its lawyers, ensures innovative and client-specific strategies.

Team & differentiation: With offices in Rio de Janeiro, São Paulo, and Belo Horizonte, the firm boasts a highly qualified team of nine partners and 72 associates. Founding partner Gustavo Padilha is a go-to name in shopping center matters. The firm is known for its personalized client partnerships and offers services in corporate, M&A, capital markets and labor law. Clients include BRMalls, Queiroz Galvão and Cyrela.

#### **CLAUDIO MANDELBLATT ADVOGADOS:** SHAPING HIGH-IMPACT REAL ESTATE VENTURES



Claudio Mandelblatt

Key Figure(s): Carolinne Barcelos, Ilan Levacov, Claudio Mandelblatt and Ananda Ulhoa Established: 2007

Track record: Specialist boutique, regularly selected by leading players for its expertise in acquisitions, joint ventures, due diligence, builtto-suit arrangements, and sale-and-leaseback transactions. Valued for its tailored legal solutions, the firm advises on a variety of real estate developments, including shopping centers, residential projects and hotel ventures. Clients include Gafisa, Cyrela and Cury Construtora.

Team & differentiation: Distinguished Riobased firm headed by Claudio Mandelblatt, a key figure in city's real estate sector. The team, consisting of four partners and seven specialist associates, provides comprehensive services, including drafting a broad range of real estate contracts and structuring joint ventures. The firm also assists with litigation, arbitration, tax and wealth management matters.

# **PROJECT FINANCE**

### Best Law Firms

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)	
Machado Meyer Advogados	Jose Virgilio Lopes Enei, Mauro Bardawil Penteado, Jose Prado	
Mattos Filho	Marina Anselmo Schneider, Pablo Sorj, Thiago Moreira	
Lefosse Advogados	Miriam Signor	
Lobo de Rizzo Advogados	Andre Ramos Bedim, Gabriela Ponte Machado, Guilherme Cooke	
Stocche Forbes Advogados	Guilherme Forbes, Frederico Moura, Bruno Gandolfo	
	EXCELLENT	
Cescon, Barrieu, Flesch & Barreto Advogados	Maurício Teixeira dos Santos, Rafael Baleroni	
Pinheiro Guimarães Advogados	André Sigelmann, Roberta Pimentel Fonseca, Paloma Lima	
Pinheiro Neto Advogados	Júlio César Bueno, Ricardo Coelho, Ricardo Russo	
Tauil & Chequer Advogados	Eduardo Lima, Luis Montes, Anna Gouvea	
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED	
Demarest Advogados	Bruno Aurélio, Thiago Giantomassi, Marina Aidar, Leticia Galdino Wanderley, Izabella Reis, Renan Sona	
Dias Carneiro Advogados	Thiago Vallandro Flores, Ricardo Sanches, Gustavo Junqueira	
TozziniFreire Advogados	Leonardo Miranda, Jun Makuta, Karin Yamauti Hatanaka	
Veirano Advogados	Ana Carolina Barretto, Pedro Aguiar de Freitas, Robson Barreto	
	RECOMMENDED	
Mello Torres	Clovis Torres	
Vieira Rezende Advogados	Cláudio Guerreiro, Claudio Roberto Pieruccetti Marques, Roberto Barros	
	VALUABLE PRACTICE	
BMA - Barbosa, Müssnich, Aragão	Rafael Dutra	
Campos Mello Advogados	Fabiano Gallo	
Cascione Advogados	Fábio de Souza Aranha Cascione	
Souto Correa Advogados	Tiago Figueiró	





# **PROJECT DEVELOPMENT**

### **Best Law Firms**

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
Machado Meyer Advogados	<b>LEADING</b> Jose Virgilio Lopes Enei, Mauro Bardawil Penteado, José Prado
Mattos Filho	Marina Anselmo Schneider, Pablo Sorj, Thiago Moreira
	EXCELLENT
1 Lobo de Rizzo Advogados	Marcelo Lennertz, Rodnei Iazzetta
Stocche Forbes Advogados	Guilherme Forbes, Bruno Gandolfo, Ana Clara Viola Ladeira
Tauil & Chequer Advogados	Bruno Werneck, Alexandre Chequer, Henrique Rocha
2 Cescon, Barrieu, Flesch & Barreto Advogados	Maurício Teixeira dos Santos, Rafael Baleroni
Lefosse Advogados	Miriam Signor
Pinheiro Guimarães Advogados	André Sigelmann, Roberta Pimentel Fonseca, Paloma Lima
Pinheiro Neto Advogados	Júlio César Bueno, Ricardo Coelho, Ricardo Russo
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
Demarest Advogados	Bruno Aurélio, Renan Sona, Marina Ferraz Aidar, Virgínia Mesquita, Rosi Costa Barros
Dias Carneiro Advogados	Ricardo Sanches, Paulo Leme
Giamundo Neto Advogados	Luiz Felipe Pinto Lima Graziano, Antonio Carlos Bastos, Diogo Albaneze Gomes Ribeiro
Justen, Pereira, Oliveira & Talamini	Cesar Pereira, Rafael Wallbach Schwind
TozziniFreire Advogados	Leonardo Miranda, Jun Makuta, Ana Carolina Calil
Veirano Advogados	Ana Carolina Barretto, Pedro Aguiar de Freitas, Robson Barreto
Vernalha Pereira Advogados	Fernando Vernalha, Angélica Petian
	RECOMMENDED
Arap, Nishi e Uyeda Advogados	Massami Uyeda, Sami Arap
Azevedo Sette Advogados	Frederico Bopp Dieterich, Rafael Adler, Leonardo Moreira
Manesco, Ramires, Perez, Azevedo Marques Sociedade de Advogados	Floriano de Azevedo Marques Neto

	Toledo Marchetti Advogados	Leonardo Toledo da Silva, Marcelo Vicentini Marchetti, Rodrigo Esposito Petrasso
	Trench Rossi Watanabe	José Roberto Martins, Danielle Valois, Henrique Frizzo
		VALUABLE PRACTICE
1	Felsberg Advogados	Maria da Graça Pedretti, Marianne Albers, Ligia Schlittler
	Rolim Goulart Cardoso Advogados	Luis Gustavo Miranda, Fábio Appendino
	Schmidt, Valois, Miranda, Ferreira & Agel	Antonio Luís Ferreira, Paulo Valois Pires, Rogério Miranda
	SiqueiraCastro	Carlos Roberto Siqueira Castro, Thiago de Oliveira
	Souto Correa Advogados	Tiago Figueiró
	Souza Okawa Advogados	Rosane Menezes Lohbauer, Fernando Gallacci
	Vieira Rezende Advogados	Cláudio Guerreiro, Claudio Roberto Pieruccetti Marques, Roberto Barros
	VPBG - Vella Pugliese Buosi e Guidoni Advogados	Gabriella Maranesi Najjar, Anderson Moura, Pedro G. Seraphim
	Xavier Vasconcelos Advogados (XVA)	Eduardo Xavier, Beto Vasconcelos, Ana Luísa Pinto
2	BMA - Barbosa, Müssnich, Aragão	José Guilherme Berman, Ana Cândida de Mello Carvalho
	Campos Mello Advogados	Fabiano Gallo
	Madrona Fialho Advogados	Rodrigo Machado
	Pereira Neto   Macedo   Rocco Advogados	Caio Mario da Silva Pereira Neto, Mateus Piva Adami, Daniel Douek
	Portugal Ribeiro Advogados	Mauricio Portugal Ribeiro
	Queiroz Maluf Sociedade de Advogados	Letícia Queiroz de Andrade
	Ulhôa Canto Advogados	Isabel Lustosa
		NOTABLE PRACTICE
	Aroeira Salles Advogados	Alexandre Aroeira Salles
	Braz Campos Advogados	Rafael Véras, Leonardo Coelho Ribeiro, Felipe Henrique Braz
	Dal Pozzo Advogados	Augusto Neves Dal Pozzo, Antonio Araldo Ferraz Dal Pozzo, João Negrini
	Lampert Advogados	Claudio Lampert
	Piquet, Magaldi e Guedes Advogados	Daniel Bogéa, Gilberto Mendes Calasans Gomes





# **AGRIBUSINESS**

### **Best Law Firms**

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
	LEADING
Franco Leutewiler Henriques Advogados	Nancy Gombossy de Melo Franco, Gabriel Buscarini Leutewiler, Thiago Soares Gerbasi
Santos Neto Advogados	Domicio dos Santos Neto, Fernando Bilotti Ferreira, Matheus Zilioti Silva, Frederico Favacho
VBSO - Vaz, Buranello, Shingaki & Oioli Advogados	Renato Buranello, Marcelo Winter, José Afonso Leirião Filho
	EXCELLENT
Demarest Advogados	José Diaz, Claudio Mattos, Lucas Tavares Bueno, Thiago Giantomassi, Bruna Pacheco
Pinheiro Neto Advogados	Tiago Themudo Lessa
Souto Correa Advogados	Fernando Pellenz, Gilberto Deon Correa Junior, Ticiane Vitória Figueiredo, Thiago Medeiros Borba, Danielli Barreto
Ernesto Borges Advogados	Ernesto Borges Neto, Flávia Andrea Sant'Anna Benites, Priscila Ziada Camargo Fernandes
Luchesi Advogados	Celso Umberto Luchesi, Ellen Carolina da Silva, Guilherme Fernandes Guardelin
PSAA - Passos e Sticca Advogados Associados	André Ricardo Passos de Souza, Ralph Melles Sticca, André Morais Bachur Silva
TozziniFreire Advogados	Vladimir Miranda Abreu, Alexei Bonamin, Luiz Renato Okumura
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
Feijó Lopes Advogados	Lucio Feijó
Huck Otranto Camargo	Eduardo de Oliveira Lima, Amanda Salis Guazzelli, Thalita Duarte Henriques
Mattos Filho	Bruno Mastriani Simões Tuca, Marina Procknor
RGSH Advogados	Christian de Lima Ramos
Trench Rossi Watanabe	Cláudio Moretti, Alvaro Schmidt Gallo Neto, Luis Ambrosio
	RECOMMENDED
CMT - Carvalho, Machado e Timm Advogados	Luciano Timm, Cristiano Rosa de Carvalho, Lucas Tavares, Danilo Brum
J. Ercílio de Oliveira Advogados	J. Ercílio de Oliveira, Adauto Kaneyuki
Machado Meyer Advogados	Bruno Costa, Bruno Racy, Eduardo de Campos Ferreira
Mattos Engelberg Echenique Advogados	Ubiratan Mattos, Fernando Engelberg de Moraes, Leonardo Santini Echenique
Oliveira Paolucci Advogados	Amauri de Oliveira, Luciano Paolucci, Olavo Guarnieri
Petribu, Cabrera e Pires de Mello Advogados	Ben-Hur Cabrera Filho, Rodrigo Pires de Mello, Henrique Petribu Faria
Tauil & Chequer Advogados	Christian Roschmann, Lilian Toscani, Victor Galante
	VALUABLE PRACTICE
Brasil Salomão e Matthes Advocacia	Fabio Pallaretti Calcini, Gabriel Magalhães Borges Prata
Madrona Fialho Advogados	Luis Bellini
Martinelli Advogados	Cintia Meyer, Luis de Carvalho Cascaldi, Ricardo Costa Bruno
Veirano Advogados	Diego Fraga Lerner, Daniel Malatesta, Luis Felipe Aguiar de Andrade

#### Analysis

#### J. ERCÍLIO DE OLIVEIRA ADVOGADOS: **EXPERT ADVISORS FOR AGRIBUSINESS CASES**



José Ercílio de Oliveira

**Key Figure(s):** José Ercílio de Oliveira and Adauto Kaneyuki Established: 2003

Track record: Respected agribusiness boutique providing expert legal counsel on a broad spectrum of sector-related issues. Noted for its tailored legal services, with a strong focus on barter operations (agricultural products for inputs) and credit recovery actions. It excels in corporate, commercial and tax law, offering comprehensive support for complex agricultural transactions, from contract drafting to securing guarantees.

Team & differentiation: Founding partners José Ercílio de Oliveira and Adauto Kaneyuki are key figures in the agribusiness sector. The firm's specialist services include managing rural property documentation, providing back-office support for agricultural credit, and representing creditors in judicial recovery cases. It offers clients an innovative digital system for real-time tracking of document registrations and contract progress.

#### **ERNESTO BORGES ADVOGADOS:** TRUSTED AGRIBUSINESS-LAW EXPERTS



Ernesto Borges Neto

Key Figure(s): Ernesto Borges Neto, Flávia Sant'Anna Ferreira Benites and Priscila Ziada Camargo Fernandes

Established: 1951

Track record: Highly regarded agribusiness practice known for its expertise in rural credit bonds, alternative financing, corporate, financial and tax structuring, tax planning and acquisitions. The firm has worked closely with top industry players like JBS, Votorantim and Bradesco. It excels in judicial restructuring cases, particularly in safeguarding creditor rights.

Team & differentiation: The agribusiness department is led by Ernesto Borges, supported by 17 partners and 43 associates, composing a multidisciplinary team prepared to handle both contentious and consultative matters. The firm has seen a 30% increase in complex cases over the past year, underscoring its expertise in navigating financial and environmental regulations crucial to agribusiness success. It has multiple office across Brazil.

#### SANTOS NETO ADVOGADOS: STRATEGIC AGRIBUSINESS ADVICE



Domicio dos Santos Neto

Kev Figure(s): Domicio dos Santos Neto, Fernando Bilotti Ferreira and Matheus Zilioti Silva

Established: 1992

Track record: Top-tier agribusiness firm acclaimed for its expertise in receivables securitization, commodity financing and complex cross-border transactions. Routinely advises major financial institutions, trading companies and key investors in high-profile agribusiness deals and litigation mandates. The firm's longstanding reputation is rooted in its involvement in landmark agribusiness cases and legislative reforms.

Team & differentiation: With over three decades of presence in the market, Santos Neto Advogados has offices in São Paulo and Ribeirão Preto. The firm is led by Domicio dos Santos Neto, who played a crucial role in shaping Brazil's agribusiness legislation and is considered a go-to name for sector-related matters. Consisting of 10 partners and 17 associates, the firm regularly represents the likes of Itaú, Amaggi and Cofco.

#### OLIVEIRA PAOLUCCI ADVOGADOS: **GO-TO NAME FOR AGRIBUSINESS SOLUTIONS**



Amauri de Oliveira

Key Figure(s): Amauri de Oliveira, Luciano Paolucci and Olavo Guarnieri Established: 2001

Track record: Renowned agribusiness experts that excel at advising on rural credit securities, corporate structuring and company restructurings. The firm handles both contentious and non-contentious matters for prominent clients like Suzano, Bunge and Santander. Its extensive experience encompasses complex financial transactions and strategic agribusiness financing, reflecting an ability to address diverse client needs.

Team & differentiation: Founded over 20 years ago in São Paulo, Oliveira Paolucci Advogados is led by Amauri de Oliveira and Luciano Paolucci. The firm's four partners and six associates have strong academic credentials, and their broad range of practical expertise helps set the firm apart in its market. Singled out for its agribusiness finance and international trade capabilities.

#### **METHODOLOGY**



#### The criteria are:

- Recognition & reputation of the firm in its market
- · Team size at partner and senior associate level; seniority and track record of
- Nature, quality and volume of matters handled by the firm
- Prestige, diversity and internationalization of the firm's client base
- · Recent team expansions that have proved demonstrably successful

# In the course of our research, we gather detailed information from diverse

Law firms: through questionnaires and interviews, our team gets first-hand information about a firm's history, positioning, expertise and recent activity

Clients: we solicit the feedback of several thousand General Counsel, CFOs, Tax Managers and CEOs of domestic and multinational companies through anonymous questionnaires, meetings and phone interviews

Qualified third-parties: we collect the opinion of professionals who are neither clients nor competitors, such as: investment bankers, accountants, arbitrators, expert witnesses

Peer-review: We ask lawyers for their feedback on their local market and who they recommend when facing a conflict of interest. We also collect their opinion on lawyers they have worked with in other jurisdictions



# M&A

### Best International Investment Banks

In each tier, the banks are ordered alphabetically

	BANK	KEY FIGURE(S)  LEADING
1	BTG Pactual	José Ignacio Zamorano
2	JP Morgan Chase	Alfonso Eyzaguirre
		EXCELLENT
	Banco Santander Chile	Claudio Aguirre Vergara
	Credicorp Capital	James Loveday
	Goldman Sachs Chile	Joaquin Escribano
HIGHLY RECOMMENDED		
	Bank of America Merrill Lynch	Rodrigo Demaria
	BNP Paribas Cardif Chile	Sebastián Valle Lorenzini
	Deloitte (Investment bank area)	Christopher Lyon
	Morgan Stanley	Pedro P. Jottar Awad
	Rothschild	Matthew Smith
	Union Bank of Switzerland - UBS	Jerónimo Correa Braun

### M&A

#### **Best National Investment Banks**

In each tier, the banks are ordered alphabetically

BANK	KEY FIGURE(S)
	LEADING
1 Larrain Vial	Felipe Porzio
2 Asset Chile	Gonzalo Fanjul, Jaime Guzmán, Georges de Bourguignon
Landmark Capital	Julio Cardenal
Tyndall Group	Juan Ignacio Langlois
	EXCELLENT
Bansud Capital	Jaime Milic
Econsult	Jorge Muñoz
Providence Capital	Pablo D'Agliano
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
Altis	Alejandro Puentes
Hudson Bankers	Todd Huckaby
IMAP Chile	Sergio Milic
Key Capital Asesores Financi	ieros Cristián Mandiola Silva
Quest Capital	Alejandro Valenzuela
	RECOMMENDED
Ameris	Rodrigo Guzmán
Banmerchant	Agustín Larrain
Capital Trust	Rodrigo Muñoz Vivaldi
Link Capital Partners	Fernando Edwards

#### PROVIDENCE CAPITAL: TOP CORPORATE FINANCE ADVISORY SERVICES



Key Figure(s): Pablo D'Agliano Established: 2013

Pablo D'Agliano

Track record: Providence Capital is an independent corporate finance and M&A advisory firm which has three main lines of business: M&A advisory, debt and valuation advisory and financial modeling. The firm enjoys an enviable reputation thanks to its in-depth knowledge of a wide range of key industries in Chile and an extensive local and international network of financial and strategic investors.

Team & differentiation: The team provides strategic advice to both corporate clients and shareholders. Pablo D'Agliano has over 24 years' experience in client management, origination, structuring and execution of transactions in Latin America. Over the years the firm has helped clients successfully execute over 50 transactions totaling \$15 billion in countries such as Chile, Peru, Colombia, Argentina, Bolivia, Brazil and Ecuador.





# **AUDITING**

### **Best Consulting Firms**

Firms are ordered alphabetically

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
	RECOMMENDED
Addval Auditores	Guillermo Ureta
Artl Chile Auditores	Luis Landa
Asesorías Mañío	Marco Apablaza
<b>Baker Tilly Chile Auditores</b>	Marcos Guerra
BDO	Heraldo Hetz
CFA (Chile Finance Advisors)	José Luis Aviles
Crowe	Sergio Bascuñan
Deloitte (Chile)	Julio Valenzuela
Ecovis	William Ruz
EY Auditores	Chris Heidrich
Grant Thornton	Alejandro Cerda
Kennedy consultores auditores	Marcelo Cabezas
KPMG Chile	Santiago Barba Muñiz
Mazars Chile	Damien de La Panouse
Moore Global	Juan Landa
PKF Chile Auditores Consultores	Antonio Gonzalez
Puente Sur	Nicholas Walker
PwC Chile	Renzo Corona
RSM Chile	John Droguett
TGS C&C Canessa SA	José Canessa
Unitax	Boris León, Hernán Fuentes

# **PRIVATE EQUITY**

## **Best Private Equity Firms**

Firms are ordered alphabetically

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)	
RECOMMENDED		
Ecus Capital	Hubert Porte	
Humus Capital	Ramiro Lauzan	
Linzor Capital Partners	Carlos Ingham	
Patria Investments	José Mestres	
Riverwood Capital Partners	Francisco Alvarez	
Venturance Alternative Assets	Roberto Loehnert	
Victoria Capital Partners	Carlos Garcia	

# **VENTURE CAPITAL FUNDS**

## Best Venture Capital Firms

Firms are ordered alphabetically

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
	RECOMMENDED
Alaya VC Capital	Luis Bermejo
Aurus	Raimundo Cerda
Austral Capital	Gonzalo Miranda
Beagle Ventures	Pablo Vicuña
Chile Global Ventures	Felipe Matta
Dadneo	Allan Jarry
Devlabs	Rubén Hernandez
Fen Ventures	Cristobal Silva
Genesis Ventures	Rodrigo Castro
HCS Capital Partners	Alex Horvitz, Luis Felipe San Martin
Invexor	Cristian Undurraga
Magma Partners	Nathan Lustig
Manutara Ventures	Cristian Olea
Masisa Lab	Alejandro Carrillo
Scale Capital	Alexander Flögel
Taram Capital	Felipe Camposano
Venturance Alternative Assets	Roberto Loehnert
Wayra	Renzo Salas





# **BANKING & FINANCE**

### **Best Law Firms**

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)	
	LEADING	
Barros & Errázuriz	Enrique Barros, Francisco De la Barra	
Carey	Alejandra Daroch, Felipe Moro, Fernando Noriega, Diego Peralta, Francisco Ugarte	
Claro & Cia	Matias de Marchena, Jose Maria Eyzaguirre B., Rodrigo Ochagavia	
Morales & Besa	Myriam Barahona, José Miguel Carvajal	
Philippi Prietocarrizosa Ferrero DU & Uria	Andrés Sanfuentes	
	EXCELLENT	
Bofill Mir Abogados	Octavio Bofill, Ana Maria Yuri, Rodrigo Saffirio, Feliciano Tomarelli	
Cariola Diez Pérez-Cotapos	Francisco Javier Illanes, Rodrigo Sepulveda, Juan Antonio Parodi	
Guerrero Olivos	Miguel Coddou, Jorge Delpiano, Benjamín Novoa, Juan Enrique Allard	
Larrain Y Asociados Abogados	Patricio Montes, Diego Garay	
HIGHLY RECOMMENDED		
Baker McKenzie	Jaime Munro	
Dentons Larraín Rencoret	Felipe Rencoret	
DLA Piper Chile	Mauricio Halpern	
Garrigues Chile	Jaime De Larraechea, Pedro Garcia, Antonio Morales	
Prieto Abogados	Mario Gorziglia, Isabel Monge	
Urenda Rencoret Orrego & Dörr	Nicholas Mocarquer, Sergio Orrego, Felipe Rencoret, Rafael Rencoret	
	RECOMMENDED	
Alessandri	José Antonio Cuadra, Fernando Jamarne	
Baraona Marshall	Juan Pablo Baraona, Raul Marshall, Rodolfo Vega	
CEPD Abogados	Alejandro Edwards G, Tomás Poblete, Arturo Poblete	
CMS Carey & Allende	Enrique Vergara	
Cuatrecasas	Roberto Guerrero, Macarena Ravinet, Alfonso Ugarte	
HD Legal	Matias Langevin	
Palma	Juan Eduardo Palma Cruzat, Sergio Quesney	

Ried Fabres	Ricardo Abogabir, José Miguel Ried, Cristián Fabres, Jaime Hirschberg
2 Álamos, Álvarez & Aldunate Abogados	Alfonso Álamos, Felipe Álvarez
Clyde & Co Chile	Franco Acchiardo
Fontaine & Cía	Juan Eduardo Troncoso
Jara Del Favero	Alvaro Caviedes, Sven Herlin Kaiser, Felipe Ovalle, Christian Schiessler
MBC Abogados	Carolina Minechetti, Benjamín Salas Urzúa
	VALUABLE PRACTICE
1 Albagli Zaliasnik	Álvaro Rosenblut
Arteaga Gorziglia	Arnaldo Gorziglia, Cristián Carpentier
Chirgwin	Andrés Chirgwin
Fischer & Cía	Gerardo Cruzat, Cristóbal Herrera
García Nadal &Cía	Esteban García Nadal, Andrés Acosta
Magliona Abogados	Giovanni Donati, Claudio Magliona, Juan Pablo Montiel
2 Alvarez Abogados	Alejandro Alvarez, Manuel Sánchez, José Antonio Velasco
Contreras Velozo	Alvaro Awad, Oscar Contreras Blanco
Dalgalarrando y Cia Abogados	Felipe Dalgalarrando
Eyzaguirre Y Cia	Cristian Eyzaguirre S.
Pagbam Schwencke	Juan Pablo Schwencke, Francisco Prado

#### **CAREY: EXPERTS IN BANKING AND FINANCE TRANSACTIONS**



Diego Peralta

Key Figure(s): Diego Peralta, Francisco Ugarte, Felipe Moro, Fernando Noriega and Alejandra Daroch Established: 1905

Track record: The firm represents domestic and foreign clients in bilateral or syndicated loans, secured or unsecured; liability management; public and private offerings and placements of capital and debt, both local and international; securitizations; project financing; structured products transactions and operations with derivatives; among many others matters.

Team & differentiation: The team is characterized not only by an ability to advise national and international clients on banking matters, but also its regular participation in initiatives to update laws and regulations in Chile. Banking and finance team co-head, Diego Peralta, has a wealth of experience creating and structuring financial products and in financing, M&A and the issuance and placement of debt or equity securities.

#### **BOFILL MIR ABOGADOS:** HIGHLY EXPERIENCED IN CORPORATE ADVISORY



Octavio Bofill

Key Figure(s): Octavio Bofill, Ana María Yuri and Rodrigo Saffirio Established: 2006

Track record: The firm has a well-established mergers and acquisitions practice capable of advising on all stages of the transaction process and ensuring contracts are well structured for the most efficient sale, merger or acquisition. The team advises on transactions in the energy, mining, real estate, industrial, aeronautical, agricultural and construction sectors.

Team & differentiation: Multidisciplinary and agile, Bofill Mir Abogados has almost two decades of professional experience and a team of highly qualified lawyers. Octavio Bofill has extensive experience advising on commercial law. His practice focuses on representing national and international clients in mergers and acquisition, banking and finance, capital markets, reorganization and insolvency matters.





# **CORPORATE TAX**

### **Best Law Firms**

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
	LEADING
Barros & Errázuriz	Fernando Barros, Tomás Kovacevic, Carola Trucco
Carey	Manuel Alcalde, Jaime Carey, Manuel José Garcés, Jessica Power
Fischer & Cía	Carolina Collantes, Juan Cristóbal Ortega, Isabel Espinoza, Alex Fischer
Fuensalida & Del Valle Abogados	Jaime Del Valle, Trinidad Fernandez, Carolina Fuensalida, Cristobal Ureta
	EXCELLENT
Claro & Cia	Jorge Carraha, Nicolás Maturana
EY Chile	Macarena Navarrete
Garfías & Cia	Andrés Bustos, Gonzalo Garfias, Pablo Ibañez
Garrigues Chile	Oscar Ferrari, Ignacio Campino
KPMG Chile	Francisco Lyon, Andrés Martínez, Francisco Ramírez
Philippi Prietocarrizosa Ferrero DU & Uria	Guillermo Infante
Prieto Abogados	Mario Gorziglia, Leonidas Prieto
PwC Chile	Francisco Selamé
Recabarren & asociados	Soledad Recabarren
Torretti & Cía	Carlos Bravo, Eric Donoso, Sebastián Martínez-Conde, Javiera Pérez, Eduardo Torretti
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
Allende Bascuñán Abogados	Mauricio Carloza, Mario Donoso, Francisco J. Allende, Marcela Silva
Arteaga Gorziglia	Andrés Ossandón
Baker McKenzie	Alberto Maturana
Baraona Marshall	Alejandro Abuyeres
Bofill Mir Abogados	Josefina Da-Bove
Cariola Diez Pérez-Cotapos	Javier Cerón
CMS Carey & Allende	Diego García, Gonzalo Serrano
Deloitte Chile	Joseph Courand
Dentons Larraín Rencoret	Francisco Hurtado, Karen Kulka, Juan Pablo Orellana
Fontaine & Cía	Hernán Fontaine
Guerrero Olivos	Alejandro Chechilnitzky
Larrain Y Asociados Abogados	Víctor Manuel Avilés
Morales & Besa	Santiago Martínez
Puente Sur	Ignacio Gepp
Russi Eguiguren / Quadrant	Gonzalo Rivera Zaldívar, Ignacio Roblero, Patricio Vera, Carlos Vergara Wistuba
Tax Advisors	Benjamín Berstein, Christián Blanche
Ulloa & Cía	Nicolás Ulloa, Adriana Zaidan
	RECOMMENDED
Albagli Zaliasnik	Andrea Bobadilla, Álvaro Rosenblut, Rodrigo Albagli
Aninat Abogados	Luis Alberto Aninat, Maria Eugenia Sabbagh

Cabello Abogados Tributarios	Juan Pablo Cabello
Clyde & Co Chile	Cristóbal Cibie
DLA Piper Chile	Rodrigo Alvarez, Amory Heine
FVP TAX Abogados	Guillermo Fonseca, Jorge Valenzuela, Andres Palacios
Garnham Abogados	Arturo Garnham, Patrick Humphreys
ICMS Abogados	Ricardo Ihnen Becker, Andres Correa
Jara Del Favero	Rafael Valdivieso Ruiz-Tagle
MBC Abogados	María Teresa Cremaschi, Jazmín Gajardo
Ovalle Consejeros Legales	Alvaro Parra
Sapag & Gonzalez	Pablo Rodrigo González, Sergio Sapag
Urenda Rencoret Orrego & Dörr	Gonzalo Rencoret
	VALUABLE PRACTICE
1 AEM Abogados	Miguel Guerrero
ARH Abogados	Pablo Ramírez Molina, José Ayala Avilés
AVC Partners	Paula Abugattas, Jaime Castillo, Francisco Javier Valdivieso, Pamela Vázquez
CEPD Abogados	Juan Pablo Fell
Chirgwin	Andrés Chirgwin
Cuatrecasas	Rodrigo Stein
Harris Gómez Group	Carla López, Camila Weinstein
HD Legal	Juan Andrés Larrondo
Misraji & Béjar Abogados	Camilo Béjar
PTL I Prieto Tax & Legal	José Miguel Prieto Correa, Harry Ibaceta, José Tomás Adriasola, María José López
Robertson Catalán Abogados	Matías Robertson
Saez & Cia	Gonzalo Alberto Sáez Pinochet, Vicente Tadeo Sáez Pinochet
2 EGB Abogados	Jorge Espinosa Sepúlveda
Estudio Guzmán	Manuel Bulnes, Felipe Guevara, Enrique Guzmán, Sebastián Undurraga
Guerrero Garces	Sebastián Guerrero Valenzuela
Lembeye Abogados	Evelyn Sepúlveda
Pagbam Schwencke	Barbara Neyra
Porte y Canales	Octavio Canales, Rodolfo Porte
Porzio Rios García	Ignacio García
Salcedo y Cia	Claudio Salcedo
Zúñiga Campos Abogados	Celeste Angulo

## **CAREY: ACCOMPLISHED FISCAL MANAGEMENT TEAM**



**Key Figure(s):** Jaime Carey, Jessica Power, Manuel José Garcés and Manuel Alcalde Established: 1905

Track record: Carey's storied history and sophisticated approach to tax analysis gives the firm a natural advantage when it comes adapting to frequent changes to the cornerstones of the Chilean tax system, such as those brought about by the 2014, 2016 and 2020 tax reforms, or changes included in recent international tax treaties, such as the BEPS Multilateral Convention, which Chile

has ratified.

Team & differentiation: The tax team is known for effective tax litigation and tax due diligence capabilities. An interdisciplinary group, it contains lawyers, accountants and an economist. Jaime Carey has earned great prestige as a tax lawyer of reference and trusted advisor to private-wealth clients. His practice focuses on personal and corporate tax planning, local and international tax advice, and foreign investment transactions.





# TAX LITIGATION

## **Best Law Firms**

In each tier, the firms are ordered alphabetically

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
	EXCELLENT
Fischer & Cía	Patricio Casas
PwC	Gonzalo Schmidt
Recabarren & Asociados	Ignacio Iriarte
Torrett&Cía	Eric Donoso
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
Deloitte	Pablo Quezada
KPMG	Luis Seguel
Philippi Prietocarrizosa Ferrero DU & Uría	Mario Silva
EY	Andrés Vio Veas
Baraona Marshall	Alejandro Abuyeres
Cabello Abogados	Michel Aguilera
FVP TAX abogados	Andrés Palacios

# **STARTUPS & VENTURE CAPITAL**

### **Best Law Firms**

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)	
	LEADING	
Carey	Guillermo Carey, Francisco Guzmán	
DLA Piper Chile	Jorge Timmermann, Matías Zegers	
Guerrero Olivos	Pedro Lyon, Benjamín Ferrada, Francisca Martínez, Diego Rodríguez	
EXCELLENT		
A/C/R Legal	Diego Rodríguez	
ACU Abogados	Santiago Achurra, Pablo Undurraga	
Barros & Errázuriz	Sergio Eguiguren, Lucas Marinovic	
Flores Acevedo Abogados	Pablo Acevedo	
Pagbam Schwencke	Juan Pablo Schwencke, Francisco Prado	

	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
Albagli Zaliasnik	Rodrigo Albagli, Eugenio Gormáz
Apparcel Uriarte Abogados	Matías Apparcel
Estudio Zapata	Franco Zapata
Marinovic & Alcalde	Javier Gonzalez, Alberto Polette, Tomas Polette, Martín Vilajuana
Álamos, Álvarez & Aldunate Abogados	Felipe Álvarez
Aninat Abogados	Maria Eugenia Sabbagh, Martín Mois
Egaña Abogados	Andrés Egaña
Villarino E Ilharreborde Abogados	Juan Andrés Ilharreborde
	RECOMMENDED
Cuatrecasas	Josefina Yávar
Lembeye Abogados	Nicolás Espina, Jorge Lembeye
Prieto Abogados	Patricio Prieto, Maite Larrañaga
Alster Legal	Andrés Jara
Anguita Osorio	Eduardo Anguita
CEPD Abogados	Tomás Poblete
DNPV Abogados	Pedro Novoa, Rodrigo Novoa
Fs Abogados	Rodrigo Bustamante
HD Legal	Sebastian Delpiano
Jara Del Favero	Alvaro Caviedes

### ÁLAMOS, ÁLVAREZ & ALDUNATE ABOGADOS: CONSTANTLY GROWING FIRM



Felipe Álvarez

Key Figure(s): Alfonso Álamos and Felipe Álvarez Established: 2020

Track record: The firm specializes in three main areas: capital markets, venture capital and real estate. It has extensive experience in the study, planning, development, execution and commercialization of various types of real estate assets. The team is experienced at advising entrepreneurs, startups and both national and foreign investors in their various stages of development across diverse areas such as fintech, proptech and

Team & differentiation: The firm is home to lawyers with extensive experience in various areas of law and industries, which allows them to offer comprehensive advice and add value to their clients' projects. In recent years the firm has expanded its practice areas according to market needs to cover corporate M&A, energy, tax, banking and finance and labor.

### **CAREY:** STRATEGIC ADVISOR TO STARTUPS



Guillermo Carey

**Key Figure(s):** Francisco Guzmán and Guillermo Carey Established: 1905

Track record: Carey is particularly strong advising venture capital clients in complex matters, such as the internationalization process for local startups. In such cases the team excels at being able to grasp all the issues involved, such as corporate structuring, tax planning and IP transfer, while looking for the optimal alternative to take the company to the next level. Shinkansen and Nubank are clients.

Team & differentiation: Guillermo Carey offers entrepreneurial clients and investors the benefit of his uniquely valuable venture-capital and intellectual-property experience. Under Carey's guidance, newly established companies can safely expand, secure funding from investors and receive protection for their brand and its products. He regularly advises high-impact entrepreneurs in technology transfer and international expansion matters.





# **WEALTH MANAGEMENT**

## **Best Law Firms**

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
	LEADING
Barros & Errázuriz	Fernando Barros, Carola Trucco
Fischer & Cía	Carolina Collantes, Juan Cristóbal Ortega, Isabel Espinoza, Alex Fischer, Cristóbal Herrera, Gerardo Cruzat
Fuensalida & Del Valle Abogados	Jaime Del Valle, Trinidad Fernandez, Carolina Fuensalida, Cristobal Ureta
Torretti & Cía	Carlos Bravo, Sebastián Martínez-Conde, Javiera Pérez, Eduardo Torretti, Erico Donoso
	EXCELLENT
Allende Bascuñán Abogados	Francisco Allende, Mauricio Carloza, Mario Donoso, José Luis Ibáñez
Garfías & Cia	Andrés Bustos, Gonzalo Garfias, Pablo Ibañez
Russi Eguiguren / Quadrant	Gonzalo Rivera Zaldívar, Patricio Vera, Carlos Vergara, Ignacio Roblero
Ulloa & Cía	Nicolás Ulloa, Adriana Zaidan
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
Carey	Manuel Alcalde, Jaime Carey, Manuel José Garcés, Jorge Ugarte
EY Chile	Pablo Greiber
Garrigues Chile	Oscar Ferrari, María Jesús Hidalgo
Goldenberg & Lagos	Juan Goldenberg
Recabarren & asociados	Soledad Recabarren
	RECOMMENDED
DLA Piper Chile	Amory Heine, Rodrigo Álvarez
FVP tax abogados	Guillermo Fonseca, Jorge Valenzuela, Andres Palacios
ICMS Abogados	Ricardo Ihnen Becker, Andrés Correa
Jara Del Favero	Rafael Valdivieso Ruiz-Tagle, Martín Hudson
Prieto Abogados	Mario Gorziglia, Leonidas Prieto
Saez & Cia	Gonzalo Sáez Pinochet, Vicente Sáez Pinochet
	VALUABLE PRACTICE
Arteaga Gorziglia	Andrés Ossandón
Chirgwin	Andrés Chirgwin
Clyde & Co Chile	Arturo Majlis, Hugo Prieto, Alejandro Quintana
Correa Squella	Juan Ignacio Correa
Estudio Guzmán	Manuel Bulnes, Felipe Guevara, Enrique Guzmán, Sebastián Undurraga
Pagbam Schwencke	Bárbara Neyra, Juan Pablo Schwencke
PwC Chile	Francisco Selamé

# **PROJECT FINANCE**

## **Best Law Firms**

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
	LEADING
Carey	Rafael Vergara, Óscar Aitken, Juan Francisco Mackenna, Alberto Cardemil, Felipe Moro, José Miguel Bustamante, Juan Pablo Stitchkin, Fernando Noriega, José Tomás Hurley
Morales & Besa	Myriam Barahona, José Miguel Carvajal, Carlos Silva
Philippi Prietocarrizosa Ferrero DU & Uria	Marcela Silva
	EXCELLENT
Barros & Errázuriz	Nicolas Balmaceda, Francisco De la Barra
Claro & Cia	José Luis Ambrosy, Jose Maria Eyzaguirre B., Rodrigo Ochagavia
Garrigues Chile	Pedro Garcia, Claudio Moraga, Antonio Morales
Guerrero Olivos	Sebastián Abogabir, Miguel Coddou, Felipe Frühling, Benjamín Novoa, Clemente Pérez
Larrain Y Asociados Abogados	Diego Garay, Patricio Montes
Prieto Abogados	Mario Gorziglia, Juan Tagle Q., Nicolás Yuraszeck, Isabel Monge
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
Arteaga Gorziglia	Arnaldo Gorziglia, Cristián Carpentier, Ignacio Arteaga, Luciano Cruz
Bofill Mir Abogados	Ana Maria Yuri, Pablo Mir
Cariola Diez Pérez-Cotapos	Juan Antonio Parodi, Rodrigo Sepulveda, Francisco Illanes
CMS Carey & Allende	Pabla Gainza, Jorge Allende Z.
Dentons Larraín Rencoret	Felipe Rencoret
Ossa & Alessandri	Francisco Ossa
	RECOMMENDED
Baraona Marshall	Juan Pablo Baraona, Raul Marshall, Rodolfo Vega
BBGS Chile	José Miguel Bambach, Claudio Campos, Max Correa, Alejandra Diez, Mario Espinoza
DLA Piper Chile	Mauricio Halpern, Diego Peña
Lembeye Abogados	Nicolás Espina, Rony Zimerman, Jorge Lembeye
Urenda Rencoret Orrego & Dörr	Sergio Orrego, Gonzalo Errázuriz, Ignacio Urrutia, Felipe Rencoret





# **FINTECH**

## **Best Law Firms**

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
	LEADING
Barros & Errázuriz	Javier Díaz, Sergio Eguiguren
CMS Carey & Allende	Carolina Veas, Enrique Vergara
HD Legal	Matias Langevin, Rebeca Zamora
Magliona Abogados	Giovanni Donati, Claudio Magliona, Nicolás Yuraszeck
	EXCELLENT
Aninat Abogados	Martín Mois, Cristián Reyes
Apparcel Uriarte Abogados	Matías Apparcel
Bitlaw	Tomás Pintor, Javiera Sepulveda, Paulina Silva
Carey	Francisco Guzmán, Fernando Noriega, Alejandra Daroch
Dentons Larraín Rencoret	Karlfranz Koehler, Ignacio Pera
DLA Piper Chile	Jorge Timmermann, Matías Zegers
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
Alessandri	Felipe Cousiño, José Antonio Cuadra, Macarena Gatica, Fernando Jamarne
A/C/R Legal	Diego Rodríguez
Cuatrecasas	Tomás Kubick
Egaña Abogados	Andrés Egaña
Estudio Bravo	Mario Bravo
Estudio Zapata	Franco Zapata
H&CO Abogados	Felipe Harboe
Moraga Y Cía	Alvaro Moraga
	RECOMMENDED
Cariola Diez Pérez-Cotapos	Juan Antonio Parodi
Marinovic & Alcalde	Javier Gonzalez, Alberto Polette, Tomas Polette, Martín Vilajuana
Prieto	Mario Gorziglia, Isabel Monge

### Analysis

#### ANINAT ABOGADOS: ROBUST STRATEGIC VISION



Luis A. Aninat

Key Figure(s): Luis A. Aninat, Martín Mois and Cristián Reyes Established: 2020

Track record: Aninat Abogados is characterized by an ability to advise startups and established fintech companies, fintech subsidiaries of investment banks and industry-oriented investment funds. Among its solid and stable portfolio of clients are notable names such as Binance, Ebanx, Tenpo, Tapp, Pronto Paga, Buda, Vita Wallet, Paymig, CryptoMKT and SatoshiTango.

Team & differentiation: The firm has forged a strategic alliance with industry players such as the consulting firm BDO Chile and the data services company Regcheq, to provide specialist services to the fintech industry and enhance its legal expertise. Luis Aninat focuses on corporate, transactional, regulatory and dispute resolution aspects, representing Chilean and foreign companies from sectors such as infrastructure, technology and communications.

#### **ESTUDIO ZAPATA:** FINTECH INDUSTRY DEDICATION



Franco Zapata

Key Figure(s): Franco Established: 2020

Track record: Estudio Zapata stands out for the highly specialized nature of the legal advice it provides startups and innovative companies developing and applying new technology. The firm focuses on advising fintech companies, driven by its close relationship with FINTECHILE, the national Fintech association. It excels in venture capital, corporate law and financing for companies across diverse sectors including fintech, proptech and biotech.

Team & differentiation: The firm has expanded its services to serve the needs of proptech and biotech companies, reflecting the evolving landscape of technological innovation in the market. The team, led by Franco Zapata, is recognized nationally and internationally for its extensive experience and ability to consistently provide innovative, customized solutions.

#### **H&CO ABOGADOS: FINANCIAL SERVICES SPECIALISTS**



Felipe Harboe

Key Figure(s): Felipe Harboe Established: 2022

Track record: H&CO Abogados is known for providing comprehensive advice on digital regulation, technology, data protection and cybersecurity to companies and institutions of all ilks, depending on the regulatory context. It is skilled at establishing models of risk and infringement prevention in line with national realities, leveraging international best-practices to achieve lasting results

Team & differentiation: The firm is led by founding partner Felipe Harboe, a Central University law graduate and expert in public policy, regulation, security and technology (including personal-data protection). He has more than 30 years' political experience and dedication to public service and spearheads a multidisciplinary team of attorneys with vast experience in the public and private sector.

#### **METHODOLOGY**



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# **RESTRUCTURING & INSOLVENCY**

## **Best Law Firms**

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
	LEADING  Alainda Parak Cirilia Firman Pirak Parak Francis Harra Calada Willia
Carey	Alejandra Daroch, Cristián Figueroa, Ricardo Reveco, Francisco Ugarte, Salvador Valdes, Roberto Villaseca
Nelson Contador & Compañía Abogados	Nelson Contador
	EXCELLENT
Castañeda & Pino Abogados	Luis Felipe Castañeda, Juan Cristóbal Pino
Claro & Cia	Cristóbal Eyzaguirre
Gandarillas Montt Del Río	Cristian Gandarillas
Morales & Besa	Myriam Barahona, Gonzalo Cordero
Prieto Abogados	Alberto Gonzalez E., Benjamín Grebe
Puga Ortiz	Juan Esteban Puga
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
ABI Abogados	Francisco Bañados, José Joaquín Meza
Barros & Errázuriz	Javier San Martin
Bofill Mir Abogados	Octavio Bofill, Rodrigo Saffirio, Ana María Yuri, Feliciano Tomarelli
Cariola Diez Pérez-Cotapos	Raimundo Moreno, Fernando Urrutia
Guerrero Olivos	Juan Enrique Allard, Benjamin Ferrada, Sergio Yávar
Saez & Cia	Gonzalo Alberto Sáez Pinochet, Vicente Tadeo Sáez Pinochet
Urenda Rencoret Orrego & Dörr	Juan Carlos Dörr Bulnes, Juan Pablo Morales
	RECOMMENDED
Cuatrecasas	Gianfranco Lotito, Tomás Kubick, Alfonso Ugarte
Fleischmann & Román Abogados	Orlando Palominos, Paulo Román
Fischer & Cía	Gerardo Cruzat, Cristóbal Herrera
Fontaine & Cía	Georgo Peftouloglou, Juan Eduardo Troncoso
Gamboa, Fuenzalida, Sanfeliú & Ugarte	Rodolfo Fuenzalida
García Nadal &Cía	Esteban García Nadal
Grupo Defensa	Ricardo Ibañez, Sebastián Muñoz, Mario Espinosa
Larrain Y Asociados Abogados	Arturo Bulnes
Pagbam Schwencke	Francisco Prado, Juan P. Schwencke, Bárbara Neyra Avilés
Puyol y Rosas Abogados	Jaime Puyol
Russi Eguiguren / Quadrant	Matías Murua, José Miguel Sanhueza
	VALUABLE PRACTICE
Alvarez Abogados	José Antonio Velasco
Barros Silva Varela & Vigil	Fernando Barros Vial, José Joaquín Silva
CEPD Abogados	Marta Last Lamina Adama Pallar
	María José Larrain, Arturo Poblete
Edn Abogados	María Ester Paredes

### Analysis

### **GRUPO DEFENSA:** INSOLVENCY AND RESTRUCTURING EXPERTS



Ricardo Ibáñez

Key Figure(s): Ricardo Established: 2000

Track record: Grupo Defensa's goal is to advise individuals and micro, small and medium-sized companies on insolvency and restructuring matters. The firm actively participates in legislative, debate, and dialogue spaces on debt and insolvency. In 2023, it collaborated on amendments to Chile's insolvency and restructuring law and the constitutional process of drafting a new Con-

**Team & differentiation**: The firm is made up of a multidisciplinary team of some 300 professionals, including 130 lawyers, who provide strategic operational advice to companies in the commerce, services, food and drink, construction and education sectors. Insolvency and restructuring expert Ricardo Ibañez is a regular commentator and columnist in the media.

### **CASTAÑEDA & PINO ABOGADOS: EXCELLENT FINANCIAL RESTRUCTURING TEAM**



Luis Felipe Castañeda

Key Figure(s): Luis Felipe and Juan Cristóbal Pino Established: 2018

Track record: The firm has extensive experience in insolvencies, liquidations, reorganization agreements and financial restructurings, representing debtors, creditors and various third parties in and out of court. In addition, it has participated in several high-profile cases in Chile following the enactment of Law 20.720 in 2014. La Cruz Constructora and Inmobiliaria y Comercial Chacao are clients.

Team & differentiation: Castañeda & Pino Abogados is regularly sought out by top companies for its successful track record in complex corporate litigation. Its founder, Luis Felipe Castañeda, has been involved in numerous prominent national and international cases. Juan Cristóbal Pino, meanwhile, focuses on complex litigation, insolvency and bankruptcy proceedings.

## SÁEZ ABOGADOS: SKILLED AT CORPORATE RESTRUCTURING MATTERS



Vicente Sáez

Key Figure(s): Vicente Sáez Established: 2004

Track record: The firm designs solutions tailored to the needs of each client, covering areas such as insolvency, innovation, startups, corporate, mergers and acquisitions, insolvency, restructuring, labor, wealth management and tax. It acts for medium-sized companies, entrepreneurs and startuppers, principally in the energy and real estate Team & differentiation: The team specializes in innovation and new technologies, adopting a learning-based approach. Vicente Sáez, an expert in commercial, tax and judicial law, advises various national and international companies and organizations. Gonzalo Sáez has extensive experience in the legal aspects of corporate restructuring, mergers and acquisitions and financing transactions.

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## **BANKING & FINANCE**

## **Best Law Firms**

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
	LEADING
Brigard Urrutia	María Fernanda Diago, Carlos Fradique-Méndez, Cesar Rodríguez, Carlos Urrutia
Gómez-Pinzón	Ricardo Fandiño
Philippi Prietocarrizosa Ferrero DU & Uría	Claudia Barrero, Juan Fernando Gaviria, Hernando Padilla
Posse Herrera Ruiz	Jesús Albarrán, Natalia Escobar, Mariana Posse
	EXCELLENT
CMS Rodríguez-Azuero	Daniel Rodríguez, Sergio Rodriguez Azuero
Garrigues Colombia	Roberto Borras, Francisco Noguera
Martínez Quintero Mendoza González Laguado & De La Rosa	Sebastian Lora, Camilo Martínez Beltrán
Baker McKenzie	Jaime Trujillo
Dentons Cárdenas & Cárdenas	Bernardo Cárdenas, Eduardo Cárdenas Caballero
Parra Rodríguez Abogados	Bernardo Rodríguez
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
Castro Leiva Rendón Abogados	Marcela Castro Pineda, José Ignacio Leiva
Cuatrecasas	Manuel Quinche, Juan Carlos Puentes, Natalia Arango, Ana María Sánchez
Holland & Knight	Camilo Gantiva Hidalgo, Maria Juliana Saa
Mosquera Abogados	Cristian Mosquera, Juan Pablo Mosquera
Muñoz Aya	Edgar Muñoz
Torrado Angarita & Pinzón Abogados	Juan Pablo Pinzón, Jorge Torrado Angarita
	RECOMMENDED
Brick Abogados	Ximena Chaves, Juan Diego Rodriguez
CMM Abogados	Jorge Mendoza Duque
Contexto Legal	Guillermo Villegas
Durán & Osorio Abogados	Gustavo Osorio, Gabriel Taboada
Esguerra JHR	Juan Pablo González Mejía
Gamboa, Garcia, Roldan & Co.	Juan Felipe Roldán Pardo, Daniel García Piñeros

GodoyHoyos_GOH	Juan Pablo Godoy
Lloreda Camacho	Carlos Carvajal, Santiago Gutiérrez
Mendoza	Mateo Mendoza
Muñoz Tamayo & Asociados	Diego Muñoz Tamayo, Felipe Trias
Palacios Lleras	Pedro Pacheco Jiménez
Ustáriz & Abogados Estudio Jurídico	José Federico Ustáriz, Luis Humberto Ustáriz

### **MOSQUERA ABOGADOS:** DISTINGUISHED BANKING AND FINANCE OUTFIT



Juan Pablo Mosquera

Key Figure(s): Cristian Mosquera and Juan Pablo Mosquera Established: 1952

Track record: The firm provides legal advice to well-known companies, institutions, investment funds and public and private entities in their financing operations, in both the banking and capital markets, whether in a national or an international context. Among its main activities are managing the structuring and negotiation of financing and syndicated loans.

Team & differentiation: Juan Pablo Mosquera provides banking, corporate finance and foreign investment advice, both to borrowers and lenders. Cristian Mosquera is a corporate law specialist who brings extensive regulatory experience from his time at the Financial Superintendence and the Ministry of Finance. The team is composed of professionals with a keen understanding of each stage of a financial transaction.

## MARTÍNEZ QUINTERO MENDOZA GONZÁLEZ LAGUADO & DE LA ROSA: PRESTIGIOUS TEAM



Camilo Martinez

Key Figure(s): Camilo Martínez, Diana Zuleta, María Claudia Martínez, Andrés González and Sebastián Lora Established: 1996

Track record: The firm has a wealth of experience in banking & finance law, tax planning and structuring. It regularly advises major national banks and financial institutions and represents international financial entities looking to do business in Colombia. It regularly acts for companies, their managers, owners, creditors and investors in insolvency cases. Alpina, Servipan, TC Latam and Valorem are clients.

Team & differentiation: The team understands each client's situation and anticipates market changes, trends and new technology. It also has the technical support of other areas of the firm, which allows it to adapt its legal advice to the competitive environment and the needs of each sector. The firm represents clients before regulatory authorities in matters of great complexity and impact.

## M&A

### **Local Investment Banks**

Banks are ordered alphabetically

BANK	KEY FIGURE(S)
	RECOMMENDED
B.A. M&A Coporate Finance	Tommasso Leonetti
Banca De Inversión Bancolombia	Jean Pierre Serani
Banicol	Diego Calderón, Alejandro Jaramillo, Andrés Velasco
Estrategia En Acción	Alba Luz Hoyos
Estrategias Corporativas	Federico Márquez
Exponencial	Sergio Restrepo
GBS Finance	Viviana Vega
Génesis	Juan Pablo Ortíz
HBI (Helm Banca de Inversion)	Pablo Bickenbach
Incorbank	Jaime Ricaurte
Inverlink	Mauricio Saldarriaga
Latinvestco	Hugo Díaz, Miguel Reyna
MD Banca de Inversión	Carlos Martinez Diez, Juan Camilo Moreno
Oaklins Colombia	Carlo Barona, Juan Pablo Bayter
Silk & Co	Martha Juliana Silva
Structure Banca de Inversión	Héctor Ulloa
Sumatoria	Luis Carlos Valenzuela
Valor y Estrategia	Jorge Julián Trujillo





## M&A

## Best International Investment Banks

Banks are ordered alphabetically

BANK	KEY FIGURE(S)
	RECOMMENDED
Banco Santander	Marcel Patino
Bank of America Merrill Lynch	Eduardo Mayoral
BBVA Colombia	Ader Anaya Ariza
BNP Paribas	Andrés Cifuentes
BTG Pactual	Juan Rafael Perez Velez
Colpatria (Member of Scotiabank Group)	Olga Lucia Varón
Credicorp Capital	Carlos Alberto Sanchez
Crédit Agricole	Juan Carlos Álvarez
Crédit Suisse	Nicolas Camacho
Goldman Sachs	Marc Nachmann, John Waldron
Itau BBA	Jaime Otero
J.P. Morgan	Angela Hurtado

# **RESTRUCTURING & INSOLVENCY**

## Best Law Firms

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)	
LE	ADING	
Brigard Urrutia	Irma Isabel Rivera, Felipe Mutis, María Victoria Munevar	
Gallo Medina Abogados	Luis Hernando Gallo Medina	
Holland & Knight	Gustavo Cuberos, Enrique Gomez-Pinzon	
Martínez Quintero Mendoza González Laguado & De La Rosa	Camilo Martínez Beltrán, Nicolás Polanía Tello	
EXC	ELLENT	
CMS Rodríguez-Azuero	Daniel Rodríguez, Sergio Rodriguez Azuero	
Isaza & Londoño Abogados	Alvaro Isaza	
Rivera Andrade Estudio Juridico	Diana Rivera	
UVP&A Legal	Luis Guillermo Velez	
HIGHLY RECOMMENDED		
Bbgs Abogados Colombia	Lorenzo Pizarro, Alysson Andrea Murillo	
Garrigues Colombia	Francisco Noguera	
Parra Rodríguez Abogados	Bernardo Rodríguez	

Philippi Prietocarrizosa Ferrero DU & Uría	Felipe Cuberos, Nicolas Tirado
Posse Herrera Ruiz	Juan Pablo Bonilla, Pablo Sierra
	RECOMMENDED
AGM Abogados S.A.S	Luis José Abril Cruz
Gómez-Pinzón	David Ricardo Araque Quijano
Muñoz Aya	Edgar Muñoz
Rueda Mantilla Abogados	David Rueda, Hernando Rueda
Torrado Angarita & Pinzón Abogados	Juan Pablo Pinzón

# **STARTUPS & VENTURE CAPITAL**

**Best Law Firms** 

In each tier, the firms are ordered alphabetically

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
	EXCELLENT
Arrubla Devis	Rafael McCausland Echeverry
Due Legal	Nicolás Becerra Cardona, Natalia Chavarro Bocanegra, Felix Hernández Sagbini
Legalnova	Fabian Acosta
Phylo Legal	Camilo Gómez
ŀ	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
BBGS Abogados Colombia	Myriam Montenegro
Brigard Urrutia	Carlos Fradique-Méndez, Luis Gabriel Morcillo
Doclick	Sara Bustamante
GodoyHoyos_GOH	Catalina Hoyos
Gómez-Pinzón	Daniel Londoño, Adriana Moreno
Leancase	Catalina Quintana
Martínez Quintero Mendoza González Laguado & De La Rosa	Andrés González, María Claudia Martínez, Camilo Martínez Beltrán, Diana Zuleta
OlarteMoure	Carlos R Olarte, Juan G Moure
RAD. Estrategias Legales	Cristhian Fresen

## DUE LEGAL: TOP ADVISOR TO STARTUPS AND TECH COMPANIES



Becerra Cardona and Natalia Chavarro Bocanegra Established: 2021

Track record: Due Legal is recognized by members of the startup and innovation ecosystem as providing one of the market's best legal back-office services. The firm is active in different areas of law, and focuses on meeting the legal needs of companies on matters of a corporate, commercial, contractual, intellectual property or tax nature, in addition to all the day-to-day legal needs that arise in companies.

Team & differentiation: The firm employs cutting-edge technology for the automatic preparation of all types of documents, digital signatures and document analysis. Nicolás Becerra has advised different scaleups and startups in fintech, edtech, crypto and different SaaS, IaaS and PaaS platforms in Colombia and abroad. Natalia Chavarro specializes in advising scaleups and startups in the areas of corporate law and labor law.

Nicolás Becerra Cardona





# **CORPORATE TAX**

## **Best Law Firms**

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
GodoyHoyos_GOH	<b>LEADING</b> Catalina Hoyos, Juan Pablo Godoy
Gómez-Pinzón	Alvaro Andres Díaz, Mauricio Piñeros-Perdomo, Alejandro Sanabria, Carolina Bobillier
Lewin & Wills	Alfredo Lewin
Posse Herrera Ruiz	Juan Camilo De Bedout, Jaime Enrique Gómez, Juan Guillermo Ruiz, María Paula Sánchez
Brigard Urrutia	EXCELLENT  Daniel Duque Estévez, Andrés Hernandez, Catalina Jaramillo, Adrián Rodriguez Piedrahita
Martínez Quintero Mendoza González	
Laguado & De La Rosa	Cesar Cermeño, Laura Galeano, Andrés González
Philippi Prietocarrizosa Ferrero DU & Uría	
Baker McKenzie	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED  Ciro Meza Martinez
Cahn-Speyer, Paredes & Asociados	Paul Cahn-Speyer Wells
Dentons Cárdenas & Cárdenas	Camilo Cortés, Ernesto Lopez, Carmen Sanabria
Garrigues Colombia	Monica Bolaños, Camilo Zarama
Montaña & Consultores Asociados	Andrea Monsalve, Magda Montaña
Quiñones Cruz Abogados	Lucy Cruz de Quiñones, Antonio Quiñones
SanintRivas	Laura Sanint
	RECOMMENDED
Cañón Thompson	Carolina Cañon, Eric Thompson
CMS Rodríguez-Azuero	Santiago Arbouin
EY Colombia	Margarita Salas
Franco Murgueitio & Asociados	Luis Hernando Franco Murgueitio
Esguerra JHR	Julián Jiménez Mejía
KPMG Colombia	Ricardo Ruiz
Lloreda Camacho	Juan Fernando Díaz, Ignacio Santamaria
MPV Abogados & Cía	Mauricio Plazas
Osman Abogados	Pedro Pablo Osman
Parra Rodríguez Abogados	María Margarita Parra, Alvaro Parra Gomez
Pinilla González & Prieto	Felipe Pinilla Acevedo

PwC Colombia	Carlos Lafaurie
Rodríguez Bravo Abogados	Sebastian Rodriguez Bravo
Rueda Mantilla Abogados Asociados	Hernando Rueda Amorocho
Santiago Meza Abogados & Asesores	David Martinez, Santiago Meza Mafla
	VALUABLE PRACTICE
1 Brick Abogados	Juan Manuel Idrovo
CMM Abogados	Juan Pablo Suarez
Cuatrecasas	Jaime Vargas Cifuentes
De Guzmán Márquez	Catalina Márquez, Juan Pablo De Guzmán
Due Legal	Nicolás Becerra Cardona, Félix Hernández
Holland & Knight	Juan Carlos Valencia, Rafael Lafont Castillo, Gustavo Pardo Ardila
Jimenez Duarte Asociados	Oscar Jiménez Duarte
Serrano Martínez CMA	Sebastián Correa
2 Aroca Vives Abogados	Felipe Aroca
Contexto Legal	Federico Escobar B.
Deloitte Legal	Diego Franco
DRET Legal	Diego Velandia
Espinosa & Asociados	Carlos Antonio Espinosa
Gamboa, Garcia, Roldan & Co.	Juanita Castro
Leyva Abogados	Álvaro Leyva Muñoz
LLP – Latam Law Partners S.A.S	Massimiliano Castellari, Carlos Delgado, Giacomo Savatoni
Paniagua & Tovar Abogados	Carol Caita, Jorge Paniagua, Mario Tovar
Pardo & Asociados Estrategias Tributarias	Santiago Pardo
Salazar Abogados	Juan Carlos Salazar, Adriana Nassar
Visión Legal	Ana Maria Mejia H., Juan Rafael Osorno Jaramillo

#### DRET LEGAL: PRACTICAL SOLUTIONS FOR TAX ISSUES



Key Figure(s): Diego Velandia Ferreira Established: 2021

Track record: The team stands out for its reputation in domestic and international tax matters, as well as in estate planning. Specialists in corporate tax planning for local and foreign companies; estate planning for individuals and families; structuring and implementation of local and cross-border reorganizations; ongoing national and local tax consulting; tax litigation and prosecution; and design of alternative risk transfer solutions.

Team & differentiation: The team takes an exhaustive approach to the requirements of clients, in order to provide the best possible strategic advice. Diego Velandia has been designing the tax strategies of prominent members of various industries for many years. He leads the structuring and implementation of corporate reorganizations and estate planning for domestic and foreign clients.

Diego Velandia Ferreira





# **WEALTH MANAGEMENT**

## **Best Law Firms**

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
Brigard Urrutia	<b>LEADING</b> Paula Camacho, Catalina Jaramillo, Sergio Michelsen
Cañón Thompson	Carolina Cañon, Eric Thompson
Lewin & Wills	Luz Clemencia Alfonso, Alfredo Lewin
	EXCELLENT
Dentons Cárdenas & Cárdenas	Eduardo Cárdenas Caballero
GodoyHoyos_GOH	Juan Pablo Godoy
Posse Herrera Ruiz	Jaime Enrique Gómez, Juan Guillermo Ruiz
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
Baker McKenzie	Ciro Meza Martinez
Bbgs Abogados Colombia	Luis Felipe Barrios, Monica Serrano
Gómez-Pinzón	Mauricio Piñeros-Perdomo, Álvaro Andrés Díaz, Carolina Bobillier
Martínez Quintero Mendoza González Laguado & De La Rosa	Cesar Cermeño, Andrés González, María Claudia Martínez
	RECOMMENDED
Cañón Asociados	Carlos Andrés Cañón
LLP – Latam Law Partners S.A.S	Massimiliano Castellari, Carlos Delgado, Sandra Muñoz, Mónica Torres, Maria Elvira Velasco, Jaimeé Terán
Osman Abogados	Pedro Pablo Osman
Parra Rodríguez Abogados	Alvaro Parra Gomez
Santiago Meza Abogados & Asesores	Santiago Meza Mafla

# **AUDITING**

## **Best Law Firms**

Firms are ordered alphabetically

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
	RECOMMENDED
Auren Colombia	Raúl Alberto Menco Vargas
Baker Tilly Colombia	Ricardo Vásquez Bernal
BDO Colombia	José Ricardo Díaz Quiroga
Castro Auditores	Aldemar Castro
Crowe Colombia	Oscar L. Villarruel
Deloitte Legal	Andres Ocampo
EY Colombia	Édgar Sánchez
Grant Thornton Colombia	Pedro Cruz Daza
KPMG Colombia	Jubran Coelho
Mazars Colombia	Edwin Franco Arevalo, Ernesto Erazo, Andrés Camilo Hernández Ovalle, Vivian Paola Mariño, Carlos Andrés Molano, José Manuel Trujillo López
Moore Colombia	Heyman Gil
PKF Amézquita & Cía	Vivian Amezquita
PwC Colombia	Diego Henao
RSM Colombia	Victor M. Gomez
Russell Bedford	Geraldine Trujillo Bedoya
UHY Colombia	Diego Charry Mejía



## **BANKING & FINANCE**

## **Best Law Firms**

	FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
		LEADING
1	Pérez Bustamante & Ponce (PBP)	Bruno Pineda, Carmen Simone, Pedro Pérez, Roxana Aguirre
2	Bustamante Fabara	Jesús Beltrán, Diego Ramírez, José Bustamante, Francisco Bustamante
	Flor Bustamante Pizarro & Hurtado	Mario Alejandro Flor, Roque Bustamante
	Lexvalor Abogados	Margoth Chiriboga, Daniela Irigoyen, Gabriela Guzmán
		EXCELLENT
	AVL Abogados	Rodrigo Borja, Jorge Alfonso Cevallos
	Corralrosales	Xavier Rosales
		HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
	Dentons Paz Horowitz	Rocío Cordóva, Gabriel Solis
	Heka Law Firm	Mauricio Subia, Andrés Terán, Santiago Albán

Noboa, Peña & Torres Abogados	Patricio Peña Romero, Francisco Larrea, Margarita Vélez
Pino Elizalde Abogados	Daniel Pino Arroba, Melissa Trujillo
Robalino	Martín Pallares, Carol Riofrío, Javier Robalino, Rafael Serrano Maldonado
	RECOMMENDED
Apolo Abogados	Rafael Balda Santisteban
CCB Abogados	Daniela Cevallos Casals
Coronel & Pérez Abogados	Octavio Rosselli
Gonzalo Córdova Abogados	Esteban Córdova, Patricio Maldonado
Profilegal Cia	Juan Carlos Peralvo
Spingarn	Diego Armas, Andrés Narvaez, Sebastián Saá

#### **LEXVALOR ABOGADOS:** SOPHISTICATED LEGAL ADVICE



Daniela Irigoyen

Key Figure(s): Daniela Iri-goyen, Margoth Chiriboga and Gabriela Guzmán Established: 2005

Track record: Lexvalor provides top-tier banking and finance services to its clients, including major banks and financial institutions. Its capital markets expertise covers bond issuances, securities registration, securitizations, and related matters. In the M&A sector, the firm has bolstered the reputation of its practice thanks to a strong track record in significant local and international transactions

Team & differentiation: The firm goes beyond offering legal solutions; it strives to create longterm, innovative, cost-effective and efficient business opportunities for clients. The firm's professionals are highly respected in the market for their professionalism and proactive approach. Its impressive track record in recent years has significantly enhanced its market standing.

#### **ROBALINO ABOGADOS:** LEGAL SERVICES OF THE HIGHEST QUALITY



Martín Pallares

Key Figure(s): Javier Robalino, Martín Pallares, Rafael Serrano and Carol Riofrío Established: 2015

Track record: The firm handles the full spectrum of corporate and commercial matters, with specialization in large and complex transactions, including cross-border mergers and acquisitions. This year in the real-estate sector, has provided counsel on new projects in the agriculture industry. Clients are drawn from a wide range of sectors, including retail, banking and finance, construction and energy.

Team & differentiation: Robalino is a trusted partner for leading national and multinational clients seeking high-quality legal services. Martín Pallares has been involved in some of the largest transactions in Ecuador over the past decade, while Carol Riofrío has successfully negotiated a host of collective bargaining agreements on behalf of major companies operating in the country.





# **CORPORATE TAX**

## **Best Law Firms**

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
	LEADING
erez Bustamante & Ponce (PBP)	Juan Francisco Carrasco, Maria Rosa Guerra, José Proaño, Juan Reyes, Carmen Simone
exvalor Abogados	Pablo Arias, Carlos Coronel, Paola Gachet
	EXCELLENT
Almeida Guzmán Asociados	Diego Almeida, Andres Alvarez
Andersen Tax & Legal	Mauricio Durango, Pablo Guevara, Mario Orellana
Bustamante Fabara	Juan Carlos Bustamante, Diego Pino Roditti, Sofía Gordillo Pérez
Ecija Gpa	Edgar Mendez, Paola Robalino, Santiago Vega
Corralrosales	Andrea Moya
Estudio Juridico Prado	Mario Prado
Spingarn	Diego Armas, Andrés Narvaez
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
Flor Bustamante Pizarro & Hurtado	José Cisneros, Juan Carlos Peñafiel
Noboa, Peña & Torres Abogados	Patricio Peña Romero, Verónica Zambrano
	RECOMMENDED
Apolo Abogados	Carlos Andres Arosemena
Dentons Paz Horowitz	Jorge Paz, Sara Romero
alconi Puig Abogados	Jorge David Uribe
Gallegos Valarezo & Neira	Edgar Neira
	érez Bustamante & Ponce (PBP)  exvalor Abogados  Imeida Guzmán Asociados  Indersen Tax & Legal  ustamante Fabara  cija Gpa  forralrosales  studio Juridico Prado  pingarn  lor Bustamante Pizarro & Hurtado  doboa, Peña & Torres Abogados  polo Abogados  pentons Paz Horowitz  alconi Puig Abogados

	Heka Law Firm	Jose Manuel Albornoz
	Izquierdo & Castro	Marjorie Castro, Denisse Izquierdo, Kléber Izquierdo
	Muñoz Guerra & Robles	Santiago Muñoz, Franklin Robles
	Pino Elizalde Abogados	Daniel Pino Arroba
	Sánchez, García Y Asociados S.A.	René Francisco Sánchez García
	Solines & Asociados	Yael Fierro, Nicole Saltos
2	CCB Abogados	Carlos Julio Balseca
	Census	John Arias Izquierdo
	PwC	César Ortiz, Elizabeth Grijava
	Robalino	Emilio Aguayo, Romina Sanchez, Gabriel Gallegos
	TLA Tax & Legal Advisors	Gustavo Ortega Illingworth
	Tobar Zvs	Iván García, Bernardo Tobar

### **LEXVALOR ABOGADOS:** PROFESSIONALISM AND ATTENTION TO DETAIL



Carlos Coronel

Key Figure(s): Carlos Coronel, Pablo Arias and Paola Gachet Established: 2005

**Track record:** Over the past 12 months Lexvalor has expanded its client portfolio, attracting a number of prominent national and multinational companies seeking tax advice in response to recent regulatory changes in Ecuador. The firm's team of lawyers showcase deep expertise and skill, representing major clients such as Seguros Equinoccial, Avianca, Gransolar S.A., DirecTV, Corporación Favorita, and Cervecería Nacional.

Team & differentiation: The corporate tax team has collaborated with the tax administration and supported the ministry of finance in the development of several tax regulations, highlighting its significant role in the Ecuadorian market. The tax practice was further strengthened this year with the addition of Paola Gachet, known for her involvement in complex matters requiring a high degree of sensitivity and attention to detail.

### **ALMEIDA GUZMÁN ASOCIADOS:** VISIONARY TAX EXPERTS



Diego Almeida Guzmán

Key Figure(s): Diego Almeida Guzmán and Andrés Alvarez Established: 1981

Track record: The firm provides a comprehensive range of legal, financial and accounting services, advising clients across various sectors, including construction, oil & gas, renewable energy and cosmetics, on insurance, tax planning and transfer pricing issues. Its expert corporate tax team is actively involved in tax litigation, boasting a high success rate by employing innovative and strategic arguments, with a view to always maximizing efficiency.

Team & differentiation: The firm specializes in complex tax matters, offering services that meet international standards through its team of multidisciplinary professionals. Andrés Alvarez, an expert in international financial reporting standards (IFRS), has played a key role as a tax advisor in the acquisition and merger processes of major companies.

# **BANKING & FINANCE**

### **Best Law Firms**

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
	LEADING
Estudio Echecopar - Member of Baker McKenzie International	Pablo Berckholtz, Marco Alarcón, Juan Carlos de los Heros, Alonso Miranda
Garrigues	Oscar Arrús, Sergio Amiel, Thomas Thorndike, José Francisco Meier, Diego Harman
Miranda & Amado	Juan Luis Avendaño, Rafael Corzo, José Miguel Puiggros, Gabriela Dañino, Enrique Felices
Payet, Rey, Cauvi, Pérez Abogados	José Antonio Payet, José Cúneo, Juan Antonio Egüez, Susan Castillo, Giovanna García
Rodrigo Elías & Medrano Abogados	Jean Paul Chabaneix, Fernando Molina, Luis Palacios, Nydia Guevara, Juan De Vinatea, Nicolás Cornejo
	EXCELLENT
DLA Piper Perú	Sergio Barboza, Ricardo Escobar, Reyna Silva, Juan Carlos Ramírez, Nelly Espinoza, Farah Torres
Hernández & Cia Abogados	José Manuel Abastos, Jose Goyburu, Juan Luis Hernandez, Brendan Oviedo
Philippi Prietocarrizosa Ferrero Du & Uría	Rafael Puiggros, Ronald Fernández Davila, Antonio Guarniz
Rebaza, Alcázar & De Las Casas	Alberto Rebaza, Rafael Alcázar, Daniel Gonzales, José Jiménez, Luis Miguel Elias
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
CMS Grau	Juan Carlos Escudero, Miguel Viale, Juan Jose Hopkins
Estudio Muñiz	Carlos Arata, Rocío Izquierdo, Guillermo Flores
Rubio Leguía Normand	Andrés Kuan-Veng
BBGS Saco-Vertiz & Landerer Abogados (Perú)	Carlos Saco-Vertiz, Eduardo Landerer, Maritza Guerrero
Benites Vargas & Ugaz Abogados	Jeanette Aliaga
Damma Legal Advisors	Álvaro Castro
Estudio Olaechea	Carlo Viacava, Jesus Matos
EY Law	María Sabogal, Mercedes Fernández
Lazo Abogados	Luis Marín, Jorge Lazo

RECOMMENDED		
Arbe Abogados Cesar Arbe		
CCO Investment & Legal Advisors Claudio Cruces, Álvaro Carrera, Luis Orrego		
Cuatrecasas	Aldo Reggiardo, Kiomi Osorio	
De Bracamonte Haaker Castellares	Christian Castellares, Ricardo Haaker	
Dentons	Julio Gallo, Ignacio López de Romaña	
Estudio Llona Bustamante Abogados	Juan Prado, Ursula Cortes	
GSA Legal	Luis Gastañeta, Alfonso Tola, Shirley Cardenas	
Vodanovic	danovic Ljubica Vodanovic, María del Carmen Yuta	

# **BANKING REGULATORY**

### **Best Law Firms**

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
	LEADING
Estudio Echecopar - Member of Baker McKenzie International	Pablo Berckholtz
Miranda & Amado	Rafael Corzo
Rebaza, Alcázar & De Las Casas	Rafael Alcazar
	EXCELLENT
DLA Piper Perú	Sergio Barboza, Ricardo Escobar, Nelly Espinoza, Farah Torres
Rodrigo, Elías & Medrano Abogados	Jean Paul Chabaneix, Nydia Guevara, Jorge Trelles, Paul Castritius, José Villafuerte, Carolina Chipollini
Vodanovic	Ljubica Vodanovic, María del Carmen Yuta
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
Damma Legal Advisors	Alvaro Castro, Gabriela Cuadros
Estudio Muñiz	Jorge Muñiz Ziches
Estudio Olaechea	Jesus Matos, Carlo Viacava
EY Law	Mercedes Fernández, María Sabogal
Lazo Abogados	Luis Marín, Jorge Lazo, Vanessa Lamac
Philippi Prietocarrizosa Ferrero Du & Uría	Antonio Guarniz



# **PROJECT FINANCE**

## **Best Law Firms**

In each tier, the firms are ordered alphabetically

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
	LEADING
Estudio Echecopar - Member of Baker McKenzie International	Juan Carlos de los Heros, Marco Alarcon
Garrigues	Óscar Arrús, Sergio Amiel, Thomas Thorndike, Diego Harman, José Francisco Meier, Víctor Baca
Rodrigo Elías & Medrano Abogados	Jean Paul Chabaneix, Fernando Molina, Juan Diego De Vinatea
Miranda & Amado	Luis Marcelo De-Bernardis, Alberto Delgado
	EXCELLENT
DLA Piper Perú	Sergio Barboza, Ricardo Escobar, Carlos Nuñez
Payet, Rey, Cauvi, Pérez Abogados Juan Antonio Egües,	Juan Antonio Egües, Giovanna Garcia
Estudio Muñiz	Juan Carlos Salinas, Magali Lazo, Carlos Arata
Hernández & Cia Abogados	José Manuel Abastos, Jose Goyburu, Juan Luis Hernández, Brendan Oviedo
Philippi, Prietocarrizosa Ferrero DU & Uria Ronald Fernández Dávila	
Rebaza, Alcázar & De Las Casas	Luis Miguel Elias, Alberto Rebaza
HIGHLY RECOMMENDED  CMS Grau  Juan Carlos Escudero, Miguel Viale	
Rubio Leguía Normand Andrés Kuan-Veng	

## **FINTECH**

### **Best Law Firms**

KEY FIGURE(S)
LEADING
Alvaro Castro
Ljubica Vodanovic, María del Carmen Yuta
Sergio Barboza, Farah Torres
EXCELLENT
Juan Luis Avendaño, Rafael Corzo, Gabriela Dañino, Eduardo Wiese
Nydia Guevara, Eduardo López, José Villafuerte, Jacques D'Auriol, Maria Meneses, Carolina Chipollini, Claudia Martínez
Rafael Alcázar, Alexandra Orbezo
Jose Miguel Porto
HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
Pablo Berckholtz
Juan Jose Hopkins, Carolina Gajate
Diego Carrión, Kiomi Osorio
María Sabogal, Mercedes Fernández
Luis Marín, Vanessa Lamac
Oscar Montezuma
José Cúneo, Susan Castillo

### Analysis

#### **DLA PIPER:** FIRM OF REFERENCE



Sergio Barboza

Key Figure(s): Sergio Barboza Barboza, Luis Vargas, Fernando Lanfranco, Janilú Badiola, Carlos Nuñez, Ricardo Escobar and Hernán Velarde Established: 2015

Track record: The firm provides counsel to both national and international companies on corporate and civil law matters related to their business activities. It boasts extensive experience in establishing investment funds, private equity and venture capital operations, as well as in designing and implementing best practices in corporate governance. The team has a deep understanding of financial transactions and banking regulations.

Team & differentiation: The firm's multidisciplinary team of seasoned partners skillfully manages all facets of corporate law. Sergio Barboza heads DLA Piper's Latin America financial services and financial technology team, in addition to leading the banking and finance practice in Peru. He represents commercial banks, investment banks, multilateral agencies, private equity funds and corporations in various domestic and international financing matters.

### DAMMA LEGAL ADVISORS: INNOVATIVE, COMPREHENSIVE SOLUTIONS



Álvaro Castro

Kev Figure(s): Álvaro Castro Established: 2019

Track record: Damma Legal Advisors' services encompass the creation of regulatory 'roadmaps' for innovative business models, ensuring data-privacy compliance, drafting corporate and transactional documents and managing licensing and registration procedures. It serves clients in sectors including banking and finance, fintech, capital markets, venture capital, and investment

Team & differentiation: The team of top-tier professionals is led by Álvaro Castro, a recognized Peruvian expert in financial and entrepreneurship law. He specializes in providing clients with optimal strategies to help their businesses thrive. The firm maintains strategic partnerships with US and Latin American law firms, enabling it to offer comprehensive solutions for a variety of transactions.

### **BBGS SACO-VÉRTIZ:** PRESENT ACROSS LATIN AMERICA



Carlos Saco-Vertiz

Key Figure(s): Carlos Saco-Vertiz, Eduardo Landerer, Gerardo Guzmán and Maritza Guerrero Established: 2012

Track record: The team has extensive experience in buying and selling companies, as well as the acquisition and disposal of assets. They offer guidance on due diligence, legal and tax planning for optimal transaction structures, investments and corporate agreements. The team has expertise in both national and international banking and finance operations, project financing and banking regulations.

Team & differentiation: BBGS Abogados is present in Chile, Colombia and Mexico, enabling it to operate as a pan-Latin American firm. Carlos Saco-Vertiz can draw on over 30 years' experience when providing legal counsel to companies, while Eduardo Landerer specializes in structuring, drafting and legally analyzing financing agreements, company reorganizations and corporate financing schemes, in addition to offering institutional advice.

#### RUBÍO, LEGUÍA & NORMAND ABOGADOS: **EXPERTISE IN TRANSACTION ADVISORY SERVICES**



Andrés Kuan-Veng

Key Figure(s): Andrés Established: 1980

Track record: The firm's M&A team consistently manages high-profile transactions, with a particular focus on the mining and energy sectors. They have successfully represented mining companies in a variety of diverse and intricate transactions that have been crucial to the growth and sustainability of their businesses. This expertise allows the team to navigate the complexities of these industries effectively, ensuring clients receive optimal outcomes.

Team & differentiation: Andrés Kuan-Veng is a partner in the finance and corporate practice, specializing in capital markets, sovereign debt, corporate law, derivatives, securities, banking law, and insurance and reinsurance. The team's transactional savoir-faire enables it to effectively assist clients in fostering the growth of their businesses.

#### - METHODOLOGY -

### The criteria are:

- Recognition & reputation of the firm in its market
- Team size at partner and senior associate level; seniority and track record of partners
- · Nature, quality and volume of matters handled by the firm
- · Prestige, diversity and internationalization of the firm's client base
- · Recent team expansions that have proved demonstrably successful

In the course of our research, we gather detailed information from diverse

Law firms: through questionnaires and interviews, our team gets first-hand information about a firm's history, positioning, expertise and recent activity.

Clients: we solicit the feedback of several thousand General Counsel, CFOs, Tax Managers and CEOs of domestic and multinational companies through anonymous questionnaires, meetings and phone interviews.

Qualified third-parties: we collect the opinion of professionals who are neither clients nor competitors, such as: investment bankers, accountants, arbitrators, expert

Peer-review: We ask lawyers for their feedback on their local market and who they recommend when facing a conflict of interest. We also collect their opinion on lawyers they have worked with in other jurisdictions.

### **REBAZA. ALCAZAR & DE LAS CASAS:** ENTREPRENEURIAL LANDSCAPE INNOVATORS



Alexandra Orbezo

Key Figure(s): Alexandra Established: 2004

Track record: The firm is a pioneer in Peruvian venture capital and corporate venturing, having launched its practice six years ago. With two decades' worth of experience to its name, the firm excels at supporting a broad spectrum of stakeholders within the venture capital ecosystem, including entrepreneurs and startups, angel investors, incubators, accelerators, investor networks and corporate investors. Notable clients include Facebook, Sumup and Betterfly.

Team & differentiation: The team consists of top-tier professionals with extensive transactional experience, impressive academic backgrounds, and an innovative approach that enables a thorough understanding of the entrepreneurial ecosystem. Led by Alexandra Orbezo, an expert in transactions involving Peruvian entrepreneurs, the team also represents angel investors, family offices, and venture capital investment funds.



# **VENTURE CAPITAL & STARTUPS**

## **Best Law Firms**

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)	
	LEADING	
Damma Legal Advisors	Álvaro Castro, Gabriela Cuadros	
Porto Legal	Jose Miguel Porto	
Rebaza, Alcázar & De Las Casas	Alexandra Orbezo	
EXCELLENT		
Estudio Muñiz	Itala Bertolotti	
LeiOS	Augusto Cáceres, Jose Delmar	
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED	
Legal Ventures	Alberto Arrieta	
Niubox	Oscar Montezuma	
Rodrigo Elías & Medrano Abogados Fernando Molina, Jean Paul Chabaneix		



## **RESTRUCTURING & INSOLVENCY**

#### **Best Law Firms**

In each tier, the firms are ordered alphabetically

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
	LEADING
1 Rebaza, Alcázar & De Las Casas	José Jiménez, Gonzalo De Las Casas, Daniel Gonzales, Marcia Arellano
2 CMS Grau	Michelle Barclay, Victor Farro
Rodrigo Elías & Medrano Abogados	Guillermo Puelles, Hugo Silva, Jorge Trelles, Gaspar Flores, Renzo Rossi, Sabrina Montoya, José Villafuerte, Jacques D'Auriol
Santiváñez Abogados	Fernando Martinot
	EXCELLENT
De Bracamonte Haaker Castellares	Gonzalo De Bracamonte
Estudio Muñiz	Anthony Lizárraga, Guido Muñiz
Miranda & Amado	Renzo Agurto, Rafael Corzo
Philippi, Prietocarrizosa Ferrero DU & Uria	Alfonso Pérez-Bonany
HIGHLY RECOMMENDED	
BBGS Saco-Vertiz & Landerer Abogados (Perú)  Eduardo Landerer, Carlos Saco-Vertiz, Victor Tapia	
Estudio Echecopar, Member of Baker McKenzie International	Pablo Berckholtz
RECOMMENDED	
DLA Piper	Fernando Lanfranco, Sergio Barboza, Ricardo Escobar
DPP Abogados	Francisco José Barrón
Estudio Olaechea	Martin Serkovic
Hernández & Cia Abogados	Jose Goyburu, Juan Luis Hernandez
Payet, Rey, Cauvi, Pérez Abogados	José Cúneo, Juan Jose Cauvi
Rubio Leguía Normand	Andrés Kuan-Veng

### **CMS GRAU: LEGAL ADVISORY LUMINARIES**

Track record: CMS Grau has extensive experi-

ence in M&A, debt refinancing, insolvency pro-

ceedings, and the preparation and negotiation of

reorganization plans. Its expertise also includes exit strategies, bankruptcy liquidations, out-of-

court reorganizations, cross-border insolvencies

and international bankruptcies. The firm provides

counsel to companies across multiple sectors,

including mining, textiles, retail, hydrocarbons

**Team & differentiation**: The team is involved

in some of Peru's most notable insolvency cases

and has worked alongside the Peruvian gov-

ernment to enhance the country's insolvency

system. Michelle Barclay specializes in local and

international restructuring and insolvency, cor-

porate bankruptcy and liquidation, buyouts and

receiverships, as well as international projects and

and construction.

arbitration.



Michelle Barclay

Key Figure(s): Juan Carlos Escudero, Michelle Barclay, Victor Farro, Diego Peschiera, Miguel Viale, Claudia Flecha, Cecilia Vargas, Rolando Cevasco, Carolina Gajate and Răul Ravina

Established: 1934

#### SANTIVAÑEZ ABOGADOS: **EXPERT SOLUTIONS**



Fernando Martinot

Key Figure(s): Fernando Established: 2015

Track record: The experienced insolvency team are adept at navigating all stages of the proceedings, from the initial insolvency application to negotiations with the creditors' committee. The Corporate/M&A department, meanwhile, possesses exhaustive knowledge of the regulations governing M&A transactions, corporate governance, corporate workouts and turnarounds. ensuring comprehensive support for our clients in these critical areas

Team & differentiation: The team has extensive experience in financial, corporate and general commercial matters. Fernando Martinot brings over twenty years of expertise in corporate law, mergers and acquisitions, contracts, foreign investment and bankruptcy. He has played a key role in numerous M&A processes, providing valuable insight into transaction structuring, legal due diligence, and contract negotiation.



# **CORPORATE TAX**

## **Best Law Firms**

FIRM KEY FIGURE(S)	
	LEADING
Rodrigo Elías & Medrano Abogados	Alex Córdova, Alex Morris, José Chiarella, Tulio Tartarini, Mariella de la Torre
Zuzunaga & Assereto Abogados	Fernando Zuzunaga, Juan José Assereto, Lorgio Moreno, Luciana Yanez, Socorro Nuñez, Tania Albarracín, Manuel Carrión
Philippi, Prietocarrizosa Ferrero DU & Uria	Walker Villanueva, Dante Sanguinetti, Milagros Pastor, Carlos Moreano
	EXCELLENT
Damma Legal Advisors	Walther Belaúnde, Iván Chu, Rocio Liu
Estudio Muñiz	Fernando Castro, Daniel Ono, Jorge Otoya, Luis Garcia, Frezzia Saavedra
EY Peru	David De La Torre, Humberto Astete, Fernando Tori, Alvaro Arbulu, Manuel Rivera, Edwin Sarmiento
Hernández & Cia Abogados	Milagros Bustillos, Luis Hernandez, Leonardo Lopez
Rebaza, Alcázar & De Las Casas	Camilo Maruy, Cesar Luna Victoria, Victor Valdez, Roberto Polo
Rubio Leguía Normand	Jorge Dávila
CMS Grau	Rolando Cevasco, Yessica Manzur, Cesar Davila
Estudio Echecopar - Member of Baker McKenzie International	Rolando Ramirez-Gaston
Gálvez Risso Zegarra & Asociados	Karen Alegria, Christian Caceres, Ramon Galvez, Carolina Risso, Carlos Zegarra
Miguel Mur Abogados	Miguel Mur
Miranda & Amado	Pablo Sotomayor
Payet, Rey, Cauvi, Pérez Abogados	Vanessa Watanabe
PwC Peru	Arturo Tuesta, Gino Menchola, Orlando Marchesi, Miguel Puga, Daniela Comitre, Sergio Vega
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
Cuatrecasas	Juan Pablo Porto
DLA Piper Perú	Erik Lind
Garrigues	Javier De la Vega
Payet, Rey, Cauvi, Pérez Abogados	Vanessa Watanabe
BZ Estudio Tax & Legal	Patricia Pretel, David Zamora

Deloitte Peru	Gustavo Lopez-Ameri	
Gálvez & Dolorier Abogados	José Gálvez, Martín Mantilla, Silvia Muñoz	
Picón & Asociados	Jorge Bravo, Jorge Luis Picón, Oscar Omar Picon	
	RECOMMENDED	
Amprimo, Flury, Barboza & Rodríguez Abogados	Eduardo Joo	
BDO Perú	Julio Pino, Pilar Rojo	
Benites Vargas & Ugaz Abogados	Eduardo Rojas	
CPB Abogados	German Carrera Rey, Cecilia Muñoz	
DS Casahierro Abogados	Percy Castle, Augusto Millones	
Estudio Olaechea	Michael Morales	
Grant Thornton	Juan Carlos Basurco	
GSA Legal	Alfredo Gastañeta, Jose Ruiz	
KPMG en Perú	Roberto Casanova-Regis, Beatriz De La Vega, María Julia Saenz	
Osterling Firm	José Del Castillo	
Salazar & Zuñiga Abogados	Rafael Salazar, Mariel Meza, Laura Pichihua	
Tres R Tax	Rossana Rodríguez, Poul Ponce	
Vega & Abogados	Jaime Escribens	
	VALUABLE PRACTICE	
Arbe Abogados	Alejandra Pinao	
BBGS Saco-Vertiz & Landerer Abogados (Perú)	Jaime Sabat	
Dentons	Gustavo Lazo	
EBS Abogados	David Bravo Sheen	
Gomez & Yagi Asociados	Luis Gonzalez, Miguel Yagi	
Miró Quesada & Miranda	Gustavo Miró Quesada, Rodolfo Miranda	
Santiváñez Abogados	dos Milagros Fernandez, Luisa Peralta, Roberto Santivañez	
Torres y Torres Lara Abogados Indira Navarro		
Vargas Pareja Abogados & Consultores Anahi Ramirez, Alberto Vargas Pareja		
Zegarra LLC Abogados Juan Carlos Zegarra, Evelyn Yauri, Catharina Jetzinger, Arturo Patrón		



### Analysis

#### REBAZA, ALCAZAR & DE LAS CASAS: DYNAMIC TEAM WITH INNOVATIVE SOLUTIONS



Camilo Maruy

Key Figure(s): Camilo Maruy Established: 2004

Track record: The firm is recognized for offering premium advisory services on tax issues related to M&A, finance, capital markets, retail, telecoms, infrastructure, real estate, energy and the public sector. Its expertise extends to designing and establishing investment structures as well as safeguarding individual or family wealth, ensuring each client's specific objectives are met.

Team & differentiation: The team is defined by its interdisciplinary approach, business focus, creativity and a capacity to deliver solutions and high-quality service to both local and international companies and individuals. Camilo Maruy specializes in investment taxation, M&A tax planning, financing, capital markets and cross-border transactions. He has significant experience in crafting effective legal strategies for high-networth families and individuals.

#### **CPB ABOGADOS: EFFICIENT REPRESENTATION IN TAX MATTERS**



German Carrera

Key Figure(s): Cecilia Muñoz and German Carrera Established: 1999

Track record: The firm has more than 20 years' experience in the tax area. It has particular expertise in complex corporate transactions, due diligence processes, tax planning and structuring, audits, contentious and non-contentious proceedings before the tax administration and risk management. The firm has been involved in largescale local and cross-border transactions.

Team & differentiation: CPB Abogados' professionals are characterized by offering high quality services according to the particularities that sectors such as services, consulting, real estate, transportation and logistics require. The extensive experience of German Carrera and Cecilia Muñoz makes it possible to build solid relationships with clients, becoming their strategic partner.

### GÁLVEZ RISSO ZEGARRA & ASOCIADOS: TAX AND CORPORATE SERVICES SPECIALISTS



Ramón Gálvez

Key Figure(s): Ramón Gálvez, Carolina Risso, Carlos Zegarra, Christian Cáceres and Karen Alegria Established: 2015

Track record: The firm focuses on delivering tax, corporate and international trade advisory services to major local companies and affluent family businesses. Its tax team specializes in transfer pricing and customs tax advisory. The team caters to a diverse array of clients across various sectors, including aeronautics, insurance, food and beverage and telecoms.

Team & differentiation: The tax team is a winning blend of skilled lawyers and diligent accountants. Founding partner Ramón Gálvez Márquez had a successful 17-year span as a partner at KPMG and Deloitte in Peru, and also boasts experience as an in-house lawyer and associate at one of the leading local firms. He specializes in tax and corporate advisory, serving national and international companies alike.

### **GALVEZ & DOLORIER ABOGADOS:** PREMIER TEAM OF TAX ADVISORS AND LITIGATORS



José Gálvez

Key Figure(s): José Gálvez, Silvia Muñoz, Martin Mantilla and Javier Dolorier Established: 2005

Track record: The firm is known for delivering effective strategies to address audits by tax authorities, navigating complex litigation, and providing consulting services in corporate taxation, financial markets, economic groups and technology-related matters. It also offers guidance on tax and estate planning, as well as tax compliance. Notable clients include Telefónica, Belcorp and Los Portales.

Team & differentiation: With partners boasting distinct and complementary backgrounds, including in the national tax administration and with full-service firms, and associates trained in-house or recruited from top tax and auditing organizations, the firm enjoys a strong competitive advantage. José Gálvez possesses extensive expertise in tax planning and corporate restructuring, and is also a skilled litigator.

### **EBS ABOGADOS:** COMPREHENSIVE BUSINESS ADVISORY



David Bravo Sheen

Key Figure(s): David Bravo Established: 2005

Track record: The firm offers tailored corporate. contractual, administrative, tax and labor advice designed to support clients' business decisions. It places particular emphasis on consulting, assistance during tax and labor audits, both contentious and non-contentious processes in tax matters and regular reviews of compliance with tax, labor and corporate obligations. Notable clients include Unique, Auna and Falabella.

Team & differentiation: The firm houses a multidisciplinary team of experts with a strong track record advising on tax, labor and corporate issues. David Bravo specializes in tax matters and previously served as a tax advisor for the Gloria Group, managed the tax and legal division at Deloitte, led the tax & legal division at Estudio Caballero Bustamante and was responsible for the legal-tax division at LGS Consultores S.A.

# METHODOLOGY =

### The criteria are:

- Recognition & reputation of the firm in its market
- Team size at partner and senior associate level; seniority and track record of partners
- Nature, quality and volume of matters handled by the firm
- · Prestige, diversity and internationalization of the firm's client base
- · Recent team expansions that have proved demonstrably successful

In the course of our research, we gather detailed information from diverse

Law firms: through questionnaires and interviews, our team gets first-hand information about a firm's history, positioning, expertise and recent activity.

Clients: we solicit the feedback of several thousand General Counsel, CFOs, Tax Managers and CEOs of domestic and multinational companies through anonymous questionnaires, meetings and phone interviews.

Qualified third-parties: we collect the opinion of professionals who are neither clients nor competitors, such as: investment bankers, accountants, arbitrators, expert

Peer-review: We ask lawyers for their feedback on their local market and who they recommend when facing a conflict of interest. We also collect their opinion on lawyers they have worked with in other jurisdictions.

# TAX LITIGATION

## **Best Law Firms**

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# **WEALTH MANAGEMENT**

## **Best Law Firms**

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)	
	LEADING	
Damma Legal Advisors	Iván Chu, Rocío Liu	
DLA Piper Perú	Fernando Lanfranco, Erik Lind	
EY Peru	Roberto Cores, Nora Orihuela	
Hernández & Cia Abogados	Fernando Nuñez	
Miranda & Amado	Claudia Lucena, Pablo Sotomayor	
Rebaza, Alcázar & De Las Casas	Alberto Rebaza, Camilo Maruy, Victor Valdez, Cesar Luna Victoria	
Rodrigo, Elías & Medrano Abogados	Alex Morris, José Chiarella	
	EXCELLENT	
CMS Grau	Juan Carlos Escudero, Rolando Cevasco	
CPB Abogados	German Carrera, Xenia Vizcarra de Schäffler, Juliana Llosa	
Estudio Muñiz	Fernando Castro Khan, Mauricio Olaya Nohra	
Philippi, Prietocarrizosa Ferrero DU & Uría	Dante Sanguinetti, Walker Villanueva, Milagros Pastor, Leysser León	
PwC Peru	Arturo Tuesta, Gonzalo Escalante	
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED	
Estudio Echecopar - Member of Baker McKenzie International	Rolando Ramirez-Gaston	
DS Casahierro Abogados	Percy Castle, Augusto Millones	
Gálvez Risso Zegarra & Asociados	Karen Alegria, Ramón Gálvez, Carolina Risso, Carlos Zegarra	
GSA Legal	Alfredo Gastañeta, Jose Ruiz	
Osterling Abogados José Del Castillo		
Payet, Rey, Cauvi, Pérez Abogados Vanessa Watanabe		
Tres R Tax	Rossana Rodríguez, Poul Ponce	

## **WEALTH MANAGEMENT**

## **Best Consulting Firms**

In each tier, the firms are ordered alphabetically

FIRM KEY FIGURE(S)		KEY FIGURE(S)
		LEADING
	Allié Family Office	Francisco Astorne, Andrés Bayly, Daniel Bejarano, Fernando Chirinos, Federico Cúneo, Bruno Ghio, José Larrabure
	Creuza Advisors	Iván Carrillo, Marco Moreno
	IAM Advisors	Gonzalo Cortés, Jerry Feldman Diamantstein
	LXG Multi Family Office	Felix Segura
		EXCELLENT
1	Vicctus Multi Family Office	Roberto Melzi, Catalina Montt
2	Faro Capital	Javier Maggiolo, Alfredo Sillau
	Gamnic	Ignacio Aguirre, Nicolas Dañino, Mario Ubillús
	Numa Family Office	Rafael Zamora
	Three Sixty Asset Management	Frank Pait, Luigi Piedra
		HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
	Liomsa Advisers	Patrik Hayoz
	Macrowealth Management	Marcos Ruiz
	Misti Capital	Mariano Baca
	One Family Office	Raul Del Solar Berckemeyer

#### IAM ADVISORS: SAFEGUARDING CLIENTS' FINANCIAL FUTURE



Gonzalo Cortés

**Key Figure(s):** Gonzalo Cortés and Jerry Feldman Established: 2014

Track record: IAM Advisors is a multi-family office advising high-net-worth families. The firm carefully selects optimal financial and non-financial assets, implements tax-efficient planning, manages custodial relationships and stays informed about regulatory changes that may affect the status and value of clients' assets. Additionally, IAM Advisors offers expert accounting services.

Team & differentiation: The firm provides comprehensive, 360° advisory services which take every detail into account in order to ensure optimal outcomes and consolidate clients' investments. Gonzalo Cortés comes with over 25 years' experience in the financial sector, specializing in private banking, corporate banking and investment banking.

#### **ALLIÉ FAMILY OFFICE:** TAILOR-MADE WEALTH MANAGEMENT SERVICES



Bruno Ghio

Key Figure(s): Bruno Ghio and Fernando Chirinos Established: 2019

Track record: The firm comprises independent professionals with extensive experience in wealth management, dedicated to safeguarding clients' interests. They offer expert guidance on succession and family wealth matters, along with comprehensive tax advice, all within a framework of complete trust and personalized service.

Team & differentiation: The team consists of seven senior professionals. Bruno Ghio is a benchmark in the asset and wealth management industry, having previously served as the executive director of private banking at J.P. Morgan in New York. Fernando Chirinos boasts over 20 years' wealth-management experience and is a founding partner of Pro Wealth Asesoría Financiera.



# TRANSFER PRICING

## **Best Consulting Firms**

F	IRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
		LEADING
1 +	Value	Tania Quispe, Martín Ramos
E	Y Peru	Marcial García, Ricardo Leiva, José Quiroz, Dionis Arvanitakis, Julio Gamero, Cecilia Pérez, Gustavo Lora, Elida Tinoco
<b>2</b> D	Deloitte Peru	Gloria Guevara
P	wC Peru	Miguel Puga
		EXCELLENT
1 B	aker Tilly Peru	Julio Cisneros
G	Grant Thornton	Juan Carlos Basurco, Kempes Choque, Walter Ruiz, Rocío Velasquez
K	CPMG en Perú	Juan Carlos Vidal, Frida Llanos, Flavia Salinas, Cesar Corrales, Vanya Gamarra
Т	GS Sarrio & Asociados	José Luis Sarrio, Andrés Ropert, Hernán Vásquez, Waldir Jacay
Т	P Consulting	Enrique Díaz, Ronald Huambo, Mónica Lovera, Ianfranco Ticona
Т	PC Group - Collaborating Firm of Andersen Global	Carlos Vargas Alencastre, Carlos Vargas Arango, Abigail Alayo, Luis Tuesta, Luis Castillo
2 B	ase Firma	Bruno Rojas
В	BDO Perú	Pablo Llamoca
N	Javigo Peru	Gustavo Macedo
		HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
Н	lernández & Ugarelli Abogados & Consultores	Elizabeth Ugarelli, María Soledad Ugarelli, Cecilia Hernández
M	Aarket Facilitators	Luis Ugarelli
M	Aarket Value Consulting	Luis Vicente Calle
P	KF Vila Naranjo	Renato Vila, Emilio Vila Naranjo, Waldo Lucho, Esteban Hilgert
R	SM Peru (Panez, Chacaliaza & Asoc.)	Dennis Molina, Marisa Panez
Т	PA Advisors	Jorge Andrade, Joseph Duymovich

### Analysis

### TP CONSULTING PERÚ: TRANSFER PRICING MASTERS



Enrique Diaz Tong

Key Figure(s): Enrique Diaz Tong, Ronald Huambo, Ianfranco Ticona and Monica Lovera Established: 2015

Track record: TP Consulting has advised more than 3,000 companies over the past decade on the preparation of transfer pricing studies at international level. It has participated in important audits as well as in the adaptation of multinationals' strategies in light of recent BEPS guidelines. During the past year, the company participated in market-value assessments for a number of major

Team & differentiation: TP Consulting's quality is not only recognized locally but also in the international market. It has a network of 15 offices across South and Central America, staffed by firstclass technical teams. Enrique Diaz Tong heads the practice and has had several works on transfer pricing published.

#### **+VALUE: DIFFERENCE-MAKING ADVISORS**



Tania Quispe

Key Figure(s): Tania Quispe Established: 2017

Track record: +Value specializes in taxation and transfer pricing. The firm's in-depth understanding of the public sector equips it to effectively manage auditing processes and adopt a rigorous approach to deal planning, risk management and tax strategies. Its global perspective enhances risk management and facilitates the development of comprehensive strategies.

Team & differentiation: The +Value team comprises economists, accountants and lawyers. The firm is distinguished by an ability to deliver comprehensive services informed by a thorough analysis of the needs of each client. Notably, it is the only Peruvian firm with two former superintendents on its staff, enabling it to provide exceptional legal advice to public sector clients.

### TPC GROUP: COMMITTED TO EXCELLENCE IN TRANSFER PRICING



Carlos Vargas Alencastre

Key Figure(s): Carlos Vargas Alencastre, Carlos Vargas Track record: Operating in 20 countries world-Alencastre, Carlos Vargas Arango, Abigail Alayo, Luis Tuesta and Luis Castillo wide, TPC Group specializes in transfer pricing as well as the valuation of companies and intangi-Established: 2011 bles. The firm offers a range of services, including country-by-country reports, business valuations, market research, tax and corporate planning, and international taxation advice. It is highly regarded for the quality of its defense strategies for clients

undergoing tax audits.

Team & differentiation: The firm boasts a team of 20 specialists, including economists, lawyers, accountants and financial managers. Its multidisciplinary transfer-pricing experts possess the necessary experience to execute projects that require meticulous attention to detail and strict adherence to deadlines. TPC Group has invested in advanced technological and statistical tools, enabling its team to provide the highest quality service.

#### **METHODOLOGY**



#### The criteria are:

- Recognition & reputation of the firm in its market
- Team size at partner and senior associate level; seniority and track record of
- Nature, quality and volume of matters handled by the firm
- Prestige, diversity and internationalization of the firm's client base
- · Recent team expansions that have proved demonstrably successful

In the course of our research, we gather detailed information from diverse

Law firms: through questionnaires and interviews, our team gets first-hand information about a firm's history, positioning, expertise and recent activity

Clients: we solicit the feedback of several thousand General Counsel, CFOs, Tax Managers and CEOs of domestic and multinational companies through anonymous questionnaires, meetings and phone interviews

Qualified third-parties: we collect the opinion of professionals who are neither clients nor competitors, such as: investment bankers, accountants, arbitrators, expert witnesses

Peer-review: We ask lawyers for their feedback on their local market and who they recommend when facing a conflict of interest. We also collect their opinion on lawyers they have worked with in other jurisdictions



## **CORPORATE TAX**

#### **Best Law Firms**

In each tier, the firms are ordered alphabetically

	FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)	
		LEADING	
1	Ferrere	Gianni Gutierrez, Geraldine Ifran, Isabel Laventure	
	Guyer & Regules	Juan Manuel Albacete, Marcelo Marchetti, Nicolas Piaggio	
2	Bergstein Abogados	Jonás Bergstein, Domingo Pereira, Guzmán Ramírez	
EXCELLENT			
	Arcia Storace Fuentes Medina Abogados	Sebastián Arcia	
	Brum Costa Abogados	Leonardo Costa Franco, María Paula Garat	
	Hughes & Hughes	Miguel Rocca	
	KPMG	Luis Alberto Aisenberg Olivera	
	Posadas	Daniel González, Matias Rachetti, Raúl Vairo	
	PwC Uruguay	Mario Ferrari	
		HIGHLY RECOMMENDED	
	Blanco & Etcheverry	Agustin Etcheverry	
	Bragard	Agustina Bomio, Cynthia Carballo	
	Castellán Abogados	Lucia Acosta, Lorena Castellán, Santiago Castellán	
	Dentons Jiménez De Aréchaga	Martin Montoro, Hector Viana	
	Hessdörfer Tax & Corporate	Andrés Hessdörfer	
	Innovation Legal Tax & Tech	Ines Canepa, Santiago Giallorenzo, Santiago Gortari Scheck, Juan Ignacio Fraschini	
	RECOMMENDED		
	FBM Advisory	Fabian Birnbaum	
	Rica Consultores	Ricardo Dominguez	
	Rueda Abadi Pereira	Félix Abadi, Daniel Rueda	

### INNOVATION LEGAL TAX & TECH: TAILORED, CLIENT-CENTRIC STRATEGIES



Key Figure(s): Juan Ignacio Fraschini Established: 2009

Track record: The firm offers specialist services in transfer pricing, accounting and tax compliance, asset management and trust formation. Its main clients are corporations, family offices and highnet-worth individuals located in the US, South America and Europe, including SouthGenetics, Data 4 Sales, Steriale, Order Eat, Line Up Surf, Grupo Gala and Prometeo.

Team & differentiation: The team is well-versed in corporate, international tax planning and wealth management matters. Juan Ignacio Fraschini, has participated in advisory bodies whose decisions have far-reaching implications and handled corporate tax planning matters for major clients. Santiago Gortari has rendered M&A services across Latin America and Europe in recent years.

# **BANKING & FINANCE**

### **Best Law Firms**

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	LEADING
Ferrere	Geraldine Ifran, Federico Lemos, Diego Rodriguez
Guyer & Regules	Nicolas Herrera, Juan Manuel Mercant, Nicolas Piaggio, Alvaro Tarabal
Dentons Jiménez De Aréchaga	Nicolás Herrera Alonso, Fernando Jiménez de Aréchaga, Mariela Ruanova
Posadas	Andres Aznarez, Victoria Garabato, Tomás Gurméndez
	EXCELLENT
Bragard	Agustina Bomio, Jean Jacques Bragard
Brum Costa Abogados	Juan Diana, Leonardo Costa Franco, Sofia Milsev
Hughes & Hughes	Juan Carlos Oreggia Carrau, Mariana Estrade, Hector Ferreira
Olivera Abogados	Juan Mailhos Gallo, Ricardo Olivera García
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
Bergstein Abogados	Guillermo Duarte
Blanco & Etcheverry	Juan Carlos Blanco, Martin Colombo
Foderé Abogados	Alberto J. Foderé

# **AUDITING**

### **Best Consulting Firms**

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
	LEADING
Deloitte	Fernando Oliva
PwC Uruguay	Omar Cabral, Richard Moreira
	EXCELLENT
BDO Uruguay	Ernesto Bartesaghi
EY Auditores	Alejandro Barboni
Global Uruguay Auditores Asociados	Ximena Furtado
KPMG	Rodrigo Ribeiro
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
Baker Tilly Uruguay	Maria Estefania Acosta
Crowe	Stavros Moyal
CPA Ferrere	Javier Metre, Felipe Quiró
Grant Thornton	Rafael Sánchez
Mazars Uruguay	Luis Martínez
PKF	Federico Carrau, Pedro Vecino
RMS Uruguay	Jorge Gutfraind
	RECOMMENDED
Andersen Tax & Legal Uruguay	Juan Ignacio Troccoli, Ana Cecilia Rego, Maria Cecilia Ricciardi
Ecovis	Marcelo Caiafa
Nopitsch & Asociados	Javier Saravia
UHY Gubba & Asociados	Hugo Gubba



# **VENTURE CAPITAL**

### Best Venture Capital Firms

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
	LEADING
360° Capital Partners	Fausto Boni, Emmanuele Levi, François Tison
Balderton Capital	Bernard Liautaud, Daniel Waterhouse
Felix Capital	Frederic Court
Global Founders Capital	Roel Janssen
High-Tech Gründerfonds	Alex von Frankenberg
Sequoia Capital	Luciana Lixandru
Serena Capital	Marc Fournier, Philippe Hayat, Xavier Lorphelin
	EXCELLENT
Accel	Philippe Botteri, Kevin Comolli, Sonali De Rycker
BlueYard Capital	Chad Fowler, Ciarán O'Leary, Jason Whitmire
Daphni	Pierre-Eric Leibovici, Pierre-Yves Meerschman
Down Capital	Josh Bell, Norman Fiore, Haakon Overli, Evgenia Plotnikova
Earlybird Venture Capital	Hendrik Brandis, Christian Nagel
Molten Ventures	Stuart Chapman
Northzone Ventures	Bjørn Stray
Par Equity	Paul Atkinson
Partech Partners	Omri Benayoun, Philippe Collombel, Romain Lavault
Seedcamp	Reshma Sohoni
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
83North	Laurel Bowden, Arnon Dinur, Gil Goren, Yoram Snir
Atomico	Niklas Zennström
Backed	Alex Brunicki, Andre De Haes, Tom Hopkins
Cap Horn Invest	Guillaume Dupont
Creandum	Johan Brenner, Fredrik Cassel, Staffan Helgesson
EQT Ventures	Ashley Lundström, Carl Svantesson
Generation Investment Management	Colin le Duc
Hoxton Ventures	Bryan Gartner, Hussein Kanji, Charles Seely
Index Ventures	Jan Hammer, Dominique Vidal
NATO Innovation Fund	Patrick Schneider-Sikorsky, Chris O'Connor, Thorsten Claus, Kelly Chen, Andrea Traversone
Octopus Investments	Ian Perry
Point Nine Capital	Pawel Chuddzinski, Louis Coppey, Christoph Janz, Ricardo Sequerra Amram
Speedinvest	Oliver Holle
Ventech	Nicolas Barthalon, Jean Bourcereau, Alain Caffi, Christian Claussen, Claire Houry
Eurazeo	RECOMMENDED  William Kadouch-Chassaing, Christophe Bavière
Hedosophia	Ian Osborne
Hitachi Ventures	Stefan Gabriel
HV Capital	Rainer Märkle, David Kuczek
Notion Capital	Stephen Chandler
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# **CORPORATE TAX**

### **Best Law Firms**

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Binder Groesswang	Christian Wimpissinger
Freshfields Bruckhaus Deringer	Claus Staringer
	EXCELLENT
BVP Hügel	Gerald Schachner
Cerha Hempel	Benjamin Twardosz
Wolf Theiss	Niklas Schmidt, Eva Stadler
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
Aigner Buzanich	Hans-Jörgen Aigner
Althuber Spornberger	Franz Althuber
Dorda	Paul Doralt
	RECOMMENDED
1 DLA Piper Weiss-Tessbach	Dimitar Hristov
Schindler Attorneys	Clemens Philipp Schindler
Schoenherr	Roman Perner
2 Arnold	Nikolaus Arnold
Baker McKenzie	Philipp Stanek*
CMS Reich-Rohrwig Hainz	Sibylle Novak
Glaeser	Lars Gläser
Kindl	Caroline Toifl
Taylor Wessing	Michaela Petritz-Klar
*Councel	

<sup>\*</sup>Counsel

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# **BANKING & FINANCE**

### **Best Law Firms**

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
	LEADING
Binder Groesswang	Gottfried Gassner, Stephan Heckenthaler, Stefan Tiefenthaler
Freshfields Bruckhaus Deringer	Florian Klimscha
Schoenherr	Martin Ebner, Peter Feyl, Miriam Simsa
Wolf Theiss	Andrea Gritsch, Markus Heidinger, Andreas Schmid, Claus Schneider, Richard Wolf
	EXCELLENT
Cerha Hempel	Volker Glas
CMS Reich-Rohrwig Hainz	Günther Hanslik, Stefan Paulmayer
Dorda	Tibor Varga, Andreas Zahradnick
E+H	Marcus Benes, Peter Winkler
FWP	Markus Fellner, Gregor Schett
Völkl	Clemens Völkl
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
Baker McKenzie	Georg Diwok
BVP Huegel	Christoph Nauer
DSC	Markus Kellner
Greenlake Legal	Erik Hoedl, Michael Raninger
Herbst Kinsky	Christoph Herbst
	RECOMMENDED
DLA Piper Weiss-Tessbach	Claudine Vartian
Graf Patsch Taucher	Bernd Taucher





Haslinger / Nagele	Johanna Fischer, Dietmar Lux
Hausmaninger Kletter	Manfred Ketzer
Jank Weiler Operenyi I Deloitte Legal	Andreas Jank
KPMG Law	Stefan Arnold, Dieter Buchberger
RK partners	Lukas Röper
Saxinger	Clemens Harsch
2 Akela	Michael Kollik, Martin Pichler
Brandl Talos	Raphael Toman
EY Law	Mario Gall
PFR	Bernd Fletzberger
PwC Legal	Irene Beck
Rautner	Uwe Rautner
Schindler Attorneys	Martin Abram, Florian Cvak, Clemens Schindler
Stadler Völkel	Oliver Võlkel
Taylor Wessing	Claudia Steegmüller
Weber & Co.	Stefan Weber

### **VÖLKL: CUTTING-EDGE SOLUTIONS IN BANKING, FINANCE AND REGULATION**



Dr. Clemens Völkl

Key Figure(s): Dr. Clemens Võlkl Established: 2010 Track record: In the past 12 months, Võlkl Rechtsan-wälte has been retained to advise numerous small, medium-sized and larger international banks on cross-border transactions between banks and financial service providers in the DACH region. Dr. Clemens Võlkl advises Austrian energy companies on multi-billion financing projects, international insurers on Austrian market entry and financial institutions on outsourcing projects.

**Team & differentiation:** A member of the IR Global and Global Insurance Law Connect networks of firms, Völkl is a Vienna-based boutique with three partners, two senior lawyers and four junior lawyers which focuses on the insurance and banking sector. Dr. Clemens Völkl was one of the first lawyers in Austria to specialize in banking and investment litigation and is known for his robust strategic advice on the Austrian banking and insurance sector.

# **RESTRUCTURING & INSOLVENCY**

### **Best Law Firms**

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
	LEADING
FWP	Markus Fellner, Florian Kranebitter
Schoenherr	Martin Ebner, Miriam Simsa
	EXCELLENT
Binder Grösswang	Gottfried Gassner
Dorda	Felix Hörlsberger
Freshfields Bruckhaus Deringer	Florian Klimscha
Wolf Theiss	Nikolaus Paul, Andreas Schmid, Eva Spiegel
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
Е+Н	Marcus Benes
Graf Isola	Alexander Isola, Stefan Weileder
Jaufer	Clemens Jaufer, Mario Leistentritt
Scherbaum Seebacher	Norbert Scherbaum
	RECOMMENDED
Aschmann & Pfandl	Christian Pfandl
Beurle	Rudolf Mitterlehner
CMS Reich-Rohrwig Hainz	Günther Hanslik
DLA Piper Weiss-Tessbach	Oskar Winkler
Jank Weiler Operenyi I Deloitte Legal	Andreas Jank
Kaan Cronenberg	Philipp Casper, Georg Wielinger
Saxinger	Ernst Chalupsky, Sebastian Hütter, Nina Pichler
SPP	Matthias Schmidt
Taylor Wessing	Susanne Fruhstorfer



# M&A

### Best Investment Banks

BANK	KEY FIGURE(S)
	LEADING
JP Morgan	Tanguy Piret
Lazard	Wouter Gabriëls
Rothschild & Co	Jean-Francois Limpens, Yves Vervaet
	EXCELLENT
Belfius Bank	Philippe Mercelis
BNP Paribas Fortis	Gabriel Englebert
Degroof Petercam	Pieter-Jan Van de Walle, François Wohrer
Lincoln International	Maxime Boudewyns, Siebrecht Declerck
Morgan Stanley	Harold Joanknecht
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
ABN Amro	Solange Rouschop
Alantra	Wim Goossens
Banque Transatlantique Belgium	Michel de Villenfagne
Ing Belgium	Michael Van Eenoo, Philippe Wallez
KBC Securities	Régine Debeuckelaere, Fréderic Vandepitte
Puilaetco Dewaay	Ludivine Pilate

# **BANKING & FINANCE**

### **Best Law Firms**

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
	LEADING
A&O Shearman	Sylvia Kierszenbaum, Filip Tanghe, Yves Van Pul
Baker McKenzie	Michael Van Acker
Linklaters	David Ballegeer, Etienne Dessy, Filip Lecoutre, Charles-Antoine Leunen
Loyens & Loeff	Vanessa Marquette, Koen Panis, Marc Vermylen
	EXCELLENT
Clifford Chance	Lounia Czupper
White & Case	Thierry Bosly, Hadrien Servais, Willem Van de Wiele
Cleary Gottlieb Steen & Hamilton	Laurent Legein, Jan Meyers, Laurent Ruzette
NautaDutilh	Anne Fontaine, Thibaut Willems
Stibbe	Marc Fyon, Wouter Ghijsels
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
Altius	Jérôme Vermeylen
Andersen in Belgium	Leo Peeters, Toon Rummens
Ashurst	Arnaud Wtterwulghe
Bird & Bird	Paul Hermant
CMS	Arnaud Van Oekel, Benoît Vandervelde
DLA Piper	Pierre Berger, Orestis Omran
Eubelius	Ignace Claeys
Fieldfisher	Sofie Heremans
Freshfields Bruckhaus Deringer	Deborah Janssens, Vincent Macq
Hogan Lovells	Ivan Peeters, Philip Van Steenwinkel
Jones Day	Ferdinand Brughmans
KPMG Law	Isabelle Blomme
Liedekerke	Freya Mareels, Tom Van Dyck
Lydian	Tom Geudens
Simont Braun	Joan Carette, Philippe De Prez
Strelia	Frédéric Heremans
Van Cutsem Wittamer Marnef	Frédéric De Ridder, Ariane Destrycker, Patrick Marnef, Hans Van der Mullen
	RECOMMENDED
Astrea	Dieter Veestraeten
Harvest	Guillaume Beauthier, Adrien Lanotte
Janson	Dominique Blommaert, France Wilmet
Monard Law	Jeroen Raskin, Stefaan Van Dyck
Quinz	Benoit Allemeersch
Ambos	Jens Van Hecke
Argo	Pieter Bogaerts, Nico Goossens
Deloitte Legal	Benoît Feron
Dentons	Nora Wouters
Faber Inter Legal	Jean-François Michel
LIME	Julie-Anne Delcorde, Thierry Tilquin
Philippe & Partners	Denis Philippe
Rooryck & Co	Peter Rooryck



# **CAPITAL MARKETS**

### **Best Law Firms**

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# **RESTRUCTURING & INSOLVENCY**

### **Best Law Firms**

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
	LEADING
DBB	Yves Brulard
DLA Piper	Joris De Vos, Charles-Albert Dumont de Chassart, Ilse Van de Mierop
Janson	Cédric Alter
NautaDutilh	Stan Brijs, Sophie Jacmain
Strelia	Bart De Moor
White & Case	Thierry Bosly
	EXCELLENT
A&O Shearman	Thales Mertens, Filip Tanghe
Andersen in Belgium	Leila Mstoian, Leo Peeters, Toon Rummens
Loyens & Loeff	Vanessa Marquette, Marc Vermylen
Racine	Joan Dubaere
Altius	Bart Heynickx
Daldewolf	Raphaēl Gevers
Fieldfisher	Maxime Berlingin, Jean-François Germain, Isabelle Moens de Hase, Koen Van Den Broeck
Lydian	Maxime Colle, Peter De Ryck, Yves Lenders
Quinz	Benoit Allemeersch, Bart Lintermans, Klaas Thibaut
Stibbe	Stefan Odeurs, Paul Van der Putten, Pieter Wouters
Van Bael & Bellis	Michel Bonne
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
Astrea	Louis Verstraeten
CMS	Jean-François Goffin
Deloitte Legal	Jürgen Egger, Glenn Hansen
KPMG Law	Patrick Geeraert
Lexlitis	Nicholas Ouchinsky
Liedekerke	Roel Fransis
Linklaters	Charles-Antoine Leunen, Stefaan Loosveld
LMBD	Fabrice Mourlon Beernaert
Monard Law	Geert Hayen
Shape	Tibault le Hardÿ
Tetra Law	Baudouin Paquot, Sabrina Scarnà, Jérôme Terfve
	RECOMMENDED
Crivits & Persyn	Rik Crivits, Jens Vrebos
Elegis	Edmond Brondel, Jean-Pierre Renard
Legacity	Julien Ciarniello
Mosal	Roman Aydogdu
Novalis	Yannick Alsteens
Prioux Culot	Arnaud Houet
Questa Law	Youri Steverlynck



#### Analysis

#### ANDERSEN IN BELGIUM: **FAST GROWING TOP-TIER PLAYER**



Koen de Puydt

Key Figure(s): Koen de Puydt Established: 2019

Track record: Andersen boasts extensive experience assisting companies in financial distress or dissolution. It provides comprehensive services to distressed firms, creditors, lenders, parent companies, investors and business partners. Its expertise includes debt and loan restructuring, corporate revitalization without bankruptcy, and adept negotiation in debt, bankruptcy and forced liquidation scenarios.

Team & differentiation: Comprising seasoned lawyers and legal experts, Andersen in Belgium closely monitors jurisprudential and doctrinal developments. Its deep understanding of a broad range of businesses and industries, ensures advice aligns with the strategic needs of the client. This approach enables it to deliver pragmatic, tailor-made solutions that meet each client's unique challenges and objectives.

#### STRELIA: SAFE CHOICE FOR INSOLVENCY PRACTITIONERS



Bart De Mooi

Key Figure(s): Bart De Moor Established: 2013

Track record: Strelia's restructuring and insolvency team possesses exceptional expertise, advising international clients and acting as office holders, administrators or liquidators. The firm's proficiency includes managing cross-border proceedings and disputes, making them a preferred choice for foreign office holders and law firms due to its deep understanding of both Belgian and international legal systems.

Team & differentiation: Strelia stands out by serving as both advisor to creditors and court-appointed insolvency practitioners. The team thrives under the leadership of Bart De Moor, a seasoned court-appointed administrator with a distinguished record in handling high-profile, complex bankruptcy cases. The firm adeptly manages roles as lawyers or office holders in Belgian insolvency cases.

#### WHITE & CASE: CROSS-BORDER RESTRUCTURING EXPERTS



Thomas Glauden

Key Figure(s): Thomas Track record: White & Case is a global law firm with specialization in a wide range of restructur-Established: 1967

ing and insolvency topics. The firm is regularly appointed as counsel to debtors or lenders in high-profile domestic and international cases. A commitment to excellence has earned the firm the trust of the Belgian justice ministry, which turned to White & Case during the rollout of Belgium's new insolvency law.

Team & differentiation: Corporate restructuring expert Thomas Glauden is a member of the Brussels and Luxembourg bars and acts for a select domestic and international clientele. He is dedicated to enhancing efficiency and mitigating risk via cutting-edge legal technology. The firm's enviable status is maintained with continual investment in a global team of over 40 legal technologists, data-science analysts, support lawyers and project managers.

### **METHODOLOGY**



#### The criteria are:

- Recognition & reputation of the firm in its market
- Team size at partner and senior associate level; seniority and track record of
- Nature, quality and volume of matters handled by the firm
- Prestige, diversity and internationalization of the firm's client base
- Recent team expansions that have proved demonstrably successful

In the course of our research, we gather detailed information from diverse

Law firms: through questionnaires and interviews, our team gets first-hand information about a firm's history, positioning, expertise and recent activity

Clients: we solicit the feedback of several thousand General Counsel, CFOs, Tax Managers and CEOs of domestic and multinational companies through anonymous questionnaires, meetings and phone interviews

Qualified third-parties: we collect the opinion of professionals who are neither clients nor competitors, such as: investment bankers, accountants, arbitrators, expert witnesses.

Peer-review: We ask lawyers for their feedback on their local market and who they recommend when facing a conflict of interest. We also collect their opinion on lawyers they have worked with in other jurisdictions.

### **CORPORATE TAX**

### **Best Law Firms**

In each tier, the firms are ordered alphabetically

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
	LEADING
A&O Shearman	Isabelle Panis, Patrick Smet
Arteo	Jean-Michel Degée, Daniel Garabedian, Emilie Maes, Steven Peeters, Pierre-Olivier van Caubergh
Linklaters	Stéphane Wilmet Guido De Wit, Henk Vanhulle
Loyens & Loeff	Nicolas Lippens, Nathalie Reypens
Tiberghien Lawyers	Koen Morbée
Theighten 24myers	EXCELLENT
Advisius	Laurent Donnay de Casteau, Frédéric Lettany, Jean Meeùs
Baker McKenzie	Géry Bombeke, Alain Huyghe, Philippe Lion
Deloitte Legal	Danny Stas, Annick Visschers, Eric von Frenckell, Tim Wustenberghs
Eubelius	Wouter Claes, Svjatoslav Gnedasj
Freshfields Bruckhaus Deringer	Axel Haelterman
5	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
Afschrift	Typhanie Afschrift
Argo	Philippe Rens
Clifford Chance	Alexandre Ooms
Liedekerke	Lievin De Wulf, Pierre Desenfans
Monard Law	Christiaan Barbier, Pieter Van Den Berghe, Hilde Van den Keybus
PwC Legal	Olivier Hermand
Simont Braun	Thomas Gernay
Stibbe	Wim Panis, Henk Verstraete
Van Cutsem Wittamer Marnef	Alain Vanderstraeten, Pierre Willemart
CMS	Olivier Querinjean
Daldewolf	Yaël Spegl
DLA Piper	Philippe Hinnekens
Fieldfisher	Geoffroy Galéa
Harvest	Didier Grégoire
Lydian	Geert De Neef
Strelia	Benoît Malvaux
Tetra Law	Sabrina Scarnà
White & Case	Christophe Goossens
	RECOMMENDED
AKD	Werner Heyvaert
Animo	Sam Gommers, Mathieu Henderikx
Antaxius Advocaten	Erik Gevers
Bird & Bird	Olivier Bertin
Dumon Sablon & Vanheeswijck	Stefan Sablon, Luc Vanheeswijck
Lawtax	Thierry Littanie
NautaDutilh	Ken Lioen
Nibelle & Partners	Pierre-Philippe Hendrickx, Benoît Nibelle
Philippe & Partners	Jean-François Libert
Thales Avocats	Valérie-Anne de Brauwere

### **ADVISIUS: CUSTOMER-CENTRIC TAX SPECIALISTS**



**Key Figure(s):** Laurent Donnay de Casteau Established: 2020

Track record: Advisius is a renowned boutique law firm specializing in the provision of advanced strategic advice on direct taxes. The firm's lawyers possess extensive expertise in both international and Belgian tax cases. The practice covers corporate structuring, M&A tax aspects, private equity, and services for high-net-worth individuals and diverse businesses.

Team & differentiation: The firm's seasoned team, proficient in managing international accounts and entrepreneurs, includes a dedicated French Desk. Committed to delivering clear, pragmatic tax solutions, Advisius carefully considers both legal and economic imperatives. Corporate tax specialist Laurent Donnay de Casteau serves publicly traded and privately held businesses alike.

Laurent Donnay de Casteau



# **WEALTH MANAGEMENT**

### **Best Law Firms**

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
	LEADING
Afschrift	Typhanie Afschrift
Arteo	An Weyn
Cazimir	Olivier De Keukelaere, Nathalie Labeeuw, Tim Melis, Wim Vermeulen
Tiberghien Lawyers	Gerd Goyvaerts
	EXCELLENT
Deloitte Legal	Caroline Costermans, Mathieu Ex, Alain Laurent Verbeke
Dumon, Sablon & Vanheeswijck	Stefan Sablon, Luc Vanheeswijck
Lawtax	Thierry Littanie, Laurent Tainmont
Loyens & Loeff	Nicolas Bertrand, Saskia Lust
Strelia	Benoît Malvaux
Tetra Law	Sabrina Scarnà
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
Advisius	Laurent Donnay de Casteau, Frédéric Lettany, Jean Meeùs
Argo	Hannes Casier, Philippe Rens
CMS	Olivier Querinjean
Daldewolf	Yaêl Spegl
Delahaye Avocats	Bérénice Delahaye
DLA Piper	Philippe Hinnekens
ECGB Advocaten	Nicolas Geelhand de Merxem
Eubelius	Wouter Claes, Svjatoslav Gnedasj, Patrick Hofströssler
Harvest	Didier Grégoire
Janson	Didier Bracke, Arnaud Lévy Morelle
Lydian	Geert De Neef
Monard Law	Christiaan Barbier, Hilde Van den Keybus
Rivus	Ann Maelfait
Van Cutsem Wittamer Marnef	Bernard Dautricourt, Alain Vanderstraeten
Van Olmen & Wynant	Koen Hoornaert
	RECOMMENDED
Bloom Law	Denis-Emmanuel Philippe
Ducartis	Petra Gabriël
Hirsch & Vanhaelst	Mikael Gossiaux, Sophie Vanhaelst
Lallemand Legros & Joyn	Aurélien Vandewalle
Nijs Draye	Joris Draye, Alain Nijs
Philippe & Partners	Jean-François Libert
Sansen International	Gertjan Verachtert
Thales Avocats	Valérie-Anne de Brauwere

# TRANSFER PRICING

### **Best Law Firms**

In each tier, the firms are ordered alphabetically

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
	LEADING
A&O Shearman	Sylvia Kierszenbaum, Filip Tanghe, Yves Van Pul
Arteo	Jean-Michel Degée, Steven Peeters
Baker McKenzie	Géry Bombeke
Freshfields Bruckhaus Deringer	Deborah Janssens, Vincent Macq
Loyens & Loeff	Aldo Engels
Tiberghien Lawyers	Koen Morbée
	EXCELLENT
Advisius	Laurent Donnay de Casteau
CMS	Olivier Querinjean
Fieldfisher	Geoffroy Galéa
Monard Law	Pieter Van Den Berghe

# TRANSFER PRICING

### **Best Consulting Firms**

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
	LEADING
Deloitte	Patrick Cauwenbergh, Jeroen Lemmens, Pascal Van Hove
EY	Kurt Van der Voorde
КРМС	Dirk Van Stappen
	EXCELLENT
BDO	Charlotte Broekaert
Grant Thornton	Leslie Van den Branden



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# **BANKING & FINANCE**

### Best Law Firms

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
	LEADING
Accura Advokatpartnerselskab	Mads Kjellerup Dambæk, Kim Toftgaard
Gorrissen Federspiel	Lotte Eskesen, Tobias Linde, Morten Nybom Bethe, Michael Steen Jensen
Kromann Reumert	Thomas Kaas, Peter Schiøler Skaaring
Plesner	Emil Deleuran, Rasmus Mandøe Jensen, Jacob Nygaard, Søren Thyssen Valerius
	EXCELLENT
Bech-Bruun	Morten Krogsgaard, Thomas Thordal Sevelsted
Bruun & Hjejle	Henrik Dahl, Morten Jensen, Karsten Kristoffersen, Christian Sahlertz, Thomas Skjellerup
DLA Piper Denmark	Joachim Kundert Jensen
Horten	Claus Bennetsen, Lars Lüneborg
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
DreistStorgaard Advokater	Svend-Aage Dreist Hansen, Nikolaj Juhl Hansen, Martin Skovbjerg
Lundgrens	Louise Krarup Simonsen
Magnusson	Sam Jalaei
Moalem Weitemeyer	Henning Aasmul-Olsen
Poul Schmith	Peter Hedegaard Madsen
	RECOMMENDED
Carsted Rosenberg	Michael Carsted Rosenberg, Andreas Tamasauskas
Mazanti-Andersen	Mette Gahrn-Jensen



# **BANKING & FINANCE**

### **Best Law Firms**

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
	LEADING
Borenius	Riikka Eronen, Niina Nuottimäki
Castrén & Snellman	Minna Korhonen, Sakari Lukinmaa, Tero Tuomisto
Hannes Snellman	Antti Alanko, Markus Bremer, Henrik Mattson
Krogerus	Heidi Kivenjuuri, Pāivi Toivari
Roschier	Johannes Ahti, Jonne Jārvi, Helena Viita
White & Case Finland	Oona Lilja, Krista Rekola, Tanja Törnkvist
	EXCELLENT
Avance Attorneys	Selinda Nāse, Sari Wallgren
Dittmar & Indrenius	Kristian Karlsson, Hanna-Mari Manninen, Juha-Pekka Mutanen
HPP Attorneys	Björn Nykvist, Antti Rintakoski
Waselius	Olli Kiuru, Maria Lehtimäki, Timo Lehtimäki
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
Bird & Bird	Jaakko Hietala, Kristiina Lehvilä, Jori Taipale
DLA Piper Finland	Kristiina Hirva, Mikko Luukkonen, Hans Sundblad
Eversheds Sutherland	Tiina Ashorn, Merja Blankenstein, Harri Tolppanen, Vesa Turkki
KallioLaw	Olli Oksman, Panu Skogström
Merilampi Attorneys	Tommi Elo, Ari Keinänen



# **LBO TAX**

#### **Best Law Firms**

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
	LEADING
Arsene	Denis Andres, Franck Chaminade, David Chaumontet, Yoann Chemama, Charles Dalarun, Brice Picard, Alexandre Rocchi, Frédéric Teper, Mirouna Verban
Bredin Prat	Sébastien de Monès, Pierre-Henri Durand, Jean-Florent Mandelbaum, Anne Robert
Mayer Brown	Rémy Bonnaud, Laurent Borey, Nicolas Danan, Elodie Deschamps, Benjamin Homo, Christopher Lalloz, Olivier Parawan
PwC Société d'Avocats	Nicolas Arfel, Anne-Valérie Attias-Assouline, Jean Philippe Brillet, Katia Gruzdova, Arielle Ohayon-Cohen, Fabien Radisic, Marc-Olivier Roux, Jérémie Swcharzenberg
Weil, Gotshal & Manges	Edouard de Lamy, Benjamin Pique
Deloitte Société d'Avocats	Eric Couderc, Maud Davené, Arnaud Mourier, Olivier Venzal
EY Société d'Avocats	Amandine Allix-Cieutat, Matthieu Autret, Jean-Philippe Barbé, Lionel Benant, Cédric Devouges, Sandrine Gobaut, Magali Levy, Sylvie Magnen, Nevenna Todorova
Goodwin	Marie-Laure Bruneel, Charles-Henri de Gouvion Saint Cyr
Hogan Lovells	Ludovic Geneston, Xenia Legendre
Kirkland & Ellis	Sonia Bouaffassa, Nadine Gelli
Latham & Watkins	Olivia Rauch-Ravisé, Xavier Renard
	EXCELLENT
Ayache	Bruno Erard
Cazals Manzo Pichot Saint Quentin	Thomas Cazals, Xavier Colard, Bertrand de Saint Quentin, Maxence Manzo, Romain Pichot, Pierre Ullmann
Chammas & Marcheteau	Christophe Moreau
CMS Francis Lefebvre Avocats	Jean-Charles Benois, Michel Collet, Philippe Donneaud, Thierry Granier, Philippe Grousset, Laurent Hepp, Pierre Le Roux, Dimitri Leboff
Darrois Villey Maillot Brochier	Vincent Agulhon, Alain Maillot, Loïc Védie
De Pardieu Brocas Maffei	Alexandre Blestel, Anne-Laure Drouet, Priscilla van den Perre
Dechert	Sabina Comis

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Veil Jourde	Benoît Gréteau
VGG & Associés	Yann Grolleaud
Viguié Schmidt & Associés	Christel Alberti
Winston & Strawn	Edouard de Rancher, Thomas Pulcini
Yards	Marie-Eve Chauvière, Dorothée Traverse
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Archers	Éric Labro
Armand Avocats	Georges Civalleri
Cohen & Gresser	Franck Le Mentec
Cornet Vincent Ségurel	Pierre Lamidon, Alfred Lortat-Jacob, Nicolas Palos
Delsol Avocats	Julien Monsenego, Frédéric Subra
Dentons Paris (France)	Gianluca Calisti, Laurence Clot, Sandra Hazan, Julien Le Guyader
Ellis société d'Avocats	Céline Coudy-Rolland, Laure Hamard, Pierre-Charles Lannemajou, Pierre Sappey
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Fieldfisher	Antoine Gabizon
Forvis Mazars Avocats	Elena Aubrée, Yves-Charles Zimmermann
FTPA Avocats	Sophie Jouniaux, Nicolas Message
Ginestié Paley-Vincent	Brigitte Berdugo, Carine Duchemin
Hebras Avocats	Eric Hebras
Jeantet	Jacques-Henry de Bourmont
Jeausserand Audouard	Tristan Audouard, Carole Furst, Pascal Gour, Jérémie Jeausserand
King & Spalding	Aurélia de Viry, Olivier Goldstein
LPA-CGR Avocats	Sandra Fernandes, Mathieu Selva-Roudon
Proskauer Rose	Matthieu Lampel, Maud Manon, Xavier Norlain, Jeremy Scemama
Squire Patton Boggs	Charles Briand, Maxime Dequesne
Stephenson Harwood	Evelyne Bagdassarian
Taylor Wessing	Gwendal Chatain, Christophe Flaicher
Velvet Avocats	Frédéric Gérard
Vivien & Associés	Jérôme Chapus, Marine Pelletier-Capes
Volt Associés	Stéphane Letranchant
Willkie Farr & Gallagher	Philippe Grudé, Fabrice Veverka
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Bersay	Alain Jouan
Blackbird Associés	Léa Faulcon
Charles Russell Speechlys	Raphaël Bagdassarian, Stéphane de Lassus
Couderc Dinh & Associés	Christian Couderc, Denis Fontaine-Besset
Couraud El Arjoun	Olivier Couraud, Omar El Arjoun
Degroux Brugère	Nicolas Ballet, Philippe Delattre, Frédéric Hennes
Dumon & Partners	Vincent Michel, Marie-Laure Pouplard
Gramond & Associés	Christophe Oger
Harlay Avocats	Erwann del Do
Herbert Smith Freehills	Bruno Knadjian
IC Avocats	Michael Taïeb
Joffe & Associés	Virginie Davion
Lacombe Avocats	Bertrand Lacombe
Latournerie Wolfrom Avocats	Jean-Luc Marchand
Nomos	Sylvie Canonge
Operandi	Matthias Heyberger
PDGB	Odile Courjon, Benoît Dambre, Vincent Garcia, Thierry Jestin, François Morazin, Christophe Vannoote
Qualiens	Steven Guthknecht, Laurent Sebaoun
Reboul & Associés	Eric Bérengier
Vaslin Associés	Marc Vaslin
Wan Avocats	Nicolas Philippe
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Advance Avocats	Julien Vaucheret
BG2V	Jean-Sébastien Dumont, Jean-Marc Valot
Cancel Avocats	Christophe Cancel
Gibson Dunn	Jérôme Delaurière, Ariel Harroch
Schmidt Brunet Litzler	Philippe A. Schmidt
Solegal	Rui Cabrita, Fabien Courvoisier

# FLORILÈGE SOCIÉTÉ D'AVOCATS: TAILOR-MADE ADVICE ON LBO TAXATION



Key Figure(s): Marie-Hélène Raffin Established: 2018

Marie-Hélène Raffin

Track record: The firm works with investment funds, in particular Prudentia Capital, which it supports in all its transactions. It was involved in the acquisition of MDV by Arjobex, the primary LBO of Synergie CAD and the takeover of Novétude Santé by its managers and Charterhouse Capital. The firm is also involved in transactions involving real estate assets.

Team & differentiation: Florilèges Société d'Avocats advises investment funds, major groups and startups. Its founder, Marie-Hélène Raffin, is highly committed and available, and her many years of experience give her a holistic view of the issues involved in transactions. She is a former Arthur Andersen International and Willkie Farr & Gallagher partner.





# **BANKING & FINANCE**

### Best Law Firms

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
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Hogan Lovells	Sabine Bironneau-Loy, Cassandre Porgès, Alexander Premont
Jones Day	Alban Caillemer du Ferrage, Frédéric Gros, Qian Hu, Edward J. Nalbantian, Diane Sénéchal
White & Case	Samir Berlat, Denise Diallo, Raphaël Richard, Emilie Rogey
A&O Shearman	Fabrice Faure-Dauphin, Julien Roux, Thomas Roy
Clifford Chance	T. Arachtingi, C. Burford, N. Eatwell, A. Giustini, F. Lacroix, J. Lewis, PB. Pabot du Châtelard D. Siino Courtin, R. Tomlinson, D. Zerbib
De Pardieu Brocas Maffei	C. Gaillard, K. Belhiteche, S. Boullier de Branche, JR. Cazali, C. Coatalem, E. Fatôme, P. Gebarow Y. Le Gall, P. Talbourdet, A. Payen
Linklaters	Cyril Abtan, Bertrand Andriani, Kathryn Merryfield
	EXCELLENT
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Dentons	Jean-Marc Allix, Pascal Chadenet, Marc Fornacciari, Dorothée Griveaux, Pascal Jouannic, Yun Ma, Richard Marty, Philippe Max, John R. Flanigan
Freshfields Bruckhaus Deringer	Stéphanie Corbière, Yann Gozal, Fabrice Grillo, Laurent Mabilat, Hervé Pisani
Latham & Watkins	Lionel Dechmann, Xavier Farde, Michel Houdayer, Suzana Sava-Montanari
Weil, Gotshal & Manges	David Aknin, James Clarke, Olivier Jauffret
Willkie Farr & Gallagher	Amir H. Jahanguiri, Thierry Laloum, Paul Lombard, Annette Péron, Brice Pommiès
CMS Francis Lefebvre Avocats	Grégory Benteux, Alexandre Bordenave, Rosetta Ferrère, Laurent Mion, Arnaud Reygrobellet, Marc-Etienne Sébire, Jérôme Sutour
De Gaulle Fleurance	Anne Maréchal, Jean-Baptiste Santelli, May Jarjour, Sylvie Perrin, Jonathan Souffir, Cyril Tour
Herbert Smith Freehills	Louis de Longeaux, Vincent Hatton, Régis Oréal
HFW	Jean-Marc Zampa, Diane de Moŭy, Thomas Forin, Paolo Pinna
Kramer Levin	Dana M. Anagnostou, Hugues Bouchetemble, Hubert de Vauplane, Reid Feldman, Alexander Marquardt, Sophie Perus, Gilles Saint-Marc
Mayer Brown	Maud Bischoff, Alban Dorin, François-Régis Gonon, Jean-Philippe Lambert, Jean-Pierre Lee, Patrick Teboul
McDermott Will & Emery	Pierre-Arnoux Mayoly
Norton Rose Fulbright	Roberto Cristofolini, Bénédicte Denis, Christine Ezcutari, Karine Montagut, George Paterson, Alexandre Roth, Alex Wass, Kamel Ben Salah, Sébastien Praicheu, Jeremy Grant
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Ashurst	Mark Barges, Hubert Blanc-Jouvan, Tom Longmuir, Pierre Roux
Baker McKenzie	Thierry Vialaneix
Bird & Bird	Cathie-Rosalie Joly, Boris Martor, Jean-Claude Vecchiatto, Sibylle Weiler
Cleary Gottlieb Steen & Hamilton	John D. Brinitzer, Pierre-Yves Chabert, Amélie Champsaur, Marie-Laurence Tibi
Curtis Mallet-Prevost Colt & Mosle	Jean-Norbert Pontier
Franklin	Stéphan Alamowitch, Serge Durox
Goodwin	Arnaud Fromion, Frédéric Guilloux, Adrien Paturaud
Jeantet	Jean-François Adelle, Alexae Fournier-de Faÿ, Olivier Lyon Lynch, Martine Samuelian
KPMG Avocats	Maxime Galland, Gilles Kolifrath, Vincent Maurel
Orrick	Olivier Bernard, Hervé Touraine
Sekri Valentin Zerrouk - SVZ	Emmanuelle Vicidomini
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Watson Farley & Williams	Rachel Campbell, Laurence Martinez-Bellet, Philippe Monfort, Alexia Russell

Ayache	Gwenaëlle de Kerviler, Alain Lévy, Olivier Tordjman
BCLP	David Blondel, Olivier Borenstejn, Henry Ranchon
Biard Bouscatel & Associés	Philippe Biard, Claire Bouscatel, Marie Taverne
Darrois Villey Maillot Brochier	Martin Lebeuf
DLA Piper	Erwan Lacheteau, Sophie Lok
LPA-CGR Avocats	Vincent Danton, Xavier Clédat, Laurence Wynaendts, Javed Allybokus
Paul Hastings	Tereza Courmont Vlkova, Olivier Vermeulen, Marc Zerah
Taylor Wessing	Éric Charvillat
Winston & Strawn	Ariane Berthoud, Mounir Letayf, Adeline Roboam
WTS	Bertrand Delaigue
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August Debouzy	Valéry Denoix de Saint Marc, Pierre Descheemaeker
Cornet Vincent Ségurel	Bertrand Coste, Matthieu Guignard, André Watbot
DS Avocats	Frédéric Bellanca, Arnaud Burg, Marie Trécan
Duhamel	Jérémie Duhamel
Fieldfisher	Hélène Lefebvre
Lacourte Raquin Tatar	Cédric Bonnet, Damien Luqué, Chloé Thiéblemont
Forvis Mazars	Fabrice Demarigny
NH Law	Jennifer Hinge, David Lussigny
Pact Avocats	Benjamin Dahan
Simmons & Simmons	Céline Larmet, Colin Millar, Ian Rogers
Addleshaw Goddard	Julien Bacus
Bignon Lebray	Alexandre Ghesquière, Serge Rastorgoueff
Diametis	Jean-Pascal Brun
Fidal	Magali Zambenedetti
Mermoz Avocats	Tristan Segonds
Squire Patton Boggs	Denis Barat, Florence Cotillon
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Bentam Société d'Avocats	Gautier Chavanet, Marie-Cécile Rieu
Carlara - Carbonnier Lamaze Rasle	Frédéric Huguenin
D'Alverny Avocats	Henri-Joseph Trémolet de Villers
Ginestié Paley-Vincent	François Devedjian, Pierre Mudet
Pinsent Masons	Eran Chvika
UGGC Avocats	Line-Alexa Glotin, Laetitia Squercioni, Michel Turon, Jean-Jacques Uettwiller, Morgan Vail
BCTG Avocats	Antoine Beauquier
Delsol Avocats	Séverine Bravard
DWF	Ali Boroumand, Pascale Gallien
Ziegler & Associés	Jocelyn Ziegler, Alexandre Dakos





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White & Case	Olga Fedosova, Philippe Herbelin, Thomas Le Vert, Séverin Robillard, Max Turner
Jones Day	Renaud Bonnet, Florent Bouyer, Charles Gavoty, Jean-Gabriel Griboul, Linda Hesse, Edward J. Nalbantian, Geoffroy Pineau-Valencienne, Natalia Sauszyn
Linklaters	Véronique Delaittre, Luis Roth
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A&O Shearman	Diana Billik, Olivier Thébault, Marc Castagnede, Julien Sebastien
Bredin Prat	Barthélémy Courteault, Patrick Dziewolski, Emmanuel Masset, Olivier Saba
Gide Loyrette Nouel	Melinda Arsouze, Arnaud Duhamel, Hubert Merveilleux du Vignaux
Latham & Watkins	Thomas Margenet-Baudry
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Clifford Chance	Alex Bafi, Cédric Burford, Aline Cardin, Frédérick Lacroix, Jonathan Lewis
Hogan Lovells	Jean-Marc Franceschi, Matthieu Grollemund, Hélène Parent
King & Spalding	Laurent Bensaid
Sullivan & Cromwell	Krystian Czerniecki, Olivier de Vilmorin
VGG & Associés	Pascale Girard, Frédéric Grillier
De Pardieu Brocas Maffei	Cédric Chanas, Etienne Boursican
Freshfields Bruckhaus Deringer	Guillemette Burgala, Yann Gozal, Hervé Pisani
Herbert Smith Freehills	Edouard Thomas
Mayer Brown	Robert Flanigan
Orrick	Alexis Marraud des Grottes
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Darrois Villey Maillot Brochier	Laurent Gautier
De Gaulle Fleurance	Anne Maréchal, Jean-Baptiste Santelli, May Jarjour, Sylvie Perrin, Jonathan Souffir, Cyril Tou
Debevoise & Plimpton	Raman Bet-Mansour, Pierre Clermontel
FTPA Avocats	Guillaume Berruyer
Kramer Levin	Jean-Marc Desaché
McDermott Will & Emery	David Revcolevschi
Willkie Farr & Gallagher	Daniel Hurstel

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Linklaters	Véronique Delaittre, Luis Roth
White & Case	Olga Fedosova, Philippe Herbelin, Grégoire Karila, Thomas Le Vert, Séverin Robillard, Max Turner
Cleary Gottlieb Steen & Hamilton	Fabrice Baumgartner, Andrew A. Bernstein, John D. Brinitzer, Pierre-Yves Chabert, Amélie Champsaur, Valérie Lemaitre
Clifford Chance	Alex Bafi, Cédric Burford, Alice Cardin, Jonathan Lewis
Gide Loyrette Nouel	Melinda Arsouze, Arnaud Duhamel, Hubert Merveilleux du Vignaux, Laurent Vincent
Hogan Lovells	Vincent Fidelle, Sharon Lewis, Katia Merlini
Jones Day	Linda A. Hesse, Renaud Bonnet, Florent Bouyer, Charles Gavoty, Natalia Sauszyn
	EXCELLENT
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CMS Francis Lefebvre Avocats	Grégory Benteux, Marc-Etienne Sébire
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Herbert Smith Freehills	Louis de Longeaux
Latham & Watkins	Thomas Margenet-Baudry, Suzana Sava-Montanari, Thomas Vogel
Norton Rose Fulbright	Roberto Cristofolini, Jeremy Grant
Orrick	Olivier Bernard, Hervé Touraine
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Freshfields Bruckhaus Deringer	Fabrice Grillo
Jeantet	Cyril Deniaud, Frank Martin Laprade
Kramer Levin	Dana M. Anagnostou, Hubert de Vauplane, Gilles Saint-Marc
Sullivan & Cromwell	Krystian Czerniecki, Olivier de Vilmorin
Bentam Société d'Avocats	Gautier Chavanet
Darrois Villey Maillot Brochier	Laurent Gautier
DLA Piper	Romain Guénin
Fidal	Isabelle Juliard Feyeux
Reed Smith	Baptiste Gelpi
Solvaction	Jeremy Blimbaum
Taylor Wessing	Nicolas De Witt
VGG & Associés	Pascale Girard
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Hogan Lovells	Philippe Druon, Astrid Zourli
Weil, Gotshal & Manges	David Aknin, Jean Beauchataud, Jean-Dominique Daudier de Cassini, Céline Domenget-Morin, Anne-Sophie Noury, Yannick Piette
White & Case	Franck De Vita, Saam Golshani, Alexis Hojabr, Hugues Mathez, Nathalie Nègre-Eveillard, Jean Paszkudzki, Xavier Petet, Marc Petitier, Guillaume Vallat, Guillaume Vitrich
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Willkie Farr & Gallagher	Eduardo J. Fernandez, Paul Lombard, Lionel Spizzichino
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De Pardieu Brocas Maffei	Etienne Boursican, Cédric Chanas, Philippe Dubois, Joanna Gumpelson, Patrick Jaïs, Guillaume Touttée
Depoix-Robain & Associés	Nicolas Depoix-Robain
Franklin	Laura Bavoux, Arnaud Pédron, Numa Rengot
Freshfields Bruckhaus Deringer	Guilhem Bremond
Gate Avocats	Julien Augais, Timothee Giard, Louise-Marie Guillet, Arnaud Larrousse, Julien Mougel
Jones Day	Fabienne Beuzit
Latham & Watkins	Alexandra Bigot, Denis Criton, Hervé Diogo Amengual, Thomas Doyen
Linklaters France	Aymar de Mauléon, Carole Nerguararian
Osborne Clarke	Nassim Ghalimi, David Haccoun, Catherine Olive, Jérôme Scapoli
PLM Avocats	Patricia le Marchand
Racine	Antoine Diesbecq, Barna Evva, Laurent Jourdan, Emmanuel Laverrière
Vivien & Associés	Laurent Assaya
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Ayache	Bernard Ayache, David Ayache, Gwenaëlle de Kerviler, Olivier Tordjman
Barbier Legal	Jérôme Barbier
BDGS Associés	Henri Cazala

Fieldfisher	Bruno Paccioni, Jean-Baptiste Van de Voorde
Gide Loyrette Nouel	Jean-Gabriel Flandrois
Hoche Avocats	Jean-Luc Blein, Hadrien de Lauriston, Didier Fornoni, Georges-Louis Harang, Catherine Ottaway
McDermott Will & Emery	Bertrand Delafaye, Timothée Gagnepain, Pierre-Arnoux Mayoly
Orrick	Aurélien Loric
Paul Hastings	Arthur de Baudry d'Asson
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Simmons & Simmons	Sandra Esquiva Hesse
Simon Associés	Cristelle Albaric, Jack Demaison, Antoine Denis-Bertin, Patrice Montchaud, Christelle Salmon-Latast
Valoren	Christine Le Breton, Virginie Verfaillie-Tanguy
Veil Jourde	Eugénie Amri, François de Navailles, Pierre Deval, Laurent Jobert, Géraud Saint Guilhem
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Bignon Lebray	Philippe Larivière, Serge Rastorgoueff
CNK Associés	Jean-Paul Coudray, Mohamed Nait-Kaci
De Gaulle Fleurance	Anker Sorensen
DLA Piper	Caroline Texier
Herbert Smith Freehills	Frédéric Bouvet, Hubert Segain, Christopher Theris, Edouard Thomas
Jeantet	Thierry Brun, Yvon Dréano, Karl Hepp de Sevelinges, Laïd Estelle Laurent, Philippe Raybaud
Kuntz & Associes	Jean-Emmanuel Kuntz
LPA-CGR Avocats	Michael Samol
NH Law	Jennifer Hinge, David Lussigny
Oplus Avocats	Baptiste de Fresse de Monval, Olivier Pardo
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Redlink	Jean-Charles Barbaud, Julie Janvier
Taylor Wessing	Kristell Cattani
Valther	Velin Valev
Foley Hoag	Frédéric Cohen
Marvell Avocats	Jean-Louis Lasseri





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3 Accur	acy	Jean-Romain Gotteland, Rodolphe Pacciarella, Simon Perez, Florence Westermann
Alvar	ez & Marsal France	Adrien Coffy, Thomas Marcorelles
PwC		Xavier Bertrand, Sébastien Dalle, Pascal Gounon, Olivier Marion, Arthur Wastyn
		EXCELLENT
1 Deloi	tte	Sandrine Gril-Prats, Christophe Guerner, Laurent Jehanne
EY		Améziane Abdat, Julien Brindeau, Guillaume Cornu, Karim Lasri, Pascal Servientis, Nicolas Winkler
Grant	t Thornton France	Clotilde Delemazure, Romain Lochon, Gaétan Piens
Oderi	s Consulting	Philippe Héry
So-Mg	g Partners	Kenza Amar, Sophie Moreau-Garenne
2 Advar	nce Capital	Henri Calef, Alexandra Fournier-Flageul, Pauline Oriot, Emmanuel Squinabol, Geoffroy Tronel
Cairn	Partners	Maxence Bousquet, Adrien Caillet, Damien Mignot, Julien Sanier
Exelm	nans Advisory	Eric Guedj, Grégoire Thiébaut
3 Aberg	gel & Associés	Alain Abergel, Jean-Noël Munoz
BM&	A	Danièle Batude, Thierry Bellot, Eric Blache, Pascal de Rocquigny, Antoine Duranson, Aline Kannapel, Thomas Kersaho, Emilien Poquet, Alexis Thura
Finan	cière 86	Arnaud Delaunay, Bernard Leonetti
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BJ As	sociés	Olivier Crespi, Benoit Jacob

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	Fovis Mazars	Firas Abou Merhi
	Oxigen	Stéphan Beraud
	Squareness	Maxime Mazuy
2	Advolis Orfis	Damien Bourg, Olivier Coutrix, Jean-Louis Flèche, Patrick Iweins, Benoit Nowaczyck
	Exafi	Anaīs Oger
	OCA	Mikaël Ouaniche
	Pansard & Associés	Arnaud Birlouez, François Delbecq, Jean-François Pansard
	Sorgem Évaluation	Blanche Feauveaux, Thomas Hachette, Claire Karsenti, Maurice Nussenbaum
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	Afival	Philippe Campos
	Exponens	Nicolas Yakoubowitch
	GVA - Semaphores	Idrich Arkhoun, Philippe Bonnin, Delphine Castella, Sophie Davenier, Yvon Gay, Philippe Hancart, Anthony Roubaud, Patrick Taler
	Repère	Julien Trélhu
	RSM	Idriss Belloucif, Christophe Callet

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Cedric Colaert

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Track record: With a constantly growing business and team, Eight Advisory continues to expand its capacity to respond to crisis situations, whether on the debtor or creditor side of cases. Orpea, Buffalo Grill, Sergent Major, Du Pareil au même and Go Sport are just some of the cases in which Eight Advisory has been involved in recent

Team & differentiation: The team has a broad spectrum of expertise, enabling it to cover all situations. Its agility and the complementary nature of its different areas of expertise enable the firm to offer a cutting-edge turnaround services, combining financial skills with the operational know how of its partners. In addition to a strong international network, Eight Advisory also benefits from a network spread across the four corners of Europe.

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Rodolphe Pacciarella

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Track record: The team was involved in some of the year's highest profile matters, including Casino's IBR and Orpea's unsecured creditors. It also lent its expertise to Latécoère as part of its restructuring and recapitalization by Searchlight. At the beginning of 2024, the team augment its restructuring and transaction advisory expertise with the appointment of Simon Perez to partner.

Team & differentiation: Accuracy has a reputation for providing comprehensive services, from economic and financial analysis to the implementation of operational and financial performance strategies when it comes to managing projects or assisting corporations and foreign investors. The expertise of its teams, coupled with the level of its international presence ensure Accuracy is a major player in insolvency and restructuring matters.



# **FUND FORMATION**

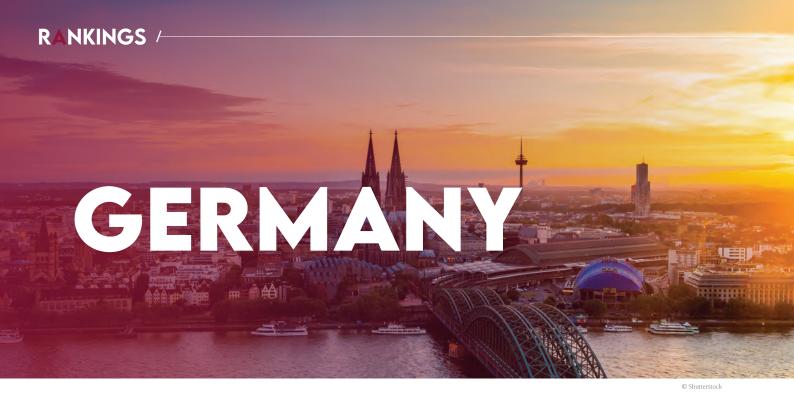
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Clifford Chance	Xavier Comaills, Alexandre Lagarrigue
Dechert	Sabina Comis, Cyril Fiat
Goodwin	Arnaud David, Sarah Michel
Willkie Farr & Gallagher	Nathalie Dugay, Tiana Rambatomanga, Fabrice Veverka
	EXCELLENT
Chammas & Marcheteau	Lola Chammas, Jérôme Chapron, Christophe Sevennec
DLA Piper	Raphaēl Béra, Diane Campion de Poligny, Fanny Combourieu
Jones Day	Florence Moulin
Linklaters France	Edouard Chapellier
McDermott Will & Emery	Guillaume Panuel
Stephenson Harwood	Ngowari Adikibi, Julien Vandenbussche
Dentons Paris (France)	Olivier Genevois
Gide Loyrette Nouel	Benjamin Delaunay, Laurent Modave, Stéphane Puel
K&L Gates	Raphaēl Bloch
Simmons & Simmons	Ian Rogers, Agnès Rossi
CMS Francis Lefebvre Avocats	Michel Collet, Pierre Le Roux, Edouard Milhac, Jérôme Sutour
Lacourte Raquin Tatar	Damien Luqué, David Sorel
Racine	Rima Maitrehenry, Fabrice Rymarz
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
A&O Shearman	Brice Henry, Antoine Sarailler
Bersay	Stéphanie Alexandrino
Couderc Dinh & Associés	Arthur Anton, Frédéric Bucher
De Gaulle Fleurance	Mireille Mull-Jochem
Joffe & Associés	Olivier Dumas
Kalliopé	Rodolphe Cavroy
Kramer Levin	Nicolas Capelli, Gilles Saint-Marc
Overlord	Gaspard de Monclin
Almain Avocats	Jérôme Debost
Ashurst	Hubert Blanc-Jouvan
Baker McKenzie	Catherine Martougin
BCLP	Christine Daric, Olivier Mesmin
Chabrerie Baert Associés	Christophe Baert
Duhamel	Jérémie Duhamel
Fidal	Jean-Régis Gallizia, Katia Jarquin
UGGC Avocats	Charles-Emmanuel Prieur, Michel Turon
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Ixis	Xavier Sennès
Pledge	Dominique Stucki
Reed Smith	Florence Bilger, Jean-Pierre Collet
Simon Associés	Antoine Denis-Bertin, Patrice Montchaud, Jean-Charles Simon

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### Best Multi-family Offices

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Agami Family Office	Laurent de Swarte, François Simon
Family Partners	Jean-François Chatelain, Pierre-Emmanuel Gillet, Pierre Pellet
Intuitae Ivesta Family Office	Christophe Achard, Luc Granger  Ariane Darmon, Pierre-Marie de Forville, Rémi Douchet, Christine Vu Thien
Keepers	Edouard Herbo, Anthony Watine
Letus Private Office	Anice Chlagou, Stephen Lasry, Alexandre Tsouli
	EXCELLENT
Altheo Partners	Alexandre Boissarie, Olivier Roux de Bézieux
Beelong Family Office	Marlène Absi, Virginie Duffour
Côme, Le Family Office EVEN FO	Charles Brunswick, Julien Magitteri Frédéric Guérineau, Emrah Yucel
FOBS	Mehdi Ali-Larbi
Kimpa	Julien Lescs, Vincent Piche, Olivier Rieu
MJ & Cie Officium	Corinne Louis, François Mollat du Jourdin Isabelle Chazarin, Milène Gullient, Raja Saidi Kachtouli, Eric Séheux
Pulse	Maxime Boudal, Thomas Chéreau, Hugo Limonne, Matthieu Panhard
Xelis Family Office	Véronique Aubin
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
Aramis Finance	Aude Plus-Valard, Edward Vitrey
B Durand Capital Partners	Benjamin Durand
Colisée Family Office Experts en Patrimoine	Sylvain Vergès Philippe Darneau, Richard Houbron
Fluence	Xavier de Champsavin, Charles Le Vaillant
Herest	Jérémy Daly, Jérôme Jambert, Aymeric Mary
Inkipit Finance	Arnaud Perrier, Jérôme Samuel
Kermony Office Leone Kapital	Anna Gozlan, Michael Sfez Benoît Emsalem
Maison Laplace	Benoist Lombard
Meeschaert Family Office	Charles Bienaimé
Octave Family office	Damien Girard, Henri Grellois Arnaud Gosset-Grainville
Sagis AM Scala Patrimoine	Guillaume Lucchini
	Caroline Barral, Gérard de Bartillat
Vigifinance	Caroline Darrai, Gerard de Dartinat
Vigifinance	RECOMMENDED
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### Best Investment Banks & Consulting Firms

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	LEADING
Deloitte	Jörg Niemeyer
Deutsche Bank	Johannes Hermanns
Goldman Sachs	Benny Mueller
J.P. Morgan	Christian Kames
Rothschild & Co	Kai Tschöke
	EXCELLENT
Barclays	Ingrid Hengster
Crédit Suisse	Frank Heitmann
Morgan Stanley	Johann Christian von Wersebe
UBS Investment Bank	Wolfgang Fuchs
KPMG	Leif Zierz
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
BNP Paribas	Marcel Becker
BofA Securities	Birger Berendes, Christof Bechtel
Citigroup	Stefan Hafke
Commerzbank	Andreas Mühleck
EY	Martin Steinbach
Handelsbanken	Carina Åkerström, Pär Boman
HSBC	Heiko Mittelhamm
Jamieson Corporate Finance	Felix Rose
KFW Bankgruppe	Stefan Wintels
Kroll	Andreas Stoeckling
Lazard	Ken Oliver Fritz, Rüdiger Grube
Mizuho Financial Group	Christoph Seibel
Nomura Holdings	Shogo Ohira
Perella Weinberg Partners	Dietrich Becker

# **M&A: SMALL TO MID-CAP**

### Best Investment Banks & Consulting Firms

BANK/FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
	LEADING
Macquarie Group	Rainer Langel
Deloitte	Volker Krug
Houlihan Lokey	Niklas Lerche, Sascha Pfeiffer, Malte Wulfetange
Lincoln International	Alexander Doll
	EXCELLENT
Acxit Capital Partners	Thomas Klack
Clairfield International	Walteri Jackson Helm, Albert Schander
DC Advisory	Philipp Sebbesse, Edward de Stigter
Ferber & Co.	Manfred Ferber, Alexander von Hachenburg
IMAP	Henning Graw, Carsten Lehmann
UniCredit Bank AG	Marion Hoellinger
BDO	Dietmar Flügel
Carlsquare	Caspar Graf Stauffenberg
Falkensteg	Sascha Dahlke
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
Alantra	Jan Caspar Hoffmann
Arma Partners	Henrietta Schmidt-Wilke
Berenberg Bank	Matthias Born
Clearwater International	Heinrich Kerstien, Dierk Rottmann
Commerzbank	Christoph Thierolf
Oaklins	Jan Hatje
ODDO BHF	Philippe Oddo
Saxenhammer	Christian Saxenhammer
	RECOMMENDED
Baird	Thomas Fetzer
Conalliance	Günter Carl Hober
Concentro Management	Alexander Sasse
EC Mergers & Acquisitions	Volker Seekamp
Green Giraffe	Udo Schneider
Greentech Capital Advisors	Matthias von Bismarck-Osten
Hamburg Commercial Bank	Christopher Brody
IKB Deutsche Industriebank	Joerg Hillmann
LBBW	Alexander Ott
Moelis & Company	Sebastian Schmit
Network Corporate Finance	Joachim Dübner
One Square Advisors	Frank Günther
Pareto Securities	Gero Wendenburg
Translink Corporate Finance	Tilman Georg Eckstein, Petra Fischer, Christian Hörner, Andreas Hüchting, Johannes Wolters



# **BANKING & FINANCE: TRANSACTIONS**

### **Best Law Firms**

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
	LEADING
Freshfields Bruckhaus Deringer	Mario Hüther, Frank Laudenklos
Hengeler Mueller	Dirk Hermann Bliesener, Daniela Böning, Christian Schmies, Johannes Tieves, Nikolaus Vieten
Latham & Watkins	Alexandra Hagelüken, Christian Jahn, Sibylle Münch
	EXCELLENT
A&O Shearman	Thomas Neubaum, Walter Uebelhoer
Clifford Chance	Marc Benzler, Bettina Steinhauer
Linklaters	Marc Trinkaus
Milbank	Thomas Ingenhoven, Barbara Mayer-Trautmann
Ashurst	Anne Grewlich
Gleiss Lutz	Burkhard Jäkel, Helge Kortz, Eva Reudelhuber, Frank Schlobach
White & Case	Florian Degenhardt, Vanessa Schürmann
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
CMS Hasche Sigle	Markus Pfaff, Marc Seibold
Noerr	Nikolai Warneke
Taylor Wessing	Sabine Schomaker, Jens Wiesner
	RECOMMENDED
Baker McKenzie	Oliver Socher
Goodwin	Winfried Carli
GÖRG	Thomas Lange, Jens-Dietrich Mitzlaff
Heuking	Michael Neises, Sandra Pfister
Hogan Lovells	Katlen Blöcker
Jones Day	Claudia Leyendecker
King & Spalding	Andreas Böhme
Kirkland & Ellis	Wolfgang Nardi
LARK	Anselm Lenhard, Ludger Schult
Mayer Brown	Ralf Hesdahl
McDermott Will & Emery	Oliver Lieth, Matthias Weissinger
Norton Rose Fulbright	Oliver Sutter
Schalast Law I Tax	Andreas Walter
Sernetz-Schäfer	Frank Schäfer
Simmons & Simmons	Jochen Kindermann
Skadden, Arps, Slate, Meagher & Flom	Joerg Hanke
Willkie Farr & Gallagher	Jan Wilms
Aderhold Legal	Bianca Böttcher, Thorsten Siepe
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Cleary Gottlieb	Gabriele Apfelbacher
GSK Stockmann	Stefan Koser
K&L Gates	Matthias Grund, Frank Thomas
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### **Best Law Firms**

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	LEADING
Freshfields Bruckhaus Deringer	Alexander Glos, Gunnar Schuster
Hengeler Mueller	Johannes Adolff, Dirk Hermann Bliesener, Sven Henrik Schneider
Linklaters	Andreas Dehio, Andreas Steck
	EXCELLENT
Clifford Chance	Marc Benzler
Hogan Lovells	Tim Oliver Brandi, Richard Reimer, Jochen Seitz
Latham & Watkins	Markus Krüger, Axel Schiemann
White & Case	Henning Berger
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Ashurst	Peter Frey
A&O Shearman	Alexander Behrens
CMS Hasche Sigle	Joachim Kaetzler
Bird & Bird	Michael Jünemann, Matthias Winter, Johannes Wirtz, Alexander Wojtek
GSK Stockmann	Timo Bernau, Robert Kramer
Noerr	Jens Kunz
YPOG	Lennart Lorenz, Carola Rathke
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Deloitte Legal	Mathias Hanten
Gleiss Lutz	Christian Hissnauer
GÖRG	Thomas Lange, Yorick Ruland
Lutz Abel	Michael Zoller
Mayer Brown	Patrick Scholl
Sernetz-Schäfer	Thomas Eckold, Jörg Mimberg, Frank Schäfer
Aderhold Legal	Christian Hoppe, Gunther Lehleiter
Ashurst	Detmar Loff
Cleary Gottlieb	Gabriele Apfelbacher
EY Law	Ralf Eckert
Heuking	Michael Neises
Heussen	Norbert Pahl
Lark	Anselm Lenhard
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### **Best Law Firms**

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Annerton	Susanne Grohé, Frank Müller, Christian Walz
	EXCELLENT
Bird & Bird	Michael Jünemann, Johannes Wirtz
Hengeler Mueller	Christian Schmies, Jens Wenzel
Jones Day	Nick Wittek
Latham & Watkins	Markus Krüger
lindenpartners	Thomas Asmus, Jan Schmidt-Seidl
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
Clifford Chance	Marc Benzler, Gregor Evenkamp, Oliver Kronat
Freshfields Bruckhaus Deringer	Markus Benzing
GreenbergTraurig	Carsten Kociok
Luther	Rolf Kobabe
Osborne Clarke	Tanja Aschenbeck
White & Case	Karsten Wöckener
YPOG	Frederik Gärtner, Lennart Lorenz, Carola Rathke
	RECOMMENDED
1 GÖRG	Matthias Terlau
Linklaters	Christian Storck
Reed Smith	Andreas Splittgerber
Schalast Law I Tax	Alexander Gebhard, Simon Waldbröl, Andreas Walter
2 CMS Hasche Sigle	Markus Kaulartz
Deloitte Legal	Simon Grieser
GSK Stockmann	Timo Bernau
Hogan Lovells	Richard Reimer
Norton Rose Fulbright	Frank Henkel

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Linklaters	Alexander Vogt, Markus Wollenhaupt
YPOG	Stephan Bank, Fabian Euhus, Jens Kretzschmann, Lennart Lorenz, Helder Schnittker
	EXCELLENT
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GSK Stockmann	Petra Eckl, Oliver Glück, Robert Kramer
King & Spalding	Andreas Böhme, Axel Schilder
Simmons & Simmons	Harald Glander, Jochen Kindermann, Benedikt Weiser
	RECOMMENDED
Ashurst	Detmar Loff
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Bödecker Ernst & Partner	Carsten Bödecker, Carsten Ernst
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Freshfields Bruckhaus Deringer	Markus Benzing, Konrad Schott, Gunnar Schuster
Goodwin Procter	Sebastian Bruchwitz
GÖRG	Thomas Lange, Dania Neumann
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Linklaters	Alexander Schlee, Peter Waltz
	EXCELLENT
Clifford Chance	Sebastian Maerker
Freshfields Bruckhaus Deringer	Rick van Aerssen, Christoph Gleske
Latham & Watkins	Alexander Lentz, Rüdiger Malaun
White & Case	Gernot Wagner, Karsten Wöckener
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A&O Shearman	Mark Plepelits
Hogan Lovells	Sven Brandt, Michael Schlitt, Jochen Seitz
Noerr	Holger Alfes
Norton Rose Fulbright	Christoph Enderstein, Frank Regelin
Sullivan & Cromwell	Carsten Berrar, Krystian Czerniecki
Ashurst	Anne Grewlich, Tobias Krug
Dentons	Oliver Dreher
Gleiss Lutz	Stephan Aubel, Helge Kortz
Mayer Brown	Ulrike Binder, Patrick Scholl
	RECOMMENDED
Baker McKenzie	Christoph Wolf
Cleary Gottlieb	Gabriele Apfelbacher, Ward Greenberg
CMS Hasche Sigle	Philipp Melzer
Heuking	Christoph Gringel, Thorsten Kuthe, Mirko Sickinger
Luther	Ingo Wegerich
McDermott Will & Emery	Thomas Ammermann
Milbank	Philipp Klöckner, Thomas Ingenhoven
Morgan Lewis	Florian Harder, Jann Jetter, Florian Ziegler
Pinsent Masons	Markus Joachimsthaler
Sernetz-Schäfer	Frank Schäfer
Simmons & Simmons	Thomas Scharfenberg
Skadden, Arps, Slate, Meagher & Flom	Stephan Hutter
Taylor Wessing	Philip Cavaillès, Peter Hellich

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Gabriele Apfelbacher, Ward Greenberg
Philipp Melzer
Roland Maass
Christoph Gringel, Thorsten Kuthe, Mirko Sickinger
Thomas Ingenhoven
Benedikt Gillessen, Frank Regelin
Robert Michels
Yorick Ruland
Siegfried Büttner
Tobias Nikoleyczik
Ulrike Binder, Ralf Hesdahl, Susanne Lenz
ens Ortmanns
Florian Harder
Katja Kaulamo
Volker Balda
Daniel Kautenburger-Behr
Frank Schäfer
Marc-Oliver Kurth
Simon Weiss, Joseph Marx





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### **Best Law Firms**

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Gleiss Lutz	Andreas Spahlinger, Matthias Tresselt
	EXCELLENT
A&O Shearman	Sven Prüfer
Clifford Chance	Stefan Sax, Patrick Schulz, Andreas Steiger, Cristina Weidner
Dentons	Arne Friel, Andreas Ziegenhagen
GÖRG	Christian Bārenz, Thorsten Bieg
Kirkland & Ellis	Leo Plank
Noerr	Thomas Hoffmann, Christian Pleister
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Latham & Watkins	Frank Grell
Taylor Wessing	Hendrik Boss
White & Case	Sylvia Fiebig, Sven-Holger Undritz
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Anne-Lise Lamy

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RSM Ebner Stolz	Alexander Bohn, Sven Christian Gläser, Detlev Heinsius, Sandro Nücken
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Freshfields Bruckhaus Deringer	Stephan Eilers, Norbert Schneider
Gleiss Lutz	Johann Wagner
Hengeler Mueller	Markus Ernst
Latham & Watkins	Stefan Süss
Linklaters	Jens Blumenberg, Julian Böhmer, Oliver Rosenberg
Milbank	Rolf Füger, Thomas Kleinheisterkamp, Matthias Schell
Poellath	Michael Best
Rödl	Isabel Bauernschmitt
WTS	Dietmar Gosch
2 Cleary Gottlieb	Jens Hafemann
CMS Hasche Sigle	Heino Büsching
Heuking	Jörn Matuszewski, Marc Scheunemann
GvW Graf von Westphalen	Frank Tschesche
Hogan Lovells	Ingmar Dörr
Oppenhoff	Axel Bödefeld
SZA Schilling Zutt & Anschütz	Hans-Georg Berg
TLR	Martin Riegel
	RECOMMENDED
ADVANT Beiten	Marcus Mische
Baker Tilly	Oliver Hubertus
Baumann Mayer Seidl	Tobias Mayer
Deloitte Legal Germany	Heiko Ramcke
Dentons	Stephan Busch, Pia Dorfmueller, Michael Graf
DLA Piper	Konrad Rohde
EPP Rechtsanwälte Avocats	Emil Epp, Anne-Lise Lamy
Esche Schümann Commichau	Tom Kemcke, Jakob Kleefass
GSK Stockmann	Kirk Koch
Heussen	Martin Grasser
Kantenwein	Sven Ceranowski, Rainer Spatscheck
K&L Gates	Karsten Seidel
KMLZ	Thomas Küffner, Thomas Streit, Oliver Zugmaier
LHP Luxem Heuel Prowatke	Ingo Heuel
Norton Rose Fulbright	Tino Duttiné
White & Case	Tim Bracksiek
*Of Counsel	

<sup>\*</sup>Of Counsel



# **BANKING & FINANCE**

#### **Best Law Firms**

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
	LEADING
BBA//Fjeldco	Ásgeir Á. Ragnarsson, Einar Baldvin Árnason, Baldvin Björn Haraldsson, Bjarki H. Diego, Halldór Karl Halldórsson
Juris	Vífill Harðarson, Simon Knight, Finnur Magnússon
Lex Law Offices	Ólafur Haraldsson, Helgi Þór Þorsteinsson
Logos Legal Services	Thórólfur Jónsson, Óttar Pálsson
	EXCELLENT
Advel Attorneys At Law	Ragnar Guðmundsson, Stefán Thór Ingimarsson, Bjarni Þór Bjarnason
Landslög Law Offices	Johannes Karl Sveinsson, Vidar Ludviksson
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
Jonsson & Hall	Hörður Felix Harðarson, Gísli Guðni Hall, Gunnar Jónsson, Einar Þór Sverrisson
Lagahvoll	Daði Bjarnason, Jóhann Tómas Sigurðsson



# **M&A: LARGE-CAP**

### Best Investment Banks

BANK	KEY FIGURE(S)
	LEADING
Goldman Sachs	Gerardo Braggiotti
J.P. Morgan	Gianernesto Bernardi
Morgan Stanley	Domenico Siniscalco
	EXCELLENT
BofA Securities	Antonino Mattarella, Vito Lo Piccolo
Credit Suisse	Gabriele D'Agosta
Equita SIM	Marco Clerici, Carlo Andrea Volpe
Intesa Sanpaolo	Mauro Micillo, Gaetano Miccichè
Mediobanca	Alberto Nagel
Rothschild & Co.	Irving Bellotti
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
Citigroup	Matteo Perfetti
HSBC	Gerd Pircher, Anna Tavano
UniCredit	Richard Burton
	RECOMMENDED
Barclays	Pier Luigi Colizzi
BNL (BNP Paribas)	Elena Goitini
Deutsche Bank	Roberto Parazzini
UBS Investment Bank	Riccardo Mulone
Société Générale	Enrico Chiapparoli

# **M&A: SMALL TO MID-CAP**

### Best Investment Banks

BANK	KEY FIGURE(S)
	LEADING
Deloitte	Elio Milantoni
EY	Erberto Viazzo
КРМС	Mario Corti
PwC	Marco Tanzi Marlotti
	EXCELLENT
Clairfield International	Giuseppe Grasso, Filippo Guicciardi, Antonio Scarabosio
Fineurop Soditic	Eugenio Morpurgo, Germano Palumbo
Houlihan Lokey	Matteo Manfredi
Lazard	Marco Samaja
Vitale&Co	Alberto Gennarini, Orlando Barucci
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
Alantra	Stefano Bellavita
Credem Euromobiliare	Simone Citterio
Banca Profilo	Fabio Candeli
BPER Banca	Stefano Taioli
Clearwater International	Andrea Pagliara, Alexandre Perrucci
Ethica Corporate Finance	Cosimo Vitola
Intermonte	Guglielmo Manetti
	Gughenno Manetti
Lincoln International	Saverio Rondelli
Lincoln International  Nash Advisory	
	Saverio Rondelli





## **BANKING & FINANCE**

#### **Best Law Firms**

In each tier, the firms are ordered alphabetically

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
	LEADING
A&O Shearman	Stefano Sennhauser, Pietro Scarfone
BonelliErede	Emanuela Da Rin, Antonio La Porta
Chiomenti	Gregorio Consoli, Giorgio Cappelli, Luca Bonetti
Clifford Chance	Giuseppe De Palma, Charles Adams
Legance	Andrea Giannelli
Linklaters	Andrea Arosio
	EXCELLENT
Cappelli Riolo Calderaro Crisostomo Del Din & Partners	Marcello Maienza, Morena Bontorin, Alberto Del Din, Giuliana Durand, Paolo Calderaro, Stefano Agnoli, Camilla Giovannini
DLA Piper	Antonio Lombardo, Federico Zucconi Galli Fonseca, Agostino Papa
Gianni & Origoni	Giuseppe De Simone, Matteo Bragantini, Domenico Gentile
Hogan Lovells	Carlo Massini, Patrizio Messina, Madeleine Horrocks
Latham & Watkins	Marcello Bragliani, Antongiulio Scialpi, Jeffrey H. Lawlis
Molinari Agostinelli	Riccardo Agostinelli
PedersoliGattai	Gaetano Carrello, Lorenzo Vernetti, Maura Magioncalda
Simmons & Simmons	Davide D'Affronto
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
ADVANT Nctm	Stefano Padovani, Matteo Gallanti
Ashurst	Mario Lisanti
Dentons	Alessandro Fosco Fagotto
Gatti Pavesi Bianchi Ludovici	Andrea Limongelli, Marc-Alexandre Courtejoie, Andrea Novarese
K&L Gates	Fabrizio Dotti, Paolo Rusconi, Chiara Anceschi
Orsingher Ortu	Manfredi Leanza, Giovanni Nicchiniello
Pavia e Ansaldo	Mario Di Giulio, Roberto Zanchi
White & Case	Iacopo Canino, Gianluca Fanti, Francesco Scebba
	RECOMMENDED
CBA	Francesco Dialti
Delfino e Associati Willkie Farr & Gallagher	Giulio Tognazzi
<b>Eversheds Sutherland</b>	Pasquale Bifulco
Fivers	Mara Fittipaldi, Edoardo Guffanti
Giovanardi Studio Legale	Carlo Alberto Giovanardi
LCA	Davide Valli, Umberto Piattelli, Giancarlo Ranucci
Orrick, Herrington & Sutcliffe	Marina Balzano
Pirola Pennuto Zei & Associati	Andrea Gottardo
	VALUABLE PRACTICE
BSVA	Marco Lantelme
Freshfields	Francesco Lombardo
Greenberg Trauring Santa Maria	Corrado Angelelli
Nunziante Magrone	Alessio Lombardo

#### BSVA: SMART CHOICE FOR EVERY CONCEIVABLE BANKING AND FINANCE REQUIREMENT



Marco Lantelme

Key Figure(s): Marco Lantelme Established: 2002 **Track record:** BSVA assists domestic and international clients by providing them with civil, corporate, and extraordinary transactions advice. The firm is known for its strength in the areas of banking & finance, restructuring, capital markets, structured finance and securitization, corporate finance, banking, finance and insurance regulation, as well as corporate governance and litigation in these areas.

**Team & differentiation:** The firm was founded in 2002 by Alessandro Bellofiore and Francesco Senaldi. Marco Lantelme is the head of the banking & finance department and joined BSVA in 2017. Clients benefit from his dual qualification in Italy and the UK, his experience as a litigator, as well as his banking and finance-related expertise, including on restructuring, regulatory, capital markets, securities, structured finance and securitization issues.

# **DEBT CAPITAL MARKETS (DCM)**

### **Best Law Firms**

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
	LEADING
A&O Shearman	Cristiano Tommasi, Craig Byrne
Cappelli Riolo Calderaro Crisostomo Del Din & Partners	Paolo Calderaro, Michele Crisostomo, Federico Morelli, Elio Indelicato, Fabio Zambito
Clifford Chance	Filippo Emanuele
Latham & Watkins	Antonio Coletti
White & Case	Iacopo Canino, Ferigo Foscari
	EXCELLENT
Ashurst	Mario Lisanti
BonelliErede	Emanuela Da Rin, Antonio La Porta
Chiomenti	Gregorio Consoli, Benedetto La Russa
Hogan Lovells	Patrizio Messina
Jones Day	Vinicio Trombetti
Legance	Andrea Giannelli
Linklaters	Linda Taylor
PedersoliGattai	Emanuela Campari Bernacchi, Valentina Lattanzi
Simmons & Simmons	Paola Leocani
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
Bird & Bird	Federico Del Monte, Corrado Fiscale
Gianni & Origoni	Richard Hamilton
Greenberg Traurig Santa Maria	Corrado Angelelli
ILS	Norman Pepe
Pavia e Ansaldo	Mario Di Giulio





# **EQUITY CAPITAL MARKETS (ECM)**

### **Best Law Firms**

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)  LEADING
BonelliErede	Vittoria Giustiniani
Clifford Chance	Filippo Emanuele
Legance	Alberta Figari, Giorgio Vanzanelli
Linklaters	Ugo Orsini, Claudia Parzani
White & Case	Ferigo Foscari, Piero de Mattia, Michael Immordino
	EXCELLENT
ADVANT Nctm	Lukas Plattner
Cappelli Riolo Calderaro Crisostomo Del Din & Partners	Guido Masini, Nicola Caielli
Chiomenti	Manfredi Vianini Tolomei
Cleary Gottlieb Steen & Hamilton	Pietro Fioruzzi
Gatti Pavesi Bianchi Ludovici	Anton Carlo Frau, Rossella Pappagallo
Gianni & Origoni	Antonio Segni, Richard Hamilton, Mariasole Conticelli, Alessandro Merenda
Latham & Watkins	Antonio Coletti, Ryan Benedict
HIG	HLY RECOMMENDED
A&O Shearman	Tobia Croff, Emanuele Trucco
DLA Piper	Francesco Maria Aleandri
Gitti & Partners	Vincenzo Armenio
LCA	Andrea Messuti, Benedetto Lonato, Andrea Marani
Orsingher Ortu	Federico Bonetti, Francesca Flego
PedersoliGattai	Marcello Magro, Carlo Re

# **RESTRUCTURING & INSOLVENCY**

### **Best Law Firms**

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
	LEADING
BonelliErede	Marco Arato, Giuseppe Lombardi
Gianni & Origoni	Gabriella Covino, Luca Jeantet, Antonio Auricchio
	EXCELLENT
Chiomenti	Antonio Tavella, Giulia Battaglia
Clifford Chance	Charles Adams, Giuseppe De Palma, Fabio Guastadisegni, Paolo Sersale
Giovanardi Studio Legale	Carlo Alberto Giovanardi, Linda Morellini, Cristiano Ruspi
Legance	Luca Autuori, Giandomenico Ciaramella, Iacopo Fontana, Stefano Parlatore
Linklaters	Francesco Faldi
Molinari Agostinelli	Ugo Molinari, Riccardo Agostinelli
PedersoliGattai	Alessandra Giovetti, Maura Magioncalda, Gaetano Carrello, Sergio Fulco
HIGI	HLY RECOMMENDED
ADVANT Nctm	Fabio Marelli
DLA Piper	Francesco De Gennaro
Gatti Pavesi Bianchi Ludovici	Luca Faustini
K&L Gates	Paolo Rusconi, Andrea Campana, Chiara Anceschi
LCA	Michele Petriello, Salvatore Sanzo, Angela Petrosillo, Diana Burroni, Niccolò Abriani
Nunziante Magrone	Alessio Lombardo, Oscar Podda
Orrick, Herrington & Sutcliffe	Daniela Andreatta
PwC TLS	Ernesto Apuzzo
	RECOMMENDED
A&O Shearman	Paolo Manganelli
Baker McKenzie	Carlo de Vito Piscicelli
Cappelli Riolo Calderaro Crisostomo Del Din & Partners	Antonio Azzarà, Morena Bontorin
CBA	Daniela Sorgato, Andrea Maria Azzaro
Cleary Gottlieb Steen & Hamilton	Roberto Bonsignore
Dentons	Alessandro Fosco Fagotto, Federico Sutti
Giliberti Triscornia e Associati	Alessandro Triscornia
Greenberg Trauring Santa Maria	Bruno Cova
Lexia	Cristian Fischetti
LMS Studio Legale	Matteo Bascelli, Francesco P. Ruggeri Laderchi
Orsingher Ortu	Valeria Mazzoletti
Osborne Clarke	Filippo Canepa
Simmons & Simmons	Davide D'Affronto
Studio Giuliano e Di Gravio	Massimo Giuliano, Valerio Di Gravio





# **CORPORATE TAX**

### **Best Law Firms**

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
	LEADING
Chiomenti	Raul-Angelo Papotti, Massimo Antonini, Marco Di Siena
Gatti Pavesi Bianchi Ludovici	Paolo Ludovici, Pietro Piccone Ferrarotti
Maisto e Associati	Guglielmo Maisto, Marco Cerrato Guglielmo Maisto, Marco Cerrato
ADVANT Nctm	EXCELLENT  Barbara Aloisi, Federico Trutalli, Piermauro Carabellese
BonelliErede	Stefano Simontacchi
CMS	
	Giuseppe Ascoli, Stefano Chirichigno
Dentons	Andrea Fiorelli, Gianmarco Tortora
Di Tanno e Associati Facchini Rossi Michelutti Studio Legale	Tommaso di Tanno, Fabio Brunelli
Tributario	Francesco Facchini, Luca Rossi, Riccardo Michelutti
Foglia & Partners	Giuliano Foglia
Gianni & Origoni	Fabio Chiarenza, Luca Dal Cerro
Tremonti Romagnoli Piccardi e Associati	Giulio Tremonti, Lorenzo Piccardi, Dario Romagnoli
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
Baker McKenzie	Francesco Pisciotta, Michele Santocchini
Clifford Chance	Carlo Galli
DLA Piper	Christian Montinari, Antonio Tomassini
Fivers	Francesco Mantegazza, Fabio Oneglia, Gianluca Pozzi, Andrea Brambilla
Freshfields Bruckhaus Deringer	Renato Paternollo
Hogan Lovells	Fulsia Astalf Comma Distracanti
	Fulvia Astolfi, Serena Pietrosanti
LCA	Roberto Pellizzari, Simona Passarelli
LCA Legance	
	Roberto Pellizzari, Simona Passarelli
Legance	Roberto Pellizzari, Simona Passarelli Marco Graziani, Claudia Gregori, Luca Dal Cerro
Legance McDermott Will & Emery	Roberto Pellizzari, Simona Passarelli  Marco Graziani, Claudia Gregori, Luca Dal Cerro  Carlo Maria Paolella
Legance  McDermott Will & Emery  Pavia e Ansaldo	Roberto Pellizzari, Simona Passarelli  Marco Graziani, Claudia Gregori, Luca Dal Cerro  Carlo Maria Paolella  Marco Jannon, Giovanni Gigliotti
Legance  McDermott Will & Emery  Pavia e Ansaldo  Pirola Pennuto Zei & Associati	Roberto Pellizzari, Simona Passarelli  Marco Graziani, Claudia Gregori, Luca Dal Cerro  Carlo Maria Paolella  Marco Jannon, Giovanni Gigliotti  Stefano Tronconi, Massimo Di Terlizzi, Nathalie Brazzelli, Guido Doneddu
Legance  McDermott Will & Emery  Pavia e Ansaldo  Pirola Pennuto Zei & Associati  Russo De Rosa Associati	Roberto Pellizzari, Simona Passarelli  Marco Graziani, Claudia Gregori, Luca Dal Cerro  Carlo Maria Paolella  Marco Jannon, Giovanni Gigliotti  Stefano Tronconi, Massimo Di Terlizzi, Nathalie Brazzelli, Guido Doneddu  Alberto Russo, Leo de Rosa, Valerio Libani
Legance  McDermott Will & Emery  Pavia e Ansaldo  Pirola Pennuto Zei & Associati  Russo De Rosa Associati	Roberto Pellizzari, Simona Passarelli  Marco Graziani, Claudia Gregori, Luca Dal Cerro  Carlo Maria Paolella  Marco Jannon, Giovanni Gigliotti  Stefano Tronconi, Massimo Di Terlizzi, Nathalie Brazzelli, Guido Doneddu  Alberto Russo, Leo de Rosa, Valerio Libani  Livia Salvini, Giovanni Panzera da Empoli
Legance  McDermott Will & Emery  Pavia e Ansaldo  Pirola Pennuto Zei & Associati  Russo De Rosa Associati  Salvini e Soci	Roberto Pellizzari, Simona Passarelli  Marco Graziani, Claudia Gregori, Luca Dal Cerro  Carlo Maria Paolella  Marco Jannon, Giovanni Gigliotti  Stefano Tronconi, Massimo Di Terlizzi, Nathalie Brazzelli, Guido Doneddu  Alberto Russo, Leo de Rosa, Valerio Libani  Livia Salvini, Giovanni Panzera da Empoli  RECOMMENDED
Legance  McDermott Will & Emery  Pavia e Ansaldo  Pirola Pennuto Zei & Associati  Russo De Rosa Associati  Salvini e Soci  A&O Shearman	Roberto Pellizzari, Simona Passarelli  Marco Graziani, Claudia Gregori, Luca Dal Cerro  Carlo Maria Paolella  Marco Jannon, Giovanni Gigliotti  Stefano Tronconi, Massimo Di Terlizzi, Nathalie Brazzelli, Guido Doneddu  Alberto Russo, Leo de Rosa, Valerio Libani  Livia Salvini, Giovanni Panzera da Empoli  RECOMMENDED  Francesco Guelfi

Carnelutti	Paolo Baruffi, Gilberto Comi
СВА	Angelo Bonissoni, Stefano Petrecca
Cleary Gottlieb Steen & Hamilton	Vania Petrella, Gianluca Russo
Escalar e Associati	Gabriele Escalar
<b>Eversheds Sutherland</b>	Marco Melisse, Sebastiano Sciliberto, Gianluca Nemec
Lexia	Alessandro Dagnino
Linklaters	Roberto Egori
Loconte & Partners	Stefano Loconte
Nunziante Magrone	Claudio Giordano, Carlo Sallustio, Fabio Cappezzone
PedersoliGattai	Cristiano Garbarini, Domenico Ponticelli, Giovanni Bandera
	VALUABLE PRACTICE
Belluzzo International Partners	Luigi Belluzzo, Daniele Carlo Trivi
Bureau Plattner	Massimo Petrucci, Hannes Hilpold
Gitti & Partners	Marco Ettorre, Diego De Francesco
Hager & Partners	Heinz Peter Hager
Lawal	Alberto Picariello
Alma LED	Guido Arie Petraroli, Alfredo Fossati
Molinari Agostinelli	Ottavia Alfano
Simmons & Simmons	Marco Palanca
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Studio Tributario Tognolo	Paolo Tognolo, Francesco Spurio
	Paolo Tognolo, Francesco Spurio Piergiorgio Valente
Studio Tributario Tognolo	

#### **ADVANT NCTM:** CAPABLE OF RESPONDING TO ANY TAX LAW ISSUE



Barbara Aloisi

Key Figure(s): Barbara Aloisi. Aloisi, Federico Trutalli and Guido Martinelli Established: 2000

Track record: ADVANT Nctm, which is based in both Milan and Rome, assists national and international companies of various sizes, in addition to private equity funds and financial intermediaries. The team consists of experts in corporate taxation and extraordinary transactions, litigation at all levels, settlement negotiations, and international taxation

Team & differentiation: Barbara Aloisi leads the team and is based in Milan. She boasts extensive experience in M&A and transfer-pricing cases. Milan-based Federico Trutalli focuses on litigation and cross-border issues, while Romebased Guido Martinelli is the go-to specialist for matters involving the telecommunications, energy, automotive and finance industries.

#### **FOGLIA & PARTNERS:** GO-TO BOUTIQUE FOR COMPLEX TAX CASES



Giuliano Foglia

Key Figure(s): Giuliano Foglia Established: 2015

Track record: Foglia & Partners is a boutique respected for its vast knowledge of corporate tax, and is a firm of reference for both ordinary and extraordinary consulting, business restructuring, transfer pricing and litigation. Thanks to offices in Rome and Milan, it is able to assist the broadest range of clients, both domestic and international.

Team & differentiation: Giuliano Foglia founded Foglia & Partners nine years ago after gaining extensive experience in the Italian legal industry. He is one of the top Italian experts in international tax law, corporate taxation and extraordinary transactions, HNWIs and wealth management, transfer pricing and tax litigation. Clients include listed companies and multinational groups, both domestic and international.





# **FUND STRUCTURING**

### **Best Law Firms**

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
	LEADING
Alma LED	Alessandro Corno
Legance	Enzo Schiavello, Barbara Sancisi
	EXCELLENT
Chiomenti	Vincenzo Troiano, Alessandro Portolano, Mario Roli
CMS	Andrea Arcangeli
DLA Piper	Agostino Papa
Greenberg Trauring Santa Maria	Eriprando Guerritore
ADVANT Nctm	Emidio Cacciapuoti
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
Annunziata & Conso	Filippo Annunziata
CP-DL	Dante Leone
Fivers	Francesco Di Carlo
Gianni & Origoni	Gianluca Ghersini, Paolo Bordi
Gitti & Partners	Stefano Roncoroni, Vincenzo Giannantonio
K&L Gates	Giovanni Meschia
PedersoliGattai	Giovanni Giuliani
Simmons & Simmons	Andrea Accornero, Andrea Tonon, Romeo Battigaglia
	RECOMMENDED
Dentons	Fabrizio Capponi
Di Tanno Associati	Fabio Brunelli
Facchini Rossi Michelutti Studio Legale Tributario	Luca Rossi, Riccardo Michelutti

### **WEALTH MANAGEMENT**

#### **Best Law Firms**

In each tier, the firms are ordered alphabetically

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
	LEADING
Belluzzo International Partners	Luigi Belluzzo
Facchini Rossi Michelutti Studio Legale Tributario	Francesco Facchini, Stefano Massarotto, Luca Rossi, Riccardo Michelutti and Francesco Capitta
Vasapolli & Associati	Andrea Vasapolli
Biscozzi Nobili Piazza	Francesco Nobili
Chiomenti	Raul-Angelo Papotti
Gatti Pavesi Bianchi Ludovici	Paolo Ludovici
Loconte & Partners	Stefano Loconte
Maisto e Associati	Alessandro Bavila, Marco Cerato
	EXCELLENT
BonelliErede	Gianpiero Succi
DLA Piper	Christian Montinari, Antonio Longo
Gianni & Origoni	Fabio Chiarenza
LCA	Roberto Pellizzari, Maria Carla Barbarito
Pavia e Ansaldo	Giovanni Gigliotti, Maurizio Vasciminni, Marco Jannon
Russo De Rosa Associati	Leo de Rosa
Tavecchio & Associati	Andrea Tavecchio, Elisabetta De Lorenzi
Withers	Giulia Cipollini
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
Carnelutti	Gilberto Comi
Cleary Gottlieb Steen & Hamilton	Vania Petrella
Dentons	Andrea Fiorelli
Foglia & Partners	Giuliano Foglia
Tremonti Romagnoli Piccardi e Associati	Lorenzo Piccardi

### **VASAPOLLI & ASSOCIATI: SUPERIOR WEALTH-MANAGEMENT CAPABILITIES**



Andrea Vasapolli

Key Figure(s): Andrea Vasapolli Established: 1989

Track record: Pioneering firm that enjoys a distinguished reputation for its ability to provide well-rounded assistance on estate planning and generational transition to high-net-worth individuals. Clients turn to the firm to solve their most complicated issues, appreciating the firm's distinct ability to break new ground and find innovative solutions.

Team & differentiation: Andrea Vasapolli is recognized as one of the market's leading tax experts and has a high degree of specialization in wealth planning. Further burnishing his wealth management credentials, he is the scientific director of an in-depth study into the industry, a publication intended to be a training resource for other professionals. The firm is based in both Milan and Turin.



### **BANKING & FINANCE**

**Best Law Firms** 

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)		
	LEADING		
Batliner Wanger Batliner	Martin Batliner, Christian Batliner		
Gasser Partner	Hannes Arnold, Johannes Gasser		
Schurti Partners	Alexander Appel, Moritz Blasy, Andreas Schurti		
	EXCELLENT		
Advocatio Rechtsanwälte Grabher Dür	Johannes Dür, Johannes Grabher		
Marxer & Partner	Mario A. König, Armin Dobler		
Müller & Partner	Roland Müller		
Niedermüller	Matthias Niedermüller		
Seeger, Frick & Partner	Wolfgan Seeger		
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED		
Bergt & Partners	Peter Bergt, Josef Bergt		
Lampert & Partner	Siegbert Lampert		
Nägele	Thomas Nägele		
Paragraph 7	Christoph Bruckschweiger, Helene Rebholz		
RLP	Philipp Lennert		
NSF	Heinz Frommelt		
Walser	Manuel Walser		



# **INVESTMENT & CUSTODIAN**

#### **Best Law Firms**

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
	LEADING
Barclays	Ghislain de Brondeau
Deutsche Bank	Frank Krings
Lazard	Jean-Louis Girodolle
	EXCELLENT
Bank of America Merrill Lynch	Matt Cannon, Fernando Vicario
Banque Internationale À Luxembourg	Jeffrey Dentzer, Frédéric Sudret
BCEE - Banque et Caisse d'Epargne de l'Etat	Françoise Thoma
Bnp Paribas	Béatrice Belorgey, Maxime Cottin
Caceis	Philippe Bourgues
Canaccord Genuity	Michel Jacob
Crédit Suisse	Marco Stemper
DC Advisory	David Benin
Degroof Petercam	Kris de Souter
Société Générale Bank & Trust	Yves Cacclin
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
Edmond de Rothschild Europe	Yves Stein
EY	Christophe Vandendorpe
KPMG	Alexis Wolf
Mazars Financial Advisory Services	Hugo Dumas
PwC	Grégoire Huret
Quilvest CP	Arnaud Briand





# **BANKING & FINANCE**

### **Best Law Firms**

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
	LEADING
Clifford Chance	Steve Jacoby, Christian Kremer, Marc Mehlen
Elvinger Hoss Prussen	Katia Paniki
Linklaters	Eliane Dejardin Botelho, Nicolas Gauzès, Patrick Geortay, Nicki Kayser, Melinda Perera
	EXCELLENT
A&O Shearman	Frank Mausen, Paul Péporté, Pierre Schleimer
Arendt & Medernach	Mathieu Taillandier
Baker McKenzie	Laurent Fessmann, Jean-François Trapp
Brucher, Thieltgen & Partners	Nicolas Bernardy
BSP	Nuala Doyle, Laurent Lazard, Nicolas Widung
Loyens & Loeff	Anne-Marie Nicolas, Vassiliyan Zanev
Luther	Bob Scharfe, Eric Sublon
NautaDutilh	Sara Gerling, Josée Weydert, Margaretha Wilkenhuysen
Ogier	Jad Nader, Daniel Richards
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
Ashurst	Fabien Debroise
Bonn & Schmitt	Françoise Pfeiffer, Alex Schmitt
Dentons	Stéphane Hadet
DLA Piper	Xavier Guzman, Laurent Massinon
DSM Avocats À La Cour	Marie-Paule Gillen
GSK Stockmann	Manuel Fernandez, Andreas Heinzmann, Philipp Mössner, Corinna Schumacher, Valerio Scollo
Hogan Lovells	Ariane Mehrshahi Marks

Kleyr Grasso	Renata Jokubauskaite
Molitor	Michel Molitor
Simmons & Simmons	Louis-Maĕl Cogis, Cathrine Foldberg Møller
SJL Jimenez Lunz	Michel Jimenez Lunz
Stibbe	Gérald Origer
	RECOMMENDED
AKD	Basile Fémelat
Brouxel & Rabia	Samia Rabia
Chevalier & Sciales	Rémi Chevalier
CMS	Vivian Walry
Dechert	Marc Seimetz
Lexfield	Pierre-Yves Magerotte
Linari Law Firm	Guillaume Deflandre, Vincent Linari-Pierron
Norton Rose Fulbright	Stéphane Braun
Pinsent Masons	Michel Bulach
PwC Legal	Cédric Raffoul
Sedlo	Adrian Sedlo
Strelia	Etienne de Crepy

### PINSENT MASONS: LUXEMBOURG KNOW-HOW AND GLOBAL REACH



Michel Bulach

Key Figure(s): Michel Bulach Established: 2022

**Track record:** From business law to tax matters and financial regulation, Pinsent Masons offers a comprehensive range of services to corporations, investors, asset managers and leading financial institutions. Leveraging the expertise of teams across Europe, Africa, Asia and the Middle East, the firm's banking and finance practice provides pragmatic, strategic and business-oriented solutions.

Team & differentiation: Pinsent Masons understands that clients require more than just legal expertise; they need a trusted partner for organizational transformation. Michel Bulach, head of the Luxembourg office, advises financial institutions, insurance and reinsurance companies, asset managers, multinationals, SMEs and high-net-worth individuals on bank lending, capital markets and structured finance transactions.





# **RESTRUCTURING & INSOLVENCY**

### **Best Law Firms**

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Brucher, Thieltgen & Partners Nico	as Bernardy, Philippe Sylvestre, Nicolas Thieltgen
BSP Laure	e-Hélène Gaicio-Fievez, Linda Harroch, Christèle Pierre-Alexandre, Fabio Trevisan
DSM Avocats À La Cour Mario	Di Stefano, Renaud Le Squeren
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<b>Dentons</b> Chris	stel Dumont
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<b>Ogier</b> Hélèn	ne Arvis, Bertrand Geradin, Jad Nader, Daniel Richards, Laurent Thailly
Simmons & Simmons Louis	s-Maël Cogis
<b>Strelia</b> Etien	ne de Crepy
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<b>Dentons</b> Jean Luc Fisch	Dentons	Jean Luc Fisch
<b>Harneys</b> Vanessa Molloy	Harneys	Vanessa Molloy
<b>Lexfield</b> Romain Bordage	Lexfield	Romain Bordage
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#### Analysis

#### **OGIER:** INNOVATIVE FUND STRUCTURING EXPERTISE



Anne-Gaelle Delabve

Key Figure(s): Anne-Gaëlle Delabve Established: 2008

Track record: Ogier's investment fund practice excels at structuring diverse funds, including hedge, private equity, real estate, energy, credit and debt. Known for innovative solutions and cross-jurisdictional counsel, it frequently advises Luxembourg investment funds. The firm's proven track record makes it a compelling choice for clients seeking expert guidance on fund structuring

Team & differentiation: Led by seasoned professional Anne-Gaëlle Delabye, the team specializes in asset management, offering expert support for fund formation, ancillary services and navigating complex regulations. Covering both alternative and traditional funds throughout the entire fund lifecycle, clients can trust Ogier to optimize their fund operations efficiently.

#### **RUTSAERT LEGAL:** NO-NONSENSE, CLIENT FIRST APPROACH



**Ouentin Rutsaert** 

Key Figure(s): Quentin Established: 2010

Track record: Rutsaert Legal excels in structuring investment vehicles in Luxembourg, with a strong emphasis on Alternative Investment Funds. Our client base includes asset managers and high-net-worth individuals. Our legal team's extensive background in investment funds and corporate finance underscores our deep expertise in these areas.

Team & differentiation: Led by Quentin Rutsaert, our team specializes in corporate finance and investment funds. Recent projects include setting up private equity and fintech funds, assisting a German bank in securing assets for a real estate project, creating a securitization entity for a US lender, establishing a multi-strategy investment platform, and conducting a global restructuring for a NYSE-listed consumer goods company.

#### WHITE & CASE: PRIVATE EQUITY AND INVESTMENT FUND EXPERTS



Arnaud Cagi-Nicolau

Key Figure(s): Arnaud Cagi-Nicolau Established: 2022

Track record: White & Case's newly established Luxembourg office has extensive knowledge of investment funds and EU financial-service regulations. Catering to clients investing in Luxembourg and expanding globally, the team serves corporations and financial institutions with aplomb, making the firm a dependable partner for those requiring intricate navigation of financial landscapes and investment opportunities.

Team & differentiation: Led by Arnaud Cagi-Nicolau and Thierry Bosly, the team is renowned for its deep knowledge of investment-fund structuring, including collective and alternative funds such as private equity, real estate and debt funds. The duo routinely provide critical advice on derivative documentation, collateral management, and securities lending.

#### **CHEVALIER & SCIALES: ALTERNATIVE FUND STRUCTURING SPECIALISTS**



Olivier Sciales

Key Figure(s): Olivier Sciales and Cécile Rechstein Established: 2005

Track record: Chevalier & Sciales excels at guiding alternative funds, serving both new and established managers. The firm's expertise lies in time-to-market vehicles, focusing on RAIFs and SCSPs. Its advisory services span diverse asset classes, including traditional private equity and real estate, as well as emerging sectors like crypto, STOs, and hedge and debt funds.

Team & differentiation: Under the dynamic leadership of Olivier Sciales and Cécile Rechstein, the team has come to specialize in crypto and debt funds. Their expertise extends to navigating the evolving ESG regulation landscape, particularly in relation to the Sustainable Finance Disclosure Regulation, a fact that makes Chevalier & Sciales a go-to partner for cutting-edge financial solutions.

#### **METHODOLOGY**



#### The criteria are:

- Recognition & reputation of the firm in its market
- · Team size at partner and senior associate level; seniority and track record of
- Nature, quality and volume of matters handled by the firm
- Prestige, diversity and internationalization of the firm's client base
- · Recent team expansions that have proved demonstrably successful

In the course of our research, we gather detailed information from diverse

Law firms: through questionnaires and interviews, our team gets first-hand information about a firm's history, positioning, expertise and recent activity

Clients: we solicit the feedback of several thousand General Counsel, CFOs, Tax Managers and CEOs of domestic and multinational companies through anonymous questionnaires, meetings and phone interviews

Qualified third-parties: we collect the opinion of professionals who are neither clients nor competitors, such as: investment bankers, accountants, arbitrators, expert witnesses

Peer-review: We ask lawyers for their feedback on their local market and who they recommend when facing a conflict of interest. We also collect their opinion on lawyers they have worked with in other jurisdictions

## TAX LITIGATION

### **Best Law Firms**

In each tier, the firms are ordered alphabetically

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A&O Shearman	Jean Schaffner
Baker McKenzie	Diogo Duarte de Oliveira, Annie Elfassi, Amar Hamouche
BSP	Pol Mellina, Alain Steichen
DSM Avocats À La Cour	Mario Di Stefano, Alex Pham
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CMS	Frédéric Feyten
Dentons	Jean-Luc Fisch
Jeitz & Goerens	Jean-Luc Schaus
Maples Group	Jean-Dominique Morelli
Stibbe	Johan Léonard

### DSM AVOCATS: ELITE LUXEMBOURG TAX-LITIGATION EXPERTS



Alex Pham

Key Figure(s): Alex Pham Established: 2004

Track record: DSM's tax team excels in advising corporate clients on international transactions and investment structures. Their clientele includes Luxembourg companies, shareholders, lenders, borrowers, and pledgees. The team offers specialized tax advice for alternative investment funds such as SIFs, SICARs, and securitization vehicles, making them a trusted partner for comprehensive tax solutions.

Team & differentiation: DSM's tax team is adept at pre-litigation dispute resolution with tax authorities. Led by seasoned litigators Mario di Stefano and Alex Pham, the team skillfully navigates the Luxembourg tax landscape. They represent clients in both European and Luxembourg courts, solidifying DSM's reputation as a leading expert in tax-related matters.





# **CORPORATE TAX**

### **Best Law Firms**

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)  LEADING
A&O Shearman	Jean Schaffner
Baker McKenzie	Diogo Duarte de Oliveira, Amar Hamouche, Antonio Weffer
BSP	Gaëlle Felly, Alain Steichen
Loyens & Loeff	Dominique Afink, Christine Beernaerts, Willem Bon, Peter Moons, Frank Van Kuijk
	EXCELLENT
Arendt & Medernach	Thierry Lesage
Clifford Chance	Geoffrey Scardoni
CMS	Frédéric Feyten
Dentons	Jean-Luc Fisch
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
Bonn & Schmitt	Stéphane Ebel
DLA Piper	Luis Muñoz, Jacques Wantz
DSM Avocats À La Cour	Mario Di Stefano, Alex Pham
Elvinger Hoss Prussen	Yves Prussen
GSK Stockmann	Mathilde Ostertag, Katharina Schiffmann
Hogan Lovells	Gérard Neiens
Linklaters	Joakim-Antoine Charvet
NautaDutilh	Jean-Marc Groely
Norton Rose Fulbright	Florent Trouiller
Pinsent Masons	David Maria
Simmons & Simmons	Julie Carbiener, Pierre-Régis Dukmedjian

Strelia	Jean-Luc Dascotte
TS&P	André Pesch
AKD	Ayzo van Eysinga
Ashurst	Arnaud Julien
Charles Russell Speechlys	Yacine Diallo
Chevalier & Sciales	William Jean-Baptiste
Kleyr Grasso	Lionel Bonifazzi
Lexfield	Pierre-Yves Magerotte
Ogier	Aurelie Clementz
Stibbe	Bernard Beerens
White & Case	Christophe Goossens
	RECOMMENDED
Brucher, Thieltgen & Partners	Sami Ben Mahmoud, Nicolas Bernardy
Clément Konrad & Partners	Christophe Clément, Jens Konrad
Dupont Partners	Frédéric Dupont
Duro Partners	Charles Sébastien Duro
Eversheds Sutherland	Rafael Moll de Alba
Maples Group	Jean-Dominique Morelli, James O'Neal
Molitor	Pierre-Jean Estagerie
Van Campen Liem	Marcello Distasso, Raffaele Gargiulo

### BONN SCHMITT: EXCELLENCE, COMMITMENT AND AMBITION



Stéphane Ebel

**Key Figure(s)**: Stéphane Ebel Established: 1988

Track record: The practice encompasses corporate, international tax advisory and indirect taxes, earning it a stellar reputation both in Luxembourg and internationally. The firm is renowned for its meticulous and practical approach to complex tax structures. Its diverse clientele includes multinational corporations, high-net-worth individuals and both institutional and private investors.

Team & differentiation: Spearheaded by the vastly experienced Stéphane Ebel, the team excels at mitigating double taxation, managing corporate tax obligations and handling transfer pricing. Ebel's expertise covers pre-litigation and litigation across a wide variety of tax categories, with a special focus on direct taxes, VAT and registration fees.





# TRANSFER PRICING

### Best Law Firms

In each tier, the firms are ordered alphabetically

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
	LEADING
A&O Shearman	Patrick Mischo, Jean Schaffner
Arendt & Medernach	Alain Goebel
Baker McKenzie	Antonio Weffer
Loyens & Loeff	Dominique Afink, Peter Moons, Sophie Ogden
	EXCELLENT
CMS	Imelda Navarro Arroyo
Elvinger Hoss Prussen	Elisabeth Adam, Isabelle Gervais, Dirk Richter
Hogan Lovells	Gérard Neiens
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
Clément Konrad & Partners	Christophe Clément, Jens Konrad
DSM Avocats À La Cour	Alex Pham
<b>Dupont Partners</b>	Frédéric Dupont
Maples Group	Rui Duarte, James O'Neal
NautaDutilh	Jean-Marc Groelly
Norton Rose Fulbright	Florent Trouiller

# TRANSFER PRICING

### **Best Consulting Agencies**

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)	
LEADING		
Deloitte	Balazs Majoros, Xavier Sotillos-Jaime, Stephan Tilquin	
KPMG	Philippe Neefs	
PwC Luxembourg	Marc Rasch	
	EXCELLENT	
ATOZ	Oliver R. Hoor	
EY	Nicolas Gillet	
HIGHLY RECOMMENDED		
Grant Thornton	Jean-Nicolas Bourtembourg	
TS&P	Thomas Grenier, Carlos Morales	

### **WEALTH MANAGEMENT**

#### **Best Law Firms**

In each tier, the firms are ordered alphabetically

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
	LEADING
A&O Shearman	Jean Schaffner
Arendt & Medernach	Eric Fort
BSP	Alain Steichen, Fabio Trevisan
	EXCELLENT
Baker McKenzie	Élodie Duchene, Amar Hamouche
Charles Russell Speechlys	Yacine Diallo
Clifford Chance	Geoffrey Scardoni
Dentons	Jean-Luc Fisch
DLA Piper	Julie Hecklen, Jacques Wantz
Loyens & Loeff	Peter Adriaansen, Thierry Lohest
Norton Rose Fulbright	Florent Trouiller
Strelia	Jean-Luc Dascotte
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
DSM Avocats À La Cour	Mario Di Stefano, Alex Pham
Elvinger Hoss Prussen	Pit Reckinger
Hogan Lovells	Gérard Neiens
Lexfield	Pierre-Yves Magerotte
Molitor	Pierre-Jean Estagerie
Ogier	Bertrand Geradin
Retter	Simone Retter
Venkatapen	Donald Venkatapen
	RECOMMENDED
AKD	Virginie Leroy
Clément Konrad & Partners	Christophe Clément, Jens Konrad
<b>Dupont Partners</b>	Frédéric Dupont
Eversheds Sutherland	Rafael Moll de Alba
Luther	Mathieu Laurent, Selim Souissi, Eric Sublon
NautaDutilh	Jean-Marc Groelly
Stibbe	Johan Léonard
TS&P	Arnaud Lebrave

### CHARLES RUSSELL SPEECHLYS: LOCAL PRESENCE, GLOBAL NETWORK



Yacine Diallo

Key Figure(s): Yacine Diallo Established: 2011

Track record: Since its establishment in 2011, our boutique firm has built an impressive track record advising ultra-high-net-worth individuals, family offices, and multinational groups on M&A, real estate, venture capital, and family governance. We serve a high-profile clientele, including active investors and private equity funds, making wealth planning a cornerstone of our advisory services.

Team & differentiation: Under the leadership of Managing Partner Yacine Diallo, our team excels in advising international clients on cross-border deal structuring. We are adept at guiding European clients through regulatory changes and assisting Latin American clients transitioning to onshore European platforms. Our expertise and tailored approach make us a trusted partner in wealth management.

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# M&A

#### Best Affiliated Private Banks

Banks are ordered alphabetically

BANK	KEY FIGURE(S)
	MAPPING
Banca Popolare di Sondrio	Davide De Gottardi
Banque Européenne du Crédit Mutuel	Gilles Merle
Barclays	Gérald Mathieu
BNP Paribas Wealth Management	Patrick Gherara
Caisse d'Epargne Côte d'Azur	Henri D'Alessandro
Caisse Régionale du Crédit Agricole Provence Côte d'Azur	Rémi Raso
CFM Indosuez	Mathieu Ferragut
CIC	Laurent Di Mascio
Groupe BPCE	Régis Etienne
HSBC Private Bank	Adrian Kyriazi
La Banque Postale Monaco	Frank Feurra
LCL	Loīc De Villeneuve
Pictet & Cie	Alain Ucari
SMC Monaco	Francesco Grosoli
Société Générale Private Banking	Alexandre Rousseau
Union Bancaire Privée	Serene El Masri

## M&A

### Best Independent Private Banks

Banks are ordered alphabetically

BANK	KEY FIGURE(S)
	MAPPING
Andbank Monaco	Gérard Griseti
Bank Julius Baer	Albert Henriques Pascoal
Banque Havilland	Patrick Dauguet
Banque J. Safra Sarasin	Pierfilippo Castellano
Banque Richelieu	Thierry Pascault
BNP Paribas Wealth Management	Eric Aubin
СМВ	Francesco Grosoli
Crédit Mobilier de Monaco	Jean-Paul Torrel
Edmond de Rothschild	Cynthia Tobiano
EFG Bank	Carlo Maturi
Rothschild & CO	Laurent Vandrebeck
Société Générale Private Banking	Nicolas Feit
UBS Monaco	Agnès Falco
Union Bancaire Privée	Steven Urquhart

# **LEGAL ADVISORS**

### Best Legal Advisors

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)	
	LEADING	
DL Corporate & Regulatory	Rémi Delforge	
Donald Manasse Law Offices	Donald Manasse	
HFW	Andrew Charlier, Ian Cranston	
EXCELLENT		
A.L.F.A. Monaco	Mireille Chauvet	
Gordon S. Blair	David de Pariente	
Tempest Legal Services	Nathalie Tanzi	





# PORTFOLIO MANAGEMENT

### **Best Asset Management Companies**

Firms are ordered alphabetically

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
2PM	MAPPING  Aleco Keusseoglou
Altana Wealth	
	Lee Robinson
Arcora Gestion Monaco	Sabina Migliore, Serim Ülkümen
Aurelys	Victor Crivelli
Azura Monaco	Ali Jamal
Bank Julius Baer	Albert Henriques Pascoal
Banor	Lorenzo Bombarda
Barclays	Gérald Mathieu
Bedrock S.	Jihad Tabbara
Black Oak	Laurent Lancelin
BSI	Anthony Torriani
CFE Finance Group	Alessandro Cominelli
CGM - Azimut Monaco	Sergio Bindi
Churchill Capital	Patrick Churchill
Citi Global Wealth Management	Alastair Thorpe-Beeston
СМВ	Francesco Lama
Compagnie de Gestion Privée	Brendan Kermorvan
Crescendo Capital	Benjamin Diwan, Douglas Kalen
Crossbridge Capital	Tarek P. Khlat
EFG Bank	Carlo Maturi
Field Street Capital Management	Rod Gancas
Financial Strategy	Gianni Romano
GFG Groupe Financier de Gestion	Stefano Zavaglia
Global Securities	Luigi Sutera

H2O Asset Manageme	<b>nt</b> Br	runo Crastes
Knight Vinke Asset M	<b>anagement</b> Er	ric Knight
Leonteq Securities	Al	lejandro Pou Cuturi
MAC Asset Manageme	nt Br	runo Birri
Mesirow Financial	Ві	rian D. Price
Monaco Asset Manage	ment An	nthony Stent-Torriani
Moneikos Global Asse	t Management Ev	velyn Vougessis Machas
MPM & Partners	G	abriele Marotta
Nemesis Asset Manag	ement Be	ernardo P. Brunschwiler
Pamplona Capital Ma	nagement St	reve Gauci
Pasha Investments	Fa	arid Pasha
Penta Advisory Mona	co M	laurice Benezra
Pictet & Cie	Al	lain Ucari
Pleion Wealth Partner	s Xa	avier Midorge
Privatam	St	anislas Perromat
Prometheus Wealth M	anagement M	fatthieu Letort
Purple Capital Group	Ri	ida Lababedi
Quay Partners	Tl	homas Underwood
SAM Forte Securities	<b>Monaco</b> Je	roen Numan
SGPB Monaco	Ju	ılien Tamaiuolo
Silex	Jo	pana Lopes
Spinnaker	Al	lexis Habib
SSVL	Lo	ouise Curran
Tavira Securities	El	liot Goodfellow
TC Stratégie Financiè	re Ti	hierry Crovetto
Tyrus Capital	Ai	ntoine Chedraoui
Victoria Capital Mana	gement D	iane V. Nugent
Voltylab	Fi	ilippo Colombo
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# M&A

### Best Investment Banks & Consulting Firms

In each tier, the Banks/firms are ordered alphabetically

KEY FIGURE(S)

BANK/FIRM

	LEADING
Axeco	Bart Buijs
Crédit Suisse	William Mansfield
Goldman Sachs	Andre Kelleners
J.P. Morgan	Cassander Verwey
	EXCELLENT
ABN AMRO Bank	Sander Neeteson
Bank of America	Birger Berendes
ING Bank	Steven van Rijswijk
Jefferies	Serge Fielmich, Dominic Lester
Morgan Stanley	Marius Brinkhorst
Rabobank	Paul Schram
Rothschild & Co.	Sander Griffejoen
Citi	David Livingstone
Deloitte Financial	David Janmaat, Jorg Schalekamp
Deutsche Bank	Derek Shakespeare
KPMG	Edwin Herrie
Lazard	Bas van der Vlist

# **BANKING & FINANCE**

### **Best Law Firms**

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
	LEADING
A&O Shearman	Niels De Ru, Femke Bierman
Clifford Chance	Titus de Vries, Angela McEwan, Jelle Hofland
	EXCELLENT
DLA Piper	Lex Oosterling
NautaDutilh	Arjan Pors, Michaēla Ulrici
Dentons	Jacqueline Bell, Marcel Janssen
Loyens & Loeff	Kim Koops
Stibbe	Maarten de Bruin, Rein van Helden, Marieke Driessen
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
De Brauw Blackstone Westbroek	Bas Boutellier, Ferdinand Hengst
Freshfields Bruckhaus Deringer	Thijs Flokstra, Mandeep Lotay
Hogan Lovells	Robert Masman, Wouter Jongen
Houthoff	Loet Venrooy, Jessica Terpstra
Linklaters	Paul Kuipers
Norton Rose Fulbright	Wouter Hertzberger
Van Doorne	Angelique Thiele, Stefan van Rossum, Jelmer Baukema
	RECOMMENDED
Baker McKenzie	Fedor Tanke, Corinne Schot
Simmons & Simmons	Rezah Stegeman, Ivo van Dijk
Stek	Maarten van der Graaf, Marleen Veenstra, Sharon Kaufmann, Herman Wamelink
AKD	Vincent Bettonville
CMS	Eduard Scheenstra
Heussen	Martijn Koot, Sandy van der Schaaf
Lexence	Charles Destrée
Orange Clover Law	Kees Hooft



# **DEBT CAPITAL MARKETS (DCM)**

### **Best Law Firms**

In each tier, the firms are ordered alphabetically

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)	
	LEADING	
A&O Shearman	Jonathan Heeringa	
Clifford Chance	Tineke Kothe, Jurgen van der Meer	
Linklaters	Hugo van der Molen	
	EXCELLENT	
NautaDutilh	Petra Zijp, Antonia Netiv, Elizabeth van Schilfgaarde	
Simmons & Simmons	Peter Voorhees, Shari Taylor Molloy	
HIGHLY RECOMMENDED		
Loyens & Loeff	Michel van Agt, Martijn Schoonewille	
Freshfields Bruckhaus Deringer	Thijs Flokstra	
De Brauw Blackstone Westbroek	Ferdinand Hengst, Bas Boutellier	
Baker McKenzie	Rebecca Kuijpers Zimmerman, Corinne Schot, Philippe Steffens	
Hogan Lovells	Wouter Jongen, Robert Masman	
Houthoff	André de Neve, Paul de Vries, Alexander Kaarls, Jessica Terpstra	
Stibbe	Rein van Helden, Marieke Driessen, Maarten de Bruin	

# **EQUITY CAPITAL MARKETS (ECM)**

#### **Best Law Firms**

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
	LEADING
De Brauw Blackstone Westbroek	Jan Willem Hoevers, Gaby Smeenk
Stibbe	Derk Lemstra, Pieter Schütte
A&O Shearman	Tim Stevens
NautaDutilh	Antonia Netiv, Paul van der Bijl, Petra Zijp
	EXCELLENT
Clifford Chance	Jurgen van der Meer, Han Teerink
Houthoff	Alexander Kaarls, Jetty Tukker, André de Neve
Linklaters	Menno Baks, Alexander Harmse
Freshfields Bruckhaus Deringer	Thijs Flokstra, Hanneke Rothbarth
Greenberg Traurig	Jelmer Kalisvaart, Bas Vettler
Loyens & Loeff	Martijn Schoonewille, Michel van Agt
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
Baker McKenzie	Rebecca Kuijpers Zimmerman
Bird & Bird	Michiel Wurfbain
CMS	Reinout Slot
Simmons & Simmons	Peter Voorhees

# **RESTRUCTURING & INSOLVENCY**

# Best Law Firms

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
	LEADING
A&O Shearman	Sigrid Jansen, Aroen Kuitenbrouwer
Clifford Chance	Jelle Hofland, Ilse van Gasterenvan Gasteren
De Brauw Blackstone Westbroek	Ferdinand Hengst
Houthoff	Frédéric Verhoeven, Christiaan Zijderveld
NautaDutilh	Barbara Rumora-Scheltema, Teun Struycken, Robert Van Galen
	EXCELLENT
Freshfields Bruckhaus Deringer	Michael Broeders
Loyens & Loeff	Vincent Vroom
RESOR	Esther Oppedijk
Stibbe	Job van Hooff
Wijn & Stael	Remco Vermaire, Noor Zetteler
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
AKD	Barend de Roy van Zuidewijn
Baker McKenzie	Itse Oosterhoff
CMS	Marc van Zanten
Dentons	Marien Glerum, Marc Kuijper
DLA Piper	Marc Molhuysen
Florent	Hanneke De Coninck-Smolders, Kees Van de Meent
HVG Law	Johan Westerhof
Jones Day	Jasper Berkenbosch
Linklaters	Paul Kuipers
Norton Rose Fulbright	Wouter Hertzberger, Yke Lennartz
Simmons & Simmons	Ivo van Dijk
Van Doorne	Stefan van Rossum
Windt Le Grand Leeuwenburgh	Marcel Windt





### Best Law Firms

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
	LEADING
Baker McKenzie	Antonio Russo
De Brauw Blackstone Westbroek	Wiebe dijkstra, Henk van Ravenhorst
Loyens & Loeff	Arco Bobeldijk
Stibbe	Michael Molenaars
	EXCELLENT
A&O Shearman	Godfried Kinnegim
Houthoff	Sylvia Dikmans
Clifford Chance	Michiel Sunderman
Freshfields Bruckhaus Deringer	Eelco Van der Stok
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
Atlas	Roelof Gerritsen, Bas Leensma, Matthijs Wierenga
Bird & Bird	Willem Bongaerts
DLA Piper	Daan Arends
Hamelink & Van den Tooren	Jan van Den Tooren
NautaDutilh	Chris Warner
	RECOMMENDED
AKD	Huub Laauwen, René van der Paardt
Buren	Cees-Frans Greeven, Peter van Dijk
CMS	Herman Boersen
Dentons	Jurjen Bevers, Heico Reinoud
Greenberg Traurig	Thomas van der Vliet
Jones Day	Ate Veenstra
Linklaters France	Dick Hofland
Norton Rose Fulbright	Bart Le Blanc
Van Campen Liem	Marcello Distaso, Gesina van de Wetering
Van Doorne	Ewout van Asbeck



# **BANKING & FINANCE**

#### **Best Law Firms**

	FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
		LEADING
	Advokatfirmaet Schjødt	Anders Gullåsen, Camilla Skøie Mørkve
	BAHR	Ida Marie Windrup, Richard Sjøqvist, Magnus Tønseth
	Thommessen	Einar Grette, Hans Haugstad, Kristoffer Hegdahl, Halvor Mansåker, Ellen Teresa Heyerdahl
	Wiersholm	Atle Gabrielsen, Kristine Hasle, Petter Thomren Moltu
	Wikborg Rein	Ole Andenæs, Lars-Erik Østerbø, Johan Rasmussen, Stian Tande Mortensen, Alexander W. Owesen
		EXCELLENT
	Advokatfirmaet Selmer	Christopher A. Jensen, Tor Herdlevær, Per Morten Christiansen, Bernt Olav Steinland
	Arntzen De Besche	Rune Haglund, Trond Kildal, Vidar Løhre, Karl Rosén, Siril Visnes
	Simonsen Vogt Wiig	Peter Aall Simonsen, Christian Berg Meland, Ingar Fuglevåg, Halvor Klingenberg, Erlend Lous, Christine Rødsæther
		HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
1	Advokatfirmaet Haavind	Hans-Christian Donjem
	CMS Kluge	Snorre Haukali, Dag Thomas Hansson
	Dla Piper Norway	Børge A. Grøttjord, Camilla Julie Wollan, Fredrik Lindblom, Erik Ramm
2	Advokatfirmaet Grette	Erik Alsvik Skogsbakken, Johan Christian Kongsli
	Kvale Advokatfirma	Stine Dalenhag Snertingdalen, Christian Stang Våland, Hillevi Torngren Myrhe
	Sands	Ole Christian Sandnes Jenssen, Stein Hegdal, Odd Moe, Pia Sporstøl





# Best Law Firms

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
	LEADING
BAHR	Anne Sofie Bjørkholt, Camilla Jøtun, Joachim M. Bjerke
Deloitte Advokatfirma	Stig A. Sperre, Per Evers, Audun Frøland, Hans Martin Jørgensen
Ernst & Young Advokatfirma	Øystein Arff Gulseth, Mette Granheim
Thommessen	Marius Holm Rynning
Wiersholm	Bettina Banoun, Andreas Bullen, Morten Goller, Nicolay Vold
	EXCELLENT
Advokatfirmaet Pricewaterhousecoopers	Svein Gunnar Stang Hansen, Pål Heggernes, Lars Helge Aasen, Stian Roska Revheim, Ståle Wangen
Advokatfirmaet Selmer	Einar Bakko, Are Fagerhaug, Sverre Hveding
KPMG Law Advokatfirma	Cathrine Bjerke Dalheim, Per Daniel Nyberg, Thor Leegaard
Wikborg Rein	Kaare Andreas Shetelig, Anders Myklebust, Are Zachariassen
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
Advokatfirmaet Haavind	Nils Flesland Bull, Goud Helge Homme Fjellheim, Espen Nordbø
Advokatfirmaet Schjødt	Cecilie Amdahl, Morten Sandli
Arntzen De Besche	Eyvind Sandvik, Rune Tjomsås Andersen
CMS Kluge	Anders Heieren, Amund Noss, Frode Olsen
Harboe & Co	Knut Ekern, J. Christian Grevstad, Einar Harboe, Harald Hauge
	RECOMMENDED
Advokatfirmaet Grette	Kari-Ann Mosti, Anders Nordli
Brækhus Advokatfirma	Nils Eriksen, Toralv Follestad, Antonio Holstad
DLA Piper Norway	Jonas Aartun
Ræder Bing	Anne Gro Enger, Tone Kaarbø
Sands	Torgeir Fjeldskaar, Ulf H. Sørdal, John Olav Auran
Simonsen Vogt Wiig	Anette Fjeld, Fredrik Haberer Anfinsen, Vidar Kleppe, Eldar Nesset



#### **Best Law Firms**

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
	LEADING
Baker McKenzie	Slawomir Boruc, Katarzyna Kopczewska
Dentons Warsaw	Cezary Przygodzki
	EXCELLENT
CMS Cameron McKenna Nabarro Olswang Posniak i Bejm	Paulina Karpińska-Huzior, Andrzej Posniak
Domanski Zakrzewski Palinka	Artur Nowak, Joanna Wierzejska
Olesinski & Wspolnicy	Wojciech Fryze
Soltysinski Kawecki & Szlezak	Jarosław Bieroński
HIGH	LY RECOMMENDED
Andersen Global	Rafał Ciołek, Aleksandra Kalinowska, Elżbieta Lis, Marcin Matyka
DLA Piper	Bartosz Matusik
DWF Poland	Adrian Jonca, Izabela Plis, Katarzyna Stec
Greenberg Traurig Grzesiak	Tomasz Kacymirow, Marek Kozaczuk
GWW Wozny i Wspolnicy Sp. K.	Artur Cmoch, Andrzej Ladzi <b>ń</b> ski
Hogan Lovells	Andrzej Debiec
Radzikowski, Szubielska I Wspólnicy	Dorota Szubielska
Rymarz Zdort	Robert Krasnodebski, Leszek Tokarski
Wardynski & Partners	Michał Nowacki, Dariusz Wasylkowski
R	ECOMMENDED
FKA	Mariusz Aleksandrowicz
Gide	Dariusz Tokarczuk
Kancelaria Ozóg Tomczykowski	Paweł Tomczykowski
Kochanski & Partners	Andrzej Malec
Linklaters	Mikołaj Bieniasz
NGL Tax	Katarzyna Czerkies-Laskowska, Rafał Stokrocki
Penteris	Artur Plutowski
PragmatIQ Kancelaria Prawna Szymkowiak	Dominika Jaszczyk, Wojciech Kaptur, Rafał Szymkowiak
SSW Pragmatic Solutions	Patrycja Goździowska
Wolf Theiss	Karolina Stawowska





# **BANKING & FINANCE**

### **Best Law Firms**

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
	LEADING
A&O Shearman	Tomasz Kawczyński, Arkadiusz Pędzich
Clifford Chance	Grzegorz Namiotkiewicz, Andrzej Stosio
Linklaters	Marta Domino, Jarosław Miller
	EXCELLENT
Norton Rose Fulbright	Grzegorz Dyczkowski
CMS	Michał Mężykowski
Dentons Warsaw	Piotr Nerwiński, Mark Segall, Mateusz Toczyski
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
Baker McKenzie	Michal Glowacki, Pawel Wajda
DLA Piper	Mariusz Hyla
Domanski Zakrzewski Palinka	Andrzej Foltyn, Magdalena Skowrońska
Gide Loyrette Nouel	Paweł Grześkowiak, Marta Karmińska
Greenberg Traurig Grzesiak	Andrzej Wysokiński
Hogan Lovells	Piotr Zawislak
Rymarz Zdort	Zofia Frydrychowicz
Soltysinski Kawecki & Szlezak	Tomasz Kanski, Marcin Olechowski
SSW Pragmatic Solutions	Szymon Okoń, Wojciech Szczepaniak
Wardynski & Partners	Łukasz Szegda, Krzysztof Wojdyło
White & Case	Grzegorz Abram
WKB Wiercinski, Kwiecinski, Baehr	Agnieszka Bartolik
	RECOMMENDED
Bird & Bird	Maciej Georg, Sławomir Szepietowski
Deloitte Legal	Tomasz Ostrowski, Aneta Urban
DWF Poland	Radosław Cebeliński, Tomasz Kaczmarek
Kochanski & Partners	Weronika Magdziak-Śliwa, Andrzej Pałys
Radzikowski, Szubielska I Wspólnicy	Martyna Kami <b>ń</b> ska-Tabaka, Agnieszka Piasecka
Wolf Theiss	Przemysław Kozdój
	VALUABLE PRACTICE
BSJP	Jörn Brockhuis, Katarzyna Domańska-Mołdawa
Czabański Gałuszyński i Partnerzy	Jacek Czabański, Piotr Gałuszyński
Eversheds Sutherland	Mateusz Dereszyński
Kycia Legal	Anna Kycia
Schoenherr	Paweł Halwa
Squire Patton Boggs Swiecicki Krzesniak	Peter Swiecicki, Marcin Wnukowski

# **RESTRUCTURING & INSOLVENCY**

### **Best Law Firms**

	FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
		LEADING
	A&O Shearman	Bartosz Merczy <b>ń</b> ski
	Clifford Chance	Miłosz Gołąb, Bartosz Krużewski
	Dentons Warsaw	Anna Maria Pukszto
		EXCELLENT
	DLA Piper	Mariusz Hyla, Krzysztof Kycia
	Wkb Wiercinski, Kwiecinski, Baehr	Andrzej Wierciński
	Zimmerman Sierakowski I Partnerzy	Norbert Frosztęga, Bartosz Sierakowski, Piotr Zimmerman
		HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
1	Kochanski & Partners	Rafał Rapala
	Lesnodorski, Slusarek & Partners	Władysław Bieńkowski
	Rymarz Zdort	Zofia Frydrychowicz, Jakub Rachwol
	Wardynski & Partners	Konrad Grotowski
2	Baker McKenzie	Karol Czepukojć
	Domanski Zakrzewski Palinka	Bartosz Marcinkowski, Marek Świątkowski
	Greenberg Traurig Grzesiak	Andrzej Wysoki <b>ń</b> ski
	KKLW Kurzynski Lyszyk Wierzbicki	Przemyslaw Wierzbicki
	Linklaters	Jarosław Miller
	Norton Rose Fulbright	Grzegorz Dyczkowski, Tomasz Rogalski
	SSW Pragmatic Solutions	Janusz Mazurek
	Wolf Theiss	Eva Spiegel



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# **BANKING & FINANCE**

### **Best Law Firms**

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
	LEADING
Linklaters	Francisco Ferraz de Carvalho, Gonçalo Veiga de Macedo
Morais Leitão, Galvão Teles, Soares Da Silva & Associados	Luís Branco, Filipe Lowndes Marques
PLMJ	Bruno Ferreira, André Figueiredo
VdA	Paula Gomes Freire, Benedita Aires, Pedro Cassiano Santos, Tiago Correia Moreira, Hugo Moredo Santos
	EXCELLENT
Abreu Advogados	Ana Sofia Batista, José Maria Corrêa de Sampaio, Rodrigo Formigal, Diogo Pereira Duarte
CS'Associados	Duarte Brito de Goes, Maria Castelos
Cuatrecasas	Manuel Requicha Ferreira, Paulo Costa Martins, Margarida Leal Oliveira, Ana Sofia Silva
Sérvulo & Associados	Manuel Magalhães, Paulo Câmara, Verónica Fernández, Francisco Barona, Francisco Boavida Salavessa
SRS Legal	João Santos Carvalho, William Smithson, Alexandra Valente
Uría Menéndez	Hélder Frias, Miguel Rodrigues Leal
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
CMS Portugal	António Payan Martins, Francisco Xavier de Almeida
DLA Piper ABBC	Nuno Azevedo Neves
Garrigues	Vasco Rodrigues
Raposo Bernardo & Associados	Nelson Raposo Bernardo
SPS	Pedro Malta da Silveira, Filipa Ruano Pinto, Pedro Miguel Cabral
	RECOMMENDED
J+Legal	Diogo Leónidas Rocha
Miranda & Associados	Mafalda Oliveira Monteiro, Nuno Cabeçadas, João Leite
Pérez-Llorca	Carlos Vaz de Almeida, Manuel Cordeiro Ferreira, Inês Palma Ramalho
Telles	Márcio Carreira Nobre
	VALUABLE PRACTICE
Caiado Guerreiro	João Caiado Guerreiro
Ferreira Pinto Cardigos	Maria Almeida Fernandes, Pedro Cardigos
Macedo Vitorino & Associados	António de Macedo Vitorino, André Dias
Gómez-Acebo & Pombo	Mafalda Barreto
PBBR Sociedade de Advogados	Sofia de Sales Sousinha, Alexandre Jardim

# **RESTRUCTURING & INSOLVENCY**

### **Best Law Firms**

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
	LEADING
Cuatrecasas	Manuel Requicha Ferreira, Maria Raquel Moreira, Diana Simão Lourenço
Linklaters	Nuno Ferreira Lousa
Morais Leitão, Galvão Teles, Soares Da Silva & Associados	Nuno Gundar da Cruz, Filipe Lowndes Marques
PLMJ	Joaquim Shearman de Macedo, Duarte Schmidt Lino, Nuno Líbano Monteiro, Pedro Caetano Nunes
Uría Menéndez	Nuno Salazar Casanova, David Sequeira
	EXCELLENT
CMS Portugal	Miguel Esperança Pina, Gonçalo Madeira, António Payan Martins, Nuno Pena
Sérvulo & Associados	Mafalda Ferreira Santos, Manuel Magalhães, João Saúde, António Teles
VdA	Frederico Gonçalves Pereira, Cláudia da Cruz Almeida
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
Abreu Advogados	Gonçalo Delicado, Francisco Patrício, Eduardo Peixoto Gomes
Gómez-Acebo & Pombo	Mafalda Barreto, Filipa Cotta
SRS Legal	José Jácome, Natália Garcia Alves, Carla Neves Matias
Telles	Fernando Pizarro Monteiro, Nuno Miguel Lourenço
	RECOMMENDED
Caiado Guerreiro	Sandra Ferreira Dias
Pra - Raposo, Sá Miranda & Associados	Susana Santos Valente
	VALUABLE PRACTICE
Pares Advogados	Pedro Carreira Albano, Sandra Severino
SPS	Nédia da Fonseca Nunes, Mónica Gonçalves Nunes, Filipa Ruano Pinto
Cerejeira Namora, Marinho Falcão	Nuno Cerejeira Namora, Zita Xavier Medeiro, Pedro Barbosa Morais





### **Best Law Firms**

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
	LEADING
Cuatrecasas	Serena Cabrita Neto, Pedro Vidal Matos, Gonçalo Bastos Lopes
Garrigues	Pedro Miguel Braz, Fernando Castro Silva
Morais Leitão, Galvão Teles, Soares Da Silva & Associados	Francisco de Sousa da Câmara, Bruno Santiago, Isabel Santos Fidalgo
Uría Menéndez	Marta Pontes, Filipe Romão
VdA	Conceição Gamito, Tiago Marreiros Moreira, Joaquim Pedro Lampreia
	EXCELLENT
Abreu Advogados	Maria Inês Assis, Alexandra Courela, Nuno Cunha Barnabé, Miguel Teixeira de Abreu
CS'Associados	António Rocha Mendes
Linklaters	Rui Camacho Palma, Inês Pisco Bento
PLMJ	Isaque Ramos
RFF Lawyers	Rogério Fernandes Ferreira, Marta Machado de Almeida
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
CCA Law	Tânia de Almeida Ferreira
CMS Portugal	Patrick Dewerbe, Nuno Figueirôa Santos
DLA Piper ABBC	António Moura Portugal, Inês Teixeira
MFA Legal	Samuel Almeida, Joana Heitor

Miranda & Associados	Lilia Tomé de Azevedo, Leonardo Marques dos Santos, Ana Pinelas Pinto
Sérvulo & Associados	Ana Moutinho Nascimento, Teresa Pala Schwalbach
SRS Legal	Mafalda Alves
Telles	Miguel Torres, João Luís Araujo, André Gonçalves, Abílio Rodrigues
	RECOMMENDED
CCSL Advogados	José Calejo Guerra
Deloitte Legal	Jorge Costa Martins, Susana Soutelinho
Eversheds Sutherland FCB	Bruno Arez Martins, Diogo Bernardo Monteiro
PRA - Raposo, Sá Miranda & Associados	Nuno Oliveira Santos
RPBA - Ricardo Da Palma Borges & Associados	Ricardo da Palma Borges, Ana Rita Pereira
	VALUABLE PRACTICE
Antas da Cunha ECIJA	João Magalhães Ramalho, Joana Cunha d'Almeida
Belim Castilho	Catarina Belim, Luís Castilho
Caiado Guerreiro	Tiago Caiado Guerreiro, Ana Castro Gonçalves
Espanha e Associados	Elsa Rodrigues
Gama Gloria	João Taborda da Gama

#### MIRANDA & ASSOCIADOS: WINNING BLEND OF INTERNATIONAL EXPERTISE AND LOCAL KNOWLEDGE



Key figure(s): Rita Correia, Ana Pinelas Pinto and Leonardo Marques dos Santos Established: 1987

Track record: Miranda & Associados specializes in tax advisory and litigation in the energy sector for large and medium-sized Portuguese and international companies across various industries. Its wide range of experience includes matters for the petroleum, mining and maritime industries. It has expertise in taxation regimes applicable to NGOs as well as cross-border deals.

Team & differentiation: As part of one of the few truly international Portuguese-based law firms, with offices in 16 countries across four continents, Miranda & Associados combines international standards with in-depth knowledge of local practices. It offers tailor-made solutions and advises on highly complex tax issues in a variety of jurisdictions.

Ana Pinelas Pinto



# **BANKING & FINANCE REGULATORY**

#### **Best Law Firms**

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
	LEADING
Finreg360	Gloria Hernández Aller, Jorge Ferrer Barreiro, Úrsula García
KPMG Abogados	Francisco Uría, Pilar Galán Gavilá
	EXCELLENT
Cuatrecasas	Jorge Canta, Fernando Mínguez, Miguel Sánchez Mojo
Deloitte Legal	Francisco Javier Ramírez Arbués, Manuel Gómez Gilabert
Garrigues	Luis de la Peña
Linares Abogados	Miguel Linares, Lidia Pérez Martín
Linklaters	Paloma Fierro
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
CMS Albiñana & Suárez de Lezo	Ricardo Plasencia
CMS Albiñana & Suárez de Lezo  Eversheds Sutherland	
	Ricardo Plasencia
Eversheds Sutherland	Ricardo Plasencia  Manuel López
Eversheds Sutherland Pérez-Llorca	Ricardo Plasencia  Manuel López  Josefina Garcia Pedroviejo
Eversheds Sutherland  Pérez-Llorca  Roca & Junyent	Ricardo Plasencia  Manuel López  Josefina Garcia Pedroviejo  Xavier Foz, Joan Roca
Eversheds Sutherland  Pérez-Llorca  Roca & Junyent	Ricardo Plasencia  Manuel López  Josefina Garcia Pedroviejo  Xavier Foz, Joan Roca  Maria Gracia Rubio de Casas

# **BANKING & FINANCE: ADVISORY**

### **Best Law Firms**

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	LEADING
A&O Shearman	Ignacio Ruiz-Cámara, Jimena Urretavizcaya, Juan Hormaechea, Vanessa Cuellas
Clifford Chance	José Guardo, Epifanio Pérez, Rodrigo Uría
Linklaters	Juan Barona, Francisco Sainz Trapaga, Begoña Martínez
Uría Menéndez	Ángel Pérez, Carlos de Cárdenas, Sebastián Sáenz de Santa María, Luis Jiménez
	EXCELLENT
Cuatrecasas	Fernando Bernad, Héctor Bros, Rafael Mínguez, Íñigo Rubio, Cristóbal Cotta, Beatriz Causapé
DLA Piper	César Herrero
Freshfields Bruckhaus Deringer	Iñaki Gabilondo, Ana López
Garrigues	Gaspar Atienza, Gonzalo Rivera
Gómez-Acebo & Pombo	Rafael Aguilera Álvarez, Miguel Lamo de Espinosa, Verónica Romaní Sancho
Latham & Watkins	Fernando Colomina, Pedro de Rojas
Pérez-Llorca	Ander Valverde, Ildefonso Arenas, Fernando Quicios, Fausto Romero-Miura
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
Addleshaw Goddard	Joaquín Sales, Félix Hernández
Herbert Smith Freehills	Armando García-Mendoza
Hogan Lovells	Alfredo Barona, José Luis Vázquez
White & Case	Fernando Navarro
	RECOMMENDED
Araoz & Rueda	Rafael Bazán
Ashurst	Jose Christian Bertram, Irian Martínez
Baker McKenzie	Rossanna D'Onza
Dentons	Jabier Badiola, Jesús Mardomingo
Jones Day	Javier López Antón
Ontier	Amado Giménez Bono
Ramon Y Cajal Abogados	Carlos Gutiérrez
Squire Patton Boggs	Manuel Mingot, Pablo Rodríguez Abelenda
Watson Farley & Williams	Jose María Anarte
	VALUABLE PRACTICE
Broseta	Antonio J. Navarro, Miguel Navarro Máñez, Carlos Salinas
Cases & Lacambra	Toni Barios, Miguel Cases
Eversheds Sutherland	Teresa Villarroya
Lesayra	Abraham Nájera Pascual
RCD	Jesús Estévez, Iñigo Montesino-Espartero
Roca & Junyent	José Luis Pita da Veiga, Xavier Foz
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# **PROJECT FINANCE**

### **Best Law Firms**

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
A&O Shearman	LEADING  Ignacio Ruiz-Cámara, Charles Poole-Warren, Jimena Urretavizcaya, Vanessa Cuellas
Clifford Chance	José Guardo, Eugenio Fernández-Rico
Cuatrecasas	Fernando Bernad, Agustín Cerdá, Héctor Bros, Íñigo Rubio, Pol Solson, Carlos Lasarte
Garrigues	Gaspar Atienza, Marcos Botella, José Miguel Pinillos
Gómez-Acebo & Pombo	Santiago Gómez-Acebo Carvajal, Carlos Marina, Verónica Romaní, Carlos Rueda
Watson Farley & Williams	Jose María Anarte, Rodrigo Berasategui
	EXCELLENT
DLA Piper	César Herrero
Linklaters	Jorge Alegre, Juan Barona, Ben Crosse, José Giménez
Pérez-Llorca	Mónica de San Román, Ander Valverde, Ildefonso Arenas Almansa
Uría Menéndez	Àngel Pérez, Juan Ignacio González, José-Félix Zaldívar
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
Addleshaw Goddard	Joaquín Sales
Ashurst	Andrés Alfonso, Jose Christian Bertram
Baker McKenzie	Juan Gelabert Chasco
Dentons	Jabier Badiola, Jesús Mardomingo
Freshfields Bruckhaus Deringer	Iñaki Gabilondo
Herbert Smith Freehills	Armando García-Mendoza, Sergio Cires
Jones Day	Javier López Antón
Squire Patton Boggs	Manuel Mingot
White & Case	Fernando Navarro
	RECOMMENDED
Araoz & Rueda	Pedro A. Rueda, Rafael Bazàn
Cases & Lacambra	Toni Barios
Hogan Lovells	Alfredo Barona, José Luis Vázquez
Lesayra	Abraham Nájera Pascual

### **Best Law Firms**

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
	LEADING
A&O Shearman	Ishtar Sancho
Cuatrecasas	Ignacio Costa, Martí Adroer, Antonio Barba, Carlos Ferrer, Paz Irazusta, Fernando Remón
Garrigues	Eduardo Abad Valdenebro, Ramón Tejada
Uría Menéndez	Victor Viana, Rafael García, Guillermo Canalejo, Jesús López Tello, David López
	EXCELLENT
Baker McKenzie	Bruno Dominguez, Rodrigo Ogea, Luis Briones
Clifford Chance	Pablo Serrano de Haro
EY Abogados	Adolfo Zunzunegui, Araceli Saenz de Navarrete
Freshfields Bruckhaus Deringer	Bosco Montejo
Hogan Lovells	Miguel Ángel Sánchez
Latham & Watkins	Jordi Domínguez, Ivan Rabanillo
Linklaters	Javier García-Pita
Pérez-Llorca	José Azqueta, Clara Jiménez, Norma Peña, José Suárez, José Ramón Vizcaíno
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
Addleshaw Goddard	Alberto Ruano, Pablo Tejerizo
Ashurst	Eduardo Gracia, Javier Hernández Galante
Deloitte Legal	Luis Fernando Guerra, Brian Leonard, Francisco Martín Barrios
DLA Piper	Miguel Baz, Carlos Rodríguez, César Salagaray
Eversheds Sutherland	Antonio Cuéllar Prats
Gómez-Acebo & Pombo	Eduardo Martínez-Matosas, Enrique Ortega Carballo, Angel Vaillo, Javier Vinuesa Magnet, Javier Gazulla
KPMG Abogados	Alberto Estrelles
	RECOMMENDED
Araoz & Rueda	Javier Prieto
Cases & Lacambra	Jorge Del Castillo, Alberto Gil, Ernesto Lacambra, David Navarro



Capelleras & Villagra-Noriega	Jordi Capelleras, Víctor Villagra
Chevez Ruiz Zamarripa	Pere Pons, Miguel Bastida
CMS Albiñana & Suárez de Lezo	Diego de Miguel
Dentons	María Cortizas
Fieldfisher Jausas	Maria Luisa de Alarcon
Hive Legal	Marta Cabezas, Joy Levy, Álvaro Lobato Martín, Jorge Montes Sánchez
Jones Day	Carlos Albiñana
Ramon Y Cajal Abogados	Luis Rodríguez-Ramos
Roca & Junyent	Blanca Usón Vegas, Raúl Salas, Pilar Vacas
RCD	José María Durán, Jorge Sarró, Diego Artacho
Squire Patton Boggs	Jose E. Aguilar Shea, Marisa Fernández
Toda & Nel-Lo	Francisco Chamorro, Ignacio Goytisolo, Lourdes Pérez-Luque, Lorena Puig de Travy
Watson Farley & Williams	Luis Soto
	VALUABLE PRACTICE
AGM Abogados	Leonardo Cárdenas Armesto, Jordi Rovira, Ignacio Ruiz
Andersen Spain	Juan Pablo Gutiérrez, Pablo Gómez-Acebo, Ramón Portela
Broseta	Luis Alaix, Enrique Vazquez
Maio Legal	Ignacio Arráez
Marimón Abogados	Santiago Díez
Mavens Abogados	Gema de la Calle, Karol Gallardo
Sánchez Butrón Abogados	Luis Muñoz Aznar, Pepe Sellés Más, Pedro Zapata Beltrán
Vaciero	Ana Espiniella

#### A&O SHEARMAN: EXPERT ADVISORS FOR HIGH-STAKES TRANSACTIONS



Ishtar Sancho

Key Figure(s): Ishtar Sancho

Established: 1991

**Track record:** Leading practice with a strong track record in capital markets, banking, tax finance, corporate reorganizations, M&A and real estate investment. This year, the firm advised on major transactions including for Morgan Stanley on Saudi Telecom's  $\{2.1\}$  billion stake acquisition in Telefonica, ICG's  $\{2.5\}$  million stake acquisition in Uriach Group and Zegona's  $\{5\}$  billion financing for the acquisition of Vodafone España.

**Team & differentiation:** Following the 2024 merger of Allen & Overy and Shearman & Sterling, the firm is now one of the largest global law firms, with nearly 4,000 lawyers and 800 partners in 48 offices across 29 countries. The Madrid office is one of Spain's leading legal practices with over 120 tax specialists providing domestic and cross-border advice to financial institutions, corporations and funds.

# **RESTRUCTURING & INSOLVENCY**

### **Best Law Firms**

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
	LEADING
A&O Shearman	Javier Castresana, Juan Hormaechea, Ignacio Ruiz-Cámara, Jimena Urretavizcaya
Cuatrecasas	Ignacio Buil, Antonio Carreño, Fedra Valencia, Patricia Álvarez, Francisco Pérez-Crespo, Javier Sánchez
Garrigues	Borja García-Alamán, Adrián Thery, Juan Verdugo
Gómez-Acebo & Pombo	Rafael Aguilera, Miguel Lamo de Espinosa, Rodrigo López
Uría Menéndez	Carlos de Cárdenas, Àngel Pérez, Ángel Alonso, Javier Yáñez
	EXCELLENT
Clifford Chance	Iñigo Villoria
Freshfields Bruckhaus Deringer	Iñaki Gabilondo
Latham & Watkins	Pedro de Rojas, Óscar Franco, Ignacio Gómez-Sancha, Luis Sánchez Mendez
Linklaters	Ben Crosse, Francisco Sainz Trapaga
Pérez-Llorca	Javier García Marrero, Juan Oñate, Laura Ruiz, Cosme Colmenero
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
Baker McKenzie	Laura Camarero
Herbert Smith Freehills	Javier de Carvajal
Pwc España	Manuela Serrano Sanchez
Ramon Y Cajal Abogados	Ramón Fernández-Aceytuno, Luis Briones, Cándido Pérez
RCD	Bernard Afonso, Jordi Albiol, Cristian Valcárcel
Squire Patton Boggs	Manuel Mingot
	RECOMMENDED
Ashurst	Jose Christian Bertram, Jorge Vázquez
Auren	Jose Antonio Garcia-Argudo Mendes, Manuel Valero Garcia
Blas Gonzalez	Blas A. González
Ceca Magán Abogados	Jose Carlos González Vázquez, Santiago Torent
CMS Albiñana & Suárez de Lezo	Juan Ignacio Fernández Aguado
Deloitte Legal	Cruz Amado de la Riega
DLA Piper	Borja de Obeso, José María Gil-Robles
Hogan Lovells	José Luis Vázquez
Ius + Aequitas	Elíseo M. Martínez, Elena López Sánchez
Jones Day	Juan Ferré
Kepler Karst	Davinia Sánchez de la Cruz, Luis Barber, María Bartle
Ontier	Bernardo Gutiérrez de la Roza
Roca & Junyent	Juan Antonio Borràs, Josep Pujolràs
Simmons & Simmons	Andrés Mochales, Alvaro Muñoz
Watson Farley & Williams	María Pilar García Guijarro, Ana Lorenzo Sobrado
	VALUABLE PRACTICE
AGM Abogados	Francisco Lacasa Lobera, Julio Menchaca, Julio Rocafull
Broseta	Álvaro Gámez
J.Almoguera Abogados	Jesús Almoguera
Lener	Amalio Miralles Gómez
Lupicinio International Law Firm	Ana Antuña, Esther Cubillo Ruiz
Sánchez Butrón Abogados	Cleo García Amorós, Doménico Guarneri
Vaciero	Ricardo San Marcos de la Torre



# **BANKING & FINANCE**

**Best Law Firms** 

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
	LEADING
Advokatfirman Cederquist	Tobias Frödin Lilja, Per Henriksson
Advokatfirman Vinge	Louise Brorsson Salomon, Mikael Ståhl, Albert Wållgren
Mannheimer Swartling	Thomas D. Pettersson, Daniel Karlsson, Zoran Stambolovski, Andreas Zettergren
Roschier	Johan Häger, Helena Viita
Setterwalls Advokatbyrå	Åke Fors, Jonas Frii, Jesper Kuschel, Carl Lindencrona, Mikael Magnusson
	EXCELLENT
Advokatfirman Schjødt	Ylva Forsberg, Eric Halvarsson
Cirio Law Firm	Carl Axel Morvay, Jesper Johansson, Dennis Luttropp Hansson
Gernandt & Danielsson	Mikael Borg, Björn Svensson, Sofie Viktorsson
Hannes Snellman	Fredrik Olsson, Christoffer Saidac, Carolina Wahlby
Törngren Magnell & Partners Advokatfirma	a Tobhias Brandell, Cecilia Rudels, Eva Sundling
White & Case Sweden	Carl Hugo Parment, Oscar Liljeson, Magnus Wennerhorn
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
Advokatfirman Lindahl	Sten Gejrot, Fredrik Gillgren
Baker McKenzie	Joakim Falkner, Mats Rooth
DLA Piper Sweden	Carl Schwieler, Björn Sjöberg
<b>Eversheds Sutherland</b>	Philip Heilbrunn, Tord Svensson
Hammarskiöld	Mattias Anjou, Rasmus Fahlén, Per Gustaf Ekbom
Linklaters Sweden	Patrik Björklund
Wigge & Partners	Lisa Antman, Stefan de Hevesy, Andreas Malmberg, Anders Morén
	RECOMMENDED
Delphi	David Aversten, Mats Dahlberg
Magnusson	Robert Karlsson
Wistrand	Håkan Lindgren, Kristofer Selvin

#### **Best Law Firms**

In each tier, the firms are ordered alphabetically

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
	LEADING
Advokatfirman Vinge	Mattias Schömer
Mannheimer Swartling	Joachim Agrell, Anders Erasmie, Niklas Hagbard
	EXCELLENT
Bird & Bird Sweden	Staffan Andersson, Carl-Magnus Uggla
DLA Piper Sweden	Karin Attorps, Erik Björkeson
Setterwalls Advokatbyrå	Sören Brekell, Niclas Hermansson, Christian Sjöqvist
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
Baker McKenzie	Linnea Back
Wistrand	Peter Brandt, Tomas Hecht, Rickard Jonason, Christian Luthman, Conny Otteland, Peter Sandberg
	RECOMMENDED
Advokatfirman Lindahl	Anna Romell Stenmark
MAQS Advokatbyrå	Krister Hjelmstedt, Lars Odinge

#### **METHODOLOGY**



#### The criteria are:

- $\bullet$  Recognition & reputation of the firm in its market
- Team size at partner and senior associate level; seniority and track record of
- Nature, quality and volume of matters handled by the firm
- Prestige, diversity and internationalization of the firm's client base
- Recent team expansions that have proved demonstrably successful

# In the course of our research, we gather detailed information from diverse

Law firms: through questionnaires and interviews, our team gets first-hand information about a firm's history, positioning, expertise and recent activity.

Clients: we solicit the feedback of several thousand General Counsel, CFOs, Tax Managers and CEOs of domestic and multinational companies through anonymous questionnaires, meetings and phone interviews.

Qualified third-parties: we collect the opinion of professionals who are neither clients nor competitors, such as: investment bankers, accountants, arbitrators, expert witnesses.

Peer-review: We ask lawyers for their feedback on their local market and who they recommend when facing a conflict of interest. We also collect their opinion on lawyers they have worked with in other jurisdictions.



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# **CAPITAL MARKETS**

#### **Best Law Firms**

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)	
LEADING		
Bär & Karrer	& Karrer Frédéric Bétrisey, Urs Kāgi, Ralph Malacrida, Lukas Roesler, Rolf Watter	
Homburger	René Bösch, Daniel Daeniker, Frank Gerhard, Dieter Gericke, Daniel Haeberli, Stefan Kramer, Benjamin Leisinger, Benedikt Maurenbrecher, Lee Saladino	
Lenz & Staehelin	Tino Gaberthüel, Patrick Hünerwadel, Jacques Iffland, Fedor Poskriakov, Shelby R. du Pasquier, François Rayroux, Patrick Schleiffer, Olivier Stahler, Marcel Tranchet, Matthias Wolf	
Niederer Kraft Frey	Christoph Balsiger, Daniel Bono, Thomas M. Brönnimann, Philipp Haas, Marco Häusermann, Adrian Koller, François M. Bianchi, Philippe A. Weber	
	EXCELLENT	
Baker McKenzie	Matthias Courvoisier	
CMS von Erlach Partners	Daniel Jenny, Matthias Kuert, Kaspar Landolt	
Kellerhals Carrard	Luca Bianchi, Beat Brechbühl, Dominik Oberholzer	
Pestalozzi	Ludivine Boisard, Nils Harbeke, Andrea Huber, Urs Klöti, Christian Leuenberger, Severin Roelli, Sébastien Roy, Franz Schubiger, Beat Schwarz, Oliver Widmer	
Schellenberg Wittmer	Philippe Borens, Olivier Favre, Tarek Houdrouge, Lorenzo Olgiati, Christoph Vonlathen, Martin Weber	
Vischer	Markus Guggenbühl	
Walder Wyss	Theodor Härtsch, Alexander Nikitine, Lukas Wyss	
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED	
Advestra	Thomas Reutter	
Bratschi	Marco Rizzi, Christian Stambach	
GHR Rechtsanwälte	Markus Brülhart, Marc Grüninger	
MLL Legal	Christophe Heiz, Catrina Luchsinger Gähwiler	
Prager Dreifuss	Urs Bertschinger, Andreas Moll	
Wenger Vieli	Wolfgang Zürcher	
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# **FINTECH**

#### **Best Law Firms**

In each tier, the firms are ordered alphabetically

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)	
LEADING		
Bär & Karrer	Frédéric Bétrisey, Cyrill Diefenbacher, Daniel Flühmann, Peter Hsu, Thomas Stoltz, Eric Stupp	
Lenz & Staehelin	Lukas Morscher, Fedor Poskriakov, Shelby R. du Pasquier, Marcel Tranchet	
Niederer Kraft Frey	Thomas Frick, Bertrand Schott	
	EXCELLENT	
Homburger	Luca Dal Molin, Daniel Haeberli, Stefan Kramer, Benjamin Leisinger, Benedikt Maurenbrecher	
MME	Martin Eckert, Andreas Gardner	
Pestalozzi	Ludivine Boisard, Nils Harbeke, Andrea Huber, Urs Klöti, Christian Leuenberger, Sébastien Roy, Beat Schwarz, Oliver Widmer	
Schellenberg Wittmer	Caroline Clemetson, Olivier Favre, Tarek Houdrouge, Grégoire Wuest	
Kellerhals Carrard	Cornelia Stengel	
MLL Legal	Reto Luthiger, Kilian Schärli, Daniel Schoch, Alexander Vogel	
Vischer	Jana Essebier, Stefan Grieder	
Walder Wyss	Thomas Müller	
Wenger Vieli	Martin Berweger, Martin Peyer	
HIGHLY RECOMMENDED		
Baker McKenzie	Alessandro Celli	
CMS von Erlach Partners	Tina Balzli	
FBT Avocats	Frédérique Bensahel	
Gillioz Dorsaz & Associés	Géraldine Badel-Poitras, Damien Cand	
Id Est Avocats	Michel Jaccard, Mehmet Toral	
Junod, Muhlstein, Lévy & Puder	Oren-Olivier Puder Junod	
Künzi Hess MacNab	Martin Hess, My Chau Bachelard	
Mangeat	Fabien Aepli	
Oberson Abels	Philipp Fischer	

### GILLIOZ DORSAZ: PIONEERING INCLUSIVITY AND INNOVATION IN THE DIGITAL ERA



Géraldine Badel Poitras

**Key Figure(s):** Géraldine Badel Poitras and Damien Cand Established: 1982

Track record: Gillioz Dorsaz represents fintech and virtual-asset service providers in Finma license applications and in self regulation organisation applications linked to financial intermediary licensing. The firm hosts fintech, regtech and lawtech think-tanks. It maintains close links with several international fintech law firms, epitomizing a cross-border approach that facilitates global outreach for clients.

Team & differentiation: The team's commitment to innovation is underscored by its quarterly think-tanks, which cultivate rich dialogue on the evolution of financial regulations and legal services. Furthermore, the  $\tilde{\mbox{firm}}$  fosters an inclusive workspace, with 60% of partners women. Géraldine Badel Poitras is the chairwomen of the admission commission of a tier-one SRO in Switzerland.



# **BANKING & FINANCE**

#### **Best Law Firms**

In each tier, the firms are ordered alphabetically

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)	
	LEADING	
Bär & Karrer	Frédéric Bétrisey, Cédric Chapuis, Aurélie Conrad Hari, Daniel Flühmann, Peter Hsu, Urs Kägi, Ralph Malacrida, Lukas Roesler, Eric Stupp	
Homburger	René Bösch, Jürg Frick, Daniel Haeberli, Stefan Kramer, Benjamin Leisinger, Benedikt Maurenbreche	
Lenz & Staehelin	Martin Burkhardt, Shelby du Pasquier, Patrick Hünerwadel, David Ledermann, Valérie Menoud, Fedor Poskriakov, François Rayroux, Patrick Schleiffer, Olivier Stahler, Marcel Tranchet	
Niederer Kraft Frey	Fedor Poskriakov, François Rayroux, Patrick Schleiffer, Olivier Stahler, Marcel Tranchet Thomas A. Frick, Sandro Abegglen, Philipp Haas, Peter R. Isler, François M. Bianchi, Bertrand Scho Ulysses von Salis, Philippe A. Weber	
	EXCELLENT	
Baker McKenzie	Lukas Glanzmann, Samuel Marbacher	
Pestalozzi	Ludivine Boisard, Christophe Emonet, Nicolas Herren, Andrea Huber, Urs Klöti, Severin Roelli, Sébastien Roy, Oliver Widmer	
Schellenberg Wittmer	Philippe Borens, Caroline Clemetson, Olivier Favre, Tarek Houdrouge, Anita Schläpfer, Christoph Vonlathen, Grégoire Wuest	
Walder Wyss	Theodor Härtsch, Thomas Müller, Markus Pfenninger, Thiemo Sturny, Lukas Wyss	
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED	
Advestra	Rashid Bahar, Sandro Fehlmann, Alexander von Jeinsen	
CMS von Erlach Partners	Dominique Gemperli, Kaspar Landolt	
FBT Avocats	Frédérique Bensahel, Jean-Louis Tsimaratos, Marco Villa	
Gillioz Dorsaz & Associés	Géraldine Badel-Poitras, Damien Cand	
Kellerhals Carrard	Luca Bianchi, Armin Kühne, Dominik Oberholzer, Cornelia Stengel	
MLL Legal	Catrina Luchsinger Gähwiler, Daniel Schoch, Alexander Vogel	
Wenger Vieli	Peter Altorfer, Andreas Hünerwadel, Bignia Vieli, Georg Zondler	
Mangeat	Fabien Aepli	
Oberson Abels	Antoine Amiguet, Philipp Fischer	
Vischer	Adrian Dörig, Jana Essebier, Stefan Grieder, Markus Guggenbühl	
Wenger Plattner	Filippo Th. Beck, Oliver Künzler, Marc Nater, Brigitte Umbach-Spahn	
	RECOMMENDED	
Borel & Barbey	Michel Barbey, Maria Oberlin-Chiriaeva, Nicolas Piérard	
Bratschi	Reto Arpagaus, Claudio Bazzi	
Buis Bürgi	Eric Buis	
Chabrier Avocats	Thomas Goossens	
Jacquemoud Stanislas	Jean-Pierre Jacquemoud, Philippe Jacquemoud, Arnaud Nussbaumer-Laghzaoui	
Künzi Hess MacNab Attorneys at Law	Eva Künzi, Jillian MacNab, Martin Hess	
Loyens & Loeff	Judith Raijmakers	
Nobel & Partner	Peter Nobel	
PBM	Henri Corboz	
Prager Dreifuss	Daniel Hayek	
Staiger	Désirée Wiesendanger	
Valfor	Bruno Hunziker, Christophe de Kalbermatten, Markus Brülhart	

# BÄR & KARRER: UNPARALLELED EXPERTISE IN BANKING, FINANCE AND CRYPTO COMPLIANCE



Key Figure(s): Ralph Malacrida and Eric Stupp Established: 1969 Track record: Its decades of advising Swiss and international financial institutions has made Bār & Karrer a leading light in the financing field. Services include debt financing like leveraged and syndicated deals, acquisition finance, real estate finance, project finance, complex debt structuring, securitization, restructuring transactions and regulatory advice.

**Team & differentiation:** Eric Stupp and Ralph Malacrida co-head a specialized unit of 26 partners and 35 other lawyers, each possessing deep industry knowledge and a keen understanding of regulatory changes. The firm has carved out a unique niche in the cryptocurrency domain, addressing complex compliance issues such as AML and KYC, revenue streams, and initial fundraisings.

# **FUND FORMATION**

#### **Best Law Firms**

In each tier, the firms are ordered alphabetically

FIRM KEY FIGURE(S)		
	LEADING	
Kellerhals Carrard	Jean-Luc Chenaux, Vincent Jäggi, Armin Kühne, Daniel Lengauer, Dominik Oberholzer	
Lenz & Staehelin	Patrick Hünerwadel, Fedor Poskriakov, Shelby R. du Pasquier, François Rayroux, Patrick Schleiffer, Olivier Stahler, Marcel Tranchet	
	EXCELLENT	
Bär & Karrer	Frédéric Bétrisey, Daniel Flühmann, Peter Hsu, Eric Stupp, Christoph Suter	
FBT Avocats	Michel Abt, Frédérique Bensahel, Jean-Louis Tsimaratos	
Niederer Kraft Frey	Sandro Abegglen, François M. Bianchi, Bertrand Schott	
Pestalozzi	Ludivine Boisard, Robert Furter, Nils Harbeke, Andrea Huber, Urs Klöti, Oliver Widmer	
Schellenberg Wittmer	Caroline Clemetson, Anita Schläpfer, Christoph Vonlathen	
Walder Wyss	Luc Defferrard, Theodor Härtsch, Urs Hofer, Thomas Müller, Markus Pfenninger	
HIGHLY RECOMMENDED		
CMS von Erlach Partners	André Lebrecht	
Jacquemoud Stanislas	Philippe Jacquemoud	
Oberson Abels	Antoine Amiguet	
	RECOMMENDED	
Baker McKenzie	Ansgar Schott, Alexander Wyss	
Junod, Muhlstein, Lévy & Puder	Oren-Olivier Puder Junod	
Nastra Attorneys at Law	Christoph Steiner	

### LENZ & STAEHELIN: PIONEERING INVESTMENT LEADERSHIP IN THE SWISS MARKET



François Rayroux

Key Figure(s): François Rayroux and Patrick Schleiffer Established: 1917

Track record: The firm maintains a dominant presence in the Swiss fund's market, covering a large number of investment funds, equivalent to approx. 20% of the investment fund market. Its expertise extends to both Swiss and international institutions and fund managers. Renowned for its regulatory, corporate and tax work related to asset management, it provides comprehensive services in structuring regulated activities.

Team & differentiation: Co-headed by François Rayroux and Patrick Schleiffer, the team consists of 10 partners spread across offices in Geneva, Zurich and Lausanne. A pioneer in the Swiss Exchange Traded Products (ETP) market, particularly on bitcoins and crypto assets, Lenz & Staehelin plays a dominant role in the Exchange Traded Funds (ETF) market, covering nearly 50% of the ETF market.



# **RESTRUCTURING & INSOLVENCY**

### Best Law Firms

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)	
	LEADING	
Schellenberg Wittmer	Louis Burrus, Olivier Hari, Urs Hoffmann-Nowotny, Tarek Houdrouge, Vincent Jeanneret, Benno Strub	
Wenger Plattner	Fritz Rothenbühler, Brigitte Umbach-Spahn, Karl Wüthrich	
Baker McKenzie	Alexander Fischer, Lukas Glanzmann, Markus Wolf	
Bär & Karrer	Martin Anderson, Luca Jagmetti, Urs Kāgi, Christoph Neeracher, Thomas Rohde	
Homburger	Daniel Haeberli, Stefan Kramer, Benjamin Leisinger, Benedikt Maurenbrecher	
Lenz & Staehelin	Roman Graf, Tanja Luginbühl, Dominique Müller, Daniel Tunik	
Niederer Kraft Frey	Daniel Bono, Marco Häusermann, Bertrand Schott, Thomas Sprecher, Roman Sturzenegger	
	EXCELLENT	
CMS von Erlach Partners	Olivier Carrard, Reto Hunsperger, Marjolaine Jakob	
Kellerhals Carrard	Lukas Bopp, Jean-Luc Chenaux, Daniel Staehelin	
Pestalozzi	Ludivine Boisard, Christophe Emonet, Nicolas Herren, Michael Kramer, Florian Mohs, Beat Mumenthaler, Thomas Rohner	
Prager Dreifuss	Christian Casanova, Daniel Hayek	
Vischer	Benedict Christ, Adrian Dörig, Jana Essebier, David Jenny, Felix Meier-Dieterle, Thomas Weibel	
Walder Wyss	Mark A. Reutter, Micha Bühler, Johannes Bürgi, Michael Cartier, Dieter Hofmann, Dominik Hohler, Thomas Müller, Thiemo Sturny	
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED	
Baur Hürlimann	Daniel Hunkeler	
Bratschi	Mirco Ceregato, Daniel Glasl	
Holenstein Rechtsanwälte	Franco Lorandi	
MLL Legal	Urs Boller, Alexander Vogel  Marc Bernheim	
Staiger		
Wenger Vieli	Pascal Honold, Georg Zondler	

#### **Best Law Firms**

In each tier, the firms are ordered alphabetically

FIRM KEY FIGURE(S)		
LEADING		
Bär & Karrer  Daniel Bader, Matthias Bizzarro, Ruth Bloch-Riemer, Paolo Bottini, Cyrill Diefenbacher, Daniel Lehmann, Susanne Schreiber, Raoul Stocker, Christoph Suter		
Homburger	·	
Lenz & Staehelin	Pascal Hinny, Frédéric Neukomm, Floran Ponce, Daniel Schafer	
Niederer Kraft Frey	Thomas Graf, Markus Kronauer, Christina Rinne, Daniela Schmucki	
Oberson Abels	Pierre-Marie Glauser, Xavier Oberson	
Walder Wyss	Martin Busenhart, Robert Desax, Samuel Duerr, Thomas Meister, Kinga Weiss, Maurus Winzap	
	EXCELLENT	
Pestalozzi	Nils Harbeke, Christian Roos, Jonas Sigrist	
Schellenberg Wittmer	Jean-Frédéric Maraia, Michael Nordin, Pietro Sansonetti	
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED	
Altorfer Duss & Beilstein (ADB)	Jürg Altorfer, Fabian Duss, Pascal Taddei	
Baker McKenzie	Hans Koch, Suzanne Liebl-Kotz, Marnin Michaels, Kilian Perroulaz	
Bratschi	Michael Alexis Barrot, Cédric-Olivier Jenoure, Bruno Rieder, Sascha Wohlgemuth	
CMS von Erlach Partners	Sarah Busca Bonvin, Mark Cagienard, David Hürlimann, Andrio Orler	
FBT Avocats	Michel Abt, Jean-Luc Bochatay	
Tax Partner Taxand	Natalie Dini, Stephanie Eichenberger	
Vischer	Christoph Niederer, Tobias Rohner, Nadia Tarolli Schmidt	
Wenger Vieli	Bruno Bāchli, Barbara Brauchli Rohrer	
	RECOMMENDED	
Gillioz Dorsaz & Associés	Nicole Fragnière Meyer, Pierre Gillioz	
HOUSE attorneys	Emmanuel Leibenson	
Loyens & Loeff	Beat Baumgartner, Fabian Sutter	
Ludwig + Partners	Hubertus Ludwig	
MLL Legal	Markus Frank Huber, Arnaud Martin, Thomas Nabholz	
MME	Andreas Müller	
РВМ	Hassan Barbir, Lassana Dioum	
Valfor	Daniel Gatenby	
Altenburger	Luzius Cavelti, Leonhard Toenz	
Bourgeois Avocats	Olivier Weniger	
Burckhardt	Rolf Wüthrich	
FRB	Michael Fischer	
Kellerhals Carrard	Didier Nsanzineza, Ivo P. Baumgartner	
Reinarz Tax & Legal	Peter Reinarz	
Riedweg & Partner	Céline Martin, Laurent Riedweg, Peter Riedweg	
	Oliver Künzler, Markus Mühlemann	

### FBT AVOCATS: MASTERING THE COMPLEXITY OF SWISS TAX LAW AND INTERNATIONAL PLANNING



Key Figure(s): Michel Abt and Jean-Luc Bochatay Established: 1993

**Track record:** FBT's tax practice has an extensive background in Swiss tax law proceedings at various administrative levels, including tax authorities, cantonal courts, and the Swiss Federal Administrative Court. The team is regularly engaged in tax litigation and providing second opinions on litigation strategies. Its comprehensive range of services cover all aspects of tax planning, with a strong emphasis on high ethical standards.

Team & differentiation: The firm numbers ten partners and 26 lawyers and tax advisors and serves a wide range of clients, including banks, family offices, trusts, investors and administrators, both in Switzerland and abroad, with a particular focus on asset holding structures. One of the values of the tax team lies in its ability to secure favorable tax rulings from the Swiss tax authorities for foreign high-net-worth individuals.

Michel Abt



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### **Best Law Firms**

In each tier, the firms are ordered alphabetically

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)	
LEADING		
Bär & Karrer Daniel Bader, Susanne Schreiber, Raoul Stocker		
Lenz & Staehelin	Pascal Hinny	
	EXCELLENT	
Baker McKenzie	Kilian Perroulaz	
CMS von Erlach Partners	David Hürlimann	
Loyens & Loeff	Beat Baumgartner, Fabian Sutter	
MLL Legal	Markus Frank Huber, Arnaud Martin	
Schellenberg Wittmer	Michael Nordin, Pietro Sansonetti	
Tax Partner Taxand	Hendrik Blankenstein, Stephan Pfenninger	
Vischer	Christoph Niederer, Nadia Tarolli Schmidt	
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED	
Altorfer Duss & Beilstein (ADB)	Fabian Duss	
Ludwig + Partners	Hubertus Ludwig	
MME	Hagen Luckhaupt, Andreas Müller	
PBM	Hassan Barbir, Lassana Dioum	

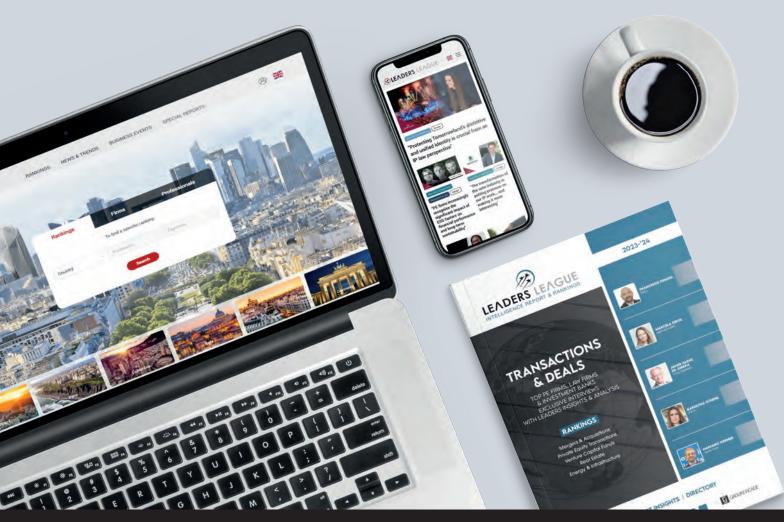
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### **Best Consulting Firms**

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)	
LEADING		
<b>Deloitte</b> Markus Reese		
EY	Xavier Eggspuhler	
KPMG	Gerhard Foth	
PwC	Urs Brugger, Benjamin Koch	
EXCELLENT		
BDO	Thomas Medina	
Grant Thornton	Michael Tobler	
RSM	Olivier Bétrisey, Thomas Laube	
TMF Group	Ilona Brandt	
HIGHLY RECOMMENDED		
Questro International	Stephen Alleway	
Tax Partner	Monika Bieri	
Taxalis Consulting	Alissa Fedi	



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# **WEALTH MANAGEMENT**

### **Best Law Firms**

FIRM		KEY FIGURE(S)	
		LEADING	
Bä	ir & Karrer	Daniel Bader, Ruth Bloch-Riemer, Daniel Lehmann, Daniel Leu, Christoph Suter, Tina Wüstemann	
Le	nz & Staehelin	Jean-Blaise Eckert, Lucien Masmejan, Frédéric Neukomm, Floran Ponce, Heini Rüdisühli, Daniel Schafer	
Ni	ederer Kraft Frey	Jacques Bonvin, Thomas Graf, Catherine Grun Meyer, Thomas Hochstrasser, Markus Kronaeur, Christina Rinne, Thomas Sprecher	
Sc	hellenberg Wittmer	Andrea Dorjee-Good, Christian Girod, Alexander Jolles, Bernard Vischer, David Wallace Wilson, Grégoire Wuest	
Wa	alder Wyss	Philippe Pulfer, Olivier Sigg, Kinga Weiss	
		EXCELLENT	
Ba	ıker McKenzie	Marnin Michaels	
Ch	narles Russell Speechlys	Mark Summers, Grégoire Uldry, Michael Wells-Greco, Dharshi Wijetunga	
CN	MS von Erlach Partners	Sarah Busca Bonvin, David Hürlimann, Andrio Orler	
FB	BT Avocats	Michel Abt, Frédérique Bensahel, Jean-Luc Bochatay	
Но	omburger	Harold Grüninger, Gabrielle Nater-Bass, Stefanie Pfisterer, Claudia Suter	
Ml	LL Legal	Patricia Guerra, Maud Udry-Alhanko	
		HIGHLY RECOMMENDED	
1 Br	ratschi	Ingmar J.M. Snijders	
Pe	estalozzi	Nils Harbeke, Oliver Widmer	
W	enger Vieli	Bruno Bāchli	
2 Bo	orel & Barbey	Nicolas Candaux, Nicolas Killen, Laurent Kyd, Marc Fischer, Stéphanie La Roche	
Fis	scher Ramp Partner	Michael Fischer	
Gi	Illioz Dorsaz & Associés	Damien Cand, Nicole Fragnière Meyer, Christian Valentini	
Lo	yens & Loeff	Beat Baumgartner, Fabian Sutter	
M	ME	Walter Frei, Alexandra Geiger, Balz Hösly, Christoph Rechsteiner	
PB	BM	Hassan Barbir, Lassana Dioum	
Sta	ainger	Georgia Fotiou, Michael Hamm	
		RECOMMENDED	
Bl	um & Grob	Claude Blum, Natalie Peter	
Во	oitelle Tax	Thierry Boitelle, Antoine Pioger	
Во	onnard Lawson	Yves Bonnard, Stéphane Lagonico	
Во	ourgeois Avocats	Olivier Weniger	
Bu	ırckhardt	Jacqueline Burckhardt Bertossa, Rolf Wüthrich	
Но	ouse Attorneys	Emmanuel Leibenson	
Ke	ellerhals Carrard	Henric Immink	
La	live	Simone Nadelhofer, Werner Jahnel, Sandrine Giroud, Alexander Troller	
Lu	ıdwig + Partners	Daniel Dillier, Beatrice Van der Haegen	
Stı	razzer Zeiter Rechtsanwälte	René Strazzer	
Va	lfor	Benoît Lambercy	

# **WEALTH MANAGEMENT**

### Best Private Banks

BANK	KEY FIGURE(S)	
	LEADING	
Banque Lombard Odier & Cie	Jean-Pascal Porcherot, Bettina Ducat	
Pictet & Cie	Marc Pictet	
UBS	Sabine Keller-Busse	
	EXCELLENT	
Banque J. Safra Sarasin	Jürg Haller	
Edmond De Rothschild	Hervé Ordioni	
Julius Baer	Philipp Rickenbacher	
UBP Union Bancaire Privée	Guy de Picciotto	
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED	
Bordier & Cie	Grégoire Bordier	
CA Indosuez	Marc-André Poirier	
ODDO BHF	Martin Liebi	
Reyl & Cie	François Reyl	
Vontobel Holding	Georg Schubiger	
	RECOMMENDED	
Banque Bonhôte & Cie	Yves de Montmollin	
Banque Eric Sturdza	Michaela Zanello Sturdza	
Banque Heritage	Marcos Esteve	
Banque Syz	Eric Syz	
BNP Paribas Wealth Management	Enna Pariset	
EFG International	Giorgio Pradelli	
Mirabaud & Cie	Yves Mirabaud	
Rahn+bodmer	Martin H. Bidermann, Peter R. Rahn, Christian Rahn	
Reichmuth & Co	Rémy Reichmuth	
Société Générale Private Banking Suisse	Maxime Sabiaux	
	VALUABLE PRACTICE	
Baumann & Cie	Daniel Burkhardt, Daniel O.A. Rüedi	
Bergos Berenberg	Christof Kutscher	
Cornèr Bank	Vittorio Cornaro	
Dreyfus Söhne & Cie	Andreas Guth	
E. Gutzwiller & Cie	Stéphane Gutzwiller, François Gutzwiller	
Gonet & Cie	Nicolas Gonet, Blaise Goetschin	
Lienhardt & Partner	Christian Lienhardt, Duri Prader	
Maerki Baumann & Co	Stephan A. Zwahlen	





# **WEALTH MANAGEMENT**

# Best Multi-family Offices

Firms are ordered alphabetically

FIRM	KEY FIGURE(S)
	MAPPING
1875 Finance Sa	Alain Held
Alias Partners	Maxime de Raemy
Alpen Partners	Pierre Gabris
Alphaswiss Partners	Yann Labry
Aquila AG	Markus Angst
ATAG Family Office	Igor Rusek, Nicole Conrad-Forker, François Bueche, Gabrielle Perregaux
Atlantic Advisors Suisse	Julien Duniague
Avalor Investment	Beat Schädler
Bedrock Group	Maurice Ephrati
Belvedere AM	Giorgio Saraco
Belvoir Capital	Steffen Bauke
Boccard & Partneraires	Cédric Abplanalp, Julien Müller, Louis-Philippe Müller
Brainvest Wealth Management	Izabel Moura
Cape Capital	Kim Gueissaz
Capital Y	Nicole Curti, Yasmine Bouzourene
Capitalium Advisors	Alain Zell
CDR Capital	Jenny Hennessy
Citadel Finance	Jasmine de Boccard
Clarus Capital Group Ag	Giancarlo Guetg
Coges Corraterie Gestion SA	Jean-Pierre Lagane
Colin&Cie	Thomas Warnecke
Colombo Wealth	Mauro Galli
Copernicus Wealth Management	Christian Buchwald
Corum Vermögensverwaltung	Thomas Tietz
Crossinvest	Andrea Poretti
De Pury Pictet Turrettini & Cie Sa	Melchior de Muralt
Decalia	Fabrizio Quirighetti
Diamond Capital Management	Alexandra Ammann
DIEM Client Partners	Sascha Peier
Dominicé & Co - Asset Management	Michel Dominicé
Emerald Wealth Partners	Stefan Hirter
Entrepreneur Partners	Oliver Ganz, Flavio Pedraita, Daniel T Mueller
Finad	Colin Stember

Finaport	Fabian F Jenny
FIO Partners	Harald U Hoffmann
Frame Asset Management	Michele De Michelis
Fundo	Jacques Grivel
Geneva Management Group	Haggay Aidlin
GN Finance	Jean-Michel D'Urso
Helvetic Trust Ag	Simon Koenig
IMT Asset Management	Thomas Trauth
Infiba	René Sidler
Kraemer Schwab	Peter Borer
Lakefield Partners	Bruno Verstraete
LFG Group	Massimo Borghesi
Marcuard Heritage	Patrick Stauber
Nahmani Grunder	Robert Nahmani
NewOak	Gregory Armstrong
Novum Capital Partners	Gabriele Gallotti
NS Partners	Angel Sanz
Octogone Family Office	Ivan Peruffo
OLZ	Pius Zgraggen
Penta Asset Management	William Jaccard
Pleion - Probus Group	Kim Muller
Prime Partners	François Savary
Reuss Private	Frank Hansen
RJ Management	Elie Joory
SFP Group	Adrian Murer
Sound Capital	Christian Luchsinger
SSI Wealth Management	Oliver Amstad
Stanhope Capital	Daniel Pinto
Swiss5 Group	Michael Rümmelein
Swisspartners	Peter Ahluwalia
Tareno	Sybille Wyss
Targa 5 Advisors	Eli Mizrahi
The Forum Finance Group	Egon Vorfeld
Tramondo Investment Partners	Raphael Müller
Valterna	Ivo Roos
Woodman Asset Management	Patrick Ferrari
Zugerberg Finanz	Maurice Pedergnana

# M&A: TMT

#### **Best Investment Banks**

In each tier, the banks are ordered alphabetically

BANK	KEY FIGURE(S)	
LEADING		
Goldman Sachs	Kim Posnett	
J.P. Morgan	Michael Batula, Nick Denman	
Qatalyst Partners	Salvatore Arcarese	
EXCELLENT		
1 Barclays	Alex Evans	
Morgan Stanley	Dominique Cahu	
2 Bank of America Merrill Lynch	Alexandre Gafsi	
Ernst & Young	Will Fisher	
Houlihan Lokey	Phil Adams	
Raymond James Financial	Stuart Sparkes	

# **M&A: HEALTHCARE & PHARMACEUTICALS**

### Best Investment Banks

BANK	KEY FIGURE(S)
LEADING	
Barclays	Jim Birchenough
Citigroup	Cyril Besseddik
Goldman Sachs	Anthony Gutman
J.P. Morgan	Henry Capper
Morgan Stanley	Obaid Mufti
EXCELLENT	
Bank of America Merrill Lynch	Simon Ives, Kieran Whitty
Centerview Partners	Andrew Rymer
Evercore	Chris Whittaker, Simon Elliott
Guggenheim	Nicholas Riddle, Ben Thorpe
Lazard	Michele Colocci, Eric Stewart
Rothschild & Co.	Dominic Hollamby
HIGHLY RECOMMENDED	
Houlihan Lokey	Rainer Hepberger
Jefferies	Ashwin Pai, Michael Jüngling
Piper Jaffray	Richard Singh

#### **M&A: RETAIL & CONSUMER GOODS**

#### Best Investment Banks

In each tier, the banks are ordered alphabetically

BANK	KEY FIGURE(S)	
	LEADING	
Bank of America Merrill Lynch	Pablo Bowen	
Barclays	Matt Hammerstein	
Citigroup	Susan Shakespeare	
Crédit Suisse	Alexis Turcas	
Goldman Sachs	Andre Kelleners	
Jefferies	James Grzinic	
	EXCELLENT	
BNP Paribas	Anne Marie Verstraeten	
Morgan Stanley	Nick Bishop	
Rothschild & Co.	Toby Cohen	
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED	
HSBC	Taylan Turan	
Nomura Holdings	Michael Mackinnon	

#### **M&A: INDUSTRIALS**

**Best Investment Banks** 

BANK	KEY FIGURE(S)			
	LEADING			
Goldman Sachs	Eduard van Wyk			
J.P. Morgan	Richard Crozier			
EXCELLENT				
BofA Securities	Richard King			
Citigroup	Enrico Prato			
Lazard	Edward Earlam			





#### **PRIVATE EQUITY**

#### Best Investment Banks

BANK	KEY FIGURE(S)  LEADING
Bank of America Merrill Lynch	Preveen Samarasinghe
Barclays	Tim Sherwood
Citigroup	Pedro Lami
Goldman Sachs	Harry Wilson, Christian Welling
J.P. Morgan	Mark Hempstead
	EXCELLENT
Deutsche Bank	Fabrizio Campelli
Jefferies	Philip Noblet
Morgan Stanley	David Miller
Rothschild & Co.	Seif Khoufi, Samuel Offer
	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
Haukhan I akar	
Houlihan Lokey	Andy Lund
HSBC	Andy Lund  James Cundy
HSBC	James Cundy
HSBC KPMG	James Cundy  Naveen Sharma,
HSBC  KPMG  Lazard	James Cundy  Naveen Sharma,  Nadira Huda
HSBC  KPMG  Lazard  Nomura Holdings	James Cundy  Naveen Sharma,  Nadira Huda  Konstantin R.
HSBC  KPMG  Lazard  Nomura Holdings	James Cundy  Naveen Sharma,  Nadira Huda  Konstantin R.  Marc Wursdorfer
HSBC  KPMG  Lazard  Nomura Holdings  UBS Investment Bank	James Cundy  Naveen Sharma,  Nadira Huda  Konstantin R.  Marc Wursdorfer  RECOMMENDED
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# Successfully navigating Spain's tax regulations demands attention to evolving legislative and policy trends



Interview with ISHTAR SANCHO partner, A&O SHEARMAN

"Spain's strategic location position our country as an attractive location for holding structures within international groups"

Ishtar Sancho discusses key factors for businesses navigating Spain's tax regulations, focusing on how recent reforms and global tax trends are reshaping corporate strategies and influencing the evolving Spanish tax landscape. She also breaks down the nuances of Spain's tax regime for foreign investors and offers strategies for managing these complexities effectively.

LEADERS LEAGUE: What are the key considerations for businesses when navigating Spain's tax regulations?

Ishtar Sancho: Navigating Spain's tax regulations in the current environment requires businesses to be acutely aware of emerging trends and upcoming changes that are reshaping the (national and international) fiscal landscape.

One of the topics at the forefront is the impending implementation of the global minimum tax directive, part of the OECD's two-pillar solution to address tax challenges arising from the digitalization of the

The evolving landscape of environmental taxation represents another relevant area, as Spain has introduced new environmental taxes and is considering further measures as part of its commitment to sustainability and alignment with EU green initiatives.

Spain's approach to tax incentives is also evolving, with a growing emphasis on promoting innovation and attracting strategic investments, as evidenced by the expansion of tax credits for R&D and technological innovation. This shift offers significant opportunities for businesses, which should explore how these tax incentives align with their innovation strategies.

Simultaneously, transparency and reporting requirements continue to intensify, with the implementation of DAC7 extending reporting obligations to digital platforms and the upcoming transposition of DAC8 focusing on crypto-assets, requiring businesses to ensure their systems and processes are equipped to meet these new reporting standards.

A critical consideration for businesses operating in Spain is the increasingly aggressive stance of the Spanish tax authorities, marked by a notable shift towards more rigorous enforcement and a restrictive interpretation of tax legislation, . The resulting increase in tax disputes, many of which ultimately require resolution through contentious-administrative courts, which requires companies to balance compliance with assertive defense of their legitimate tax positions, all while maintaining a constructive dialogue with increasingly assertive Spanish tax authorities, requiring not only technical expertise but also strategic foresight and a readiness to engage in robust defense of tax positions when necessary.

In short, successfully navigating Spain's tax regulations demands attention to evolving legislative and policy trends, a keen awareness of the enforcement landscape, and a comprehensive strategy that encompasses proactive engagement with the Spanish tax authorities, including seeking advance binding rulings where possible, while also preparing for the possibility of protracted disputes and factoring this into risk management and financial planning strategies.

#### How can companies effectively manage their tax risks in light of the evolving regulatory environment?

In the face of Spain's rapidly evolving tax regulatory environment, companies must adopt a comprehensive and proactive approach to tax risk management that integrates robust governance structures,

advanced technology solutions, and strategic engagement with the Spanish tax authorities.

In response to the increasing emphasis on transparency and disclosure in Spain's tax system, enhanced documentation practices must be prioritized, particularly in areas such as transfer pricing, where the Spanish tax authorities have intensified their scrutiny.

The digitalization of Spain's tax administration necessitates significant investment in tax technology solutions.

Proactive engagement with the Spanish tax authorities represents another key pillar of effective tax risk management in Spain, with the Spanish tax administration showing openness to cooperative compliance approaches.

Regular and comprehensive risk assessments are indispensable in Spain's dynamic tax environment. Companies should establish processes for staying informed about legislative changes and their potential impact.

By adopting this multifaceted approach to tax risk management, entities can navigate the complexities of Spain's evolving tax landscape more effectively, not only minimizing risks and ensuring compliance but also positioning themselves to optimize their tax positions and contribute to overall business value creation in a responsible and sustainable manner.

#### Is Spain's tax regime favourable for foreign investment?

Spain's tax regime presents a nuanced landscape for foreign investment, offering a blend of attractive incentives and potential challenges that warrant careful consideration by international investors, with its overall attractiveness depending on the specific circumstances and sector of the investor. One of the most compelling aspects of Spain's tax regime for foreign investors is its extensive network of double tax treaties, encompassing agreements with over 102 countries, which facilitates international operations by mitigating double taxation and often reducing withholding tax rates on cross-border payments, significantly enhancing the efficiency of global structures with Spanish entities. Additionally, the Spanish holding company regime, known as ETVE Regime (Entidad de Tenencia de Valores Extranjeros), offers

tax advantages for Spanish resident companies whose corporate purpose includes holding and managing shares of foreign companies.

Spain's commitment to fostering innovation is evident in its generous R&D tax credit system, which offers credits of up to 42% of qualifying expenses, making it one of the most competitive incentives in Europe and particularly attractive for foreign investors in technology intensive sectors.

Nonetheless, potential foreign investors must also navigate certain challenges within the Spanish tax system, including the standard corporate tax rate of 25%, which, while competitive within the EU, is higher than rates offered by some other European jurisdictions that actively pursue foreign investment. Moreover, Spain has implemented and applies very robust anti-tax avoidance measures, including strict controlled foreign corporation rules and the adoption of the EU's anti-tax avoidance directives.

Recent developments, such as the introduction of the digital services tax and the impending implementation of the global minimum tax, underscore the dynamic nature of Spain's tax environment and the need for foreign investors to stay abreast of ongoing changes in the tax landscape. Furthermore, the increasingly aggressive stance of Spanish tax authorities, characterized by more rigorous enforcement and a restrictive interpretation of tax legislation, creates a challenging environment where foreign investors may find themselves having to defend their tax positions through lengthy and costly litigation processes, often escalating disputes to the contentious-administrative jurisdiction to secure fair treatment and protection of their rights.

In summary, while Spain's tax regime offers significant advantages for foreign investors, particularly in sectors such as technology, R&D and real estate, its favorability is best evaluated on a case-by-case basis, taking into account the full spectrum of tax and non-tax factors that influence investment decisions. Spain's strategic location, skilled workforce and membership in the EU further enhances its attractiveness, but careful planning and consideration of specific business circumstances are essential to fully leverage the benefits of the Spanish tax system while navigating its complexities. •

"Navigating Spain's tax regulations requires businesses to be aware of emerging trends and upcoming changes that are reshaping the national and international fiscal landscape"

"Maintaining an open and transparent dialogue with tax authorities can be instrumental in managing areas where the interpretation or application of new regulations may not yet be fully settled"

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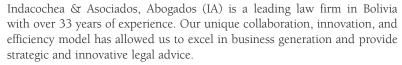


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Araújo e Policastro Advogados has built a sound reputation as one of the most respected law firms in Brazil, with a long-standing reputation for excellence in various areas of legal practice.

Over 60 years of practice, founding partners Theodoro Araújo and Décio Policastro have been successful in keeping to the firm's original goal: providing its clients with the highest quality legal services in a professional, creative and practical manner. The person attention and hands-on involvement of the partners on the legal work have been one of the clients most appreciated aspects of the firm.

Araújo e Policastro is a full-service law firm with headquarters in the city of São Paulo, Latin America's main business and industrial center. The firm's core practices are international corporate law, contracts, M&A, tax and litigation, which are complemented by numerous specialty areas, including banking and capital markets, antitrust and cartel, infrastructure, energy, labour, healthcare and life sciences, wealth and succession planning, among others.

The firm has represented a large number of leading multinational companies which operate in several business areas, as dairy industry, alumina, chemical and petrochemical industry and trade, metallurgical, healthcare, automotive, banking, insurance, engineering, energy, agrobusiness and education.

The firm's attorneys have studied in the finest institutions in Brazil and many have also attended specialist courses or master of laws programs in the US and Europe, and worked for law firms abroad.



#### **BUSINESS**

- Corporate
- Mergers & Acquisitions and cross border transactions
- Assistance to foreign clients doing business in Brazil
- Structuring joint ventures / consortiums investments in infrastructure
- Banking, Finance and Capital Markets
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- Privatizations and Concessions
- Energy, Oil and Gas, Mining and Natural Resources
- Roads and Airports
- Telecommunications
- Litigation and Arbitration
- Securities Litigation
- Family Law, Trusts and Succession Law
- Wealth and Estate Planning
- Labour
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- Drafting of the most varied real estate contracts, including lease, assignment of the right of use, assignment of land use rights, real estate lease, "sale-and-leaseback," "built to suit," and infrastructure contracts;
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The Firm Ernesto Borges Advogados has a natural calling for Agribusiness, since the law firm was originally set-up in the State of Mato Grosso, a major large-scale meat and grain production center.

Throughout over 70 years of continuous operations, starting in the Midwestern region of the country, the firm Ernesto Borges has followed the evolution and professionalization of legal relations as a result of the prosperous activity involving Brazilian agribusiness, a segment accounting for the required balance of the domestic trade balance. Accordingly, the firm has gained relevant technical expertise on the most varied related topics, which is one of the differentials of our team of barristers.

Upon absorption of cutting-edge technologies and next-generation management methods, agribusiness brings authentic economic and social revolution, through the constant increase in production and productivity, and, above all, through expansion of human horizons and social demands.

In such a context, legal disputes and counsel claims gain increasing scale and complexity within our firm, requiring our professionals to perform in multidisciplinary manner, especially in the areas of civil, environmental, corporate, tax, commercial and financial counsel. Our expertise is required in order to meet the most varied demands of our clients, represented by the entire Agribusiness chain, large rural producers, the fertilizer, input, food, pesticide, implement and machinery industries, financial institutions, trading companies and the so representative union entities.

The firm operates as an effective partner of Agribusiness, having in-depth knowledge of its operational and legal specificities, always reaffirming its commitment towards contributing, increasingly, to ensure legal security for business.

The firm stands out in the following themes:

- Legal counsel on issues related to rural credit securities and alternative funding sources
- Debt Restructuring and Insolvency
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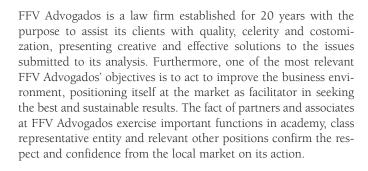


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The founding partner, Gustavo Pinheiro Guimarães Padilha, has a prestigious reputation in the real estate business, which helped establish the trustworthiness of his firm and consequently acquire an influential clientele.

The office prides itself in its inter-area relationship. The ongoing exchange between the firm's areas lead to a more global, detailed and complete view of the cases it takes on, allowing the firm to devise unique strategies. Such approach, in a market where real estate-related deals grow more complex every day, is extremely valued by our clients.

The firm's lawyers with a long-time experience in real estate practice and are especially skilled in to shopping center and constructions deals, property acquisitions and built to suit agreements. Such experience puts clients at ease, since no setbacks are neverbefore-seen and never-dealt-with.

Being a medium sized firm, Gustavo Padilha Advogados sets itself apart by counting with a more personal and attentive lawyer-client relationship, rendering a more individualized and custom-made service, which allows the firm to fulfil all of the client's demands. With a pro-business mentality and the pursuit for the lowest risk legal solution, the firm is completely dedicated to its clients and their demands. Having a good inter-area relationship plays a key role on seeking alternative legal strategies that differ from the traditional paradigms:

The firm has also branches in São Paulo - which has given the office direct contact with clients from the main financial center of Brazil -. and Belo Horizonte.

The office is known for its solid ethical values.



Real Estate covers a wide range of rural, commercial and residential real estate matters, including developments, investment transactions, M&A and corporate structuring. Purchase, lease, built-to-suit, surface and usufruct agreements, among other contracts, are also relevant examples of work. Firms may also support clients with registry matters including land parcelling and title and deed regularisations. Real estate also encompasses work relating to financing products such as loans, receivable funds, mortgages and letters of credit. Firms may advise clients on the creation of special purpose entities, real estate investment funds and real estate investment trusts. Additionally, firms can handle sector-related disputes and provide general legal advice to tax matters relating to real estate transactions and companies.



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Attentive to the needs of its clients, HNaves has extended its practice to other areas of business law, bringing together lawyers specialized in Corporate Law, Contracts, Intellectual Property, Insurance, Compliance and Investigations.

By integrating these practices, the firm offers expertise in legal and regulatory compliance and is a benchmark in corporate risk management and legal advice for its clients' business decision-making.

Our lawyers are committed to providing a high quality, efficient and personalized legal service. The boutique format ensures that clients receive a service that is attentive to their needs, allowing them to create mutually beneficial relationships with the integrity, quality and specialty required.

Launched in 2021 and based in São Paulo, HNaves assist national and international clients from all over Brazil and abroad.



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Local and offshore finance; BNDES financing; Import/Export finance, Syndicated loans; Real estate finance; Collateral; Risk management.

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**MVGA** was created to meet the existing demand for highly quality and specialty law firms with personalized and effective treatment. Since the beginning of our existence, due to the quality of the work and to the significant results obtained to clients, the firm provides diversified legal services to domestic and foreign companies and groups in various sectors of the economy, such as: Agribusiness, Automotive, Foreign Trade, Education, Pharmaceutical, Real Estate, Infrastructure & Construction, Technology & Innovation, Retail & Consumer and Logistics.

Our lawyers are highly qualified, specialized and experienced in the areas and sectors of activity. Our performance is guided by ethical posture, technical excellence and full dedication to cases and clients. Focusing on results, creating synergies, achieving goals and establishing long-term relationships.

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With areas of activity in the administrative and judicial sphere, the experienced office provides legal services to individuals and legal entities with a focus on personalized service and results.

The consolidated partnership with its customers, from different economic segments, is the result of work developed with quality and excellence.

Its strong presence in the legal market has contributed to resolving thousands of tax cases.

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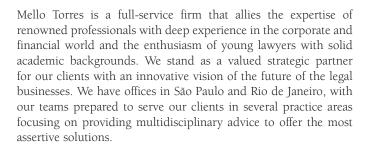


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Our work is guided by, and well known for, the constant quest for excellence, as we are based upon the need to be relevant to everyone who trusts in our project. We "speak the same language" as our clients, so that, besides the deliverables considered as traditional, we can contribute in their strategic decision-making process.

The focus on the client is translated into a continuous concern with quality in providing the services, so as to establish solid and lasting partnerships. We do not know where we are going to get to, but we do know where we want to be, by means of well-defined project and purpose upon which our decisions are based and which lead us to believe that we are on the right track.

We trust in the need for specialization also in the management of our panel by electing a participatory model to integrate and retain talents. Our teams are set with a diversity of backgrounds and we encourage entrepreneurship, while attentive to new ideas and targeting continuous improvement.



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Led by senior environmental lawyer Édis Milaré, who is recognized both as a scholar and as an author, Milaré Advogados is one of the most widely acclaimed Environmental Law firms in Brazil. It has won successive awards from domestic and international publications and has a staff of remarkable lawyers with sound environmental law experience, in addition to a cross-disciplinary team made up of engineers, geologists, biologists, geographers, city planners, economists, social scientists and more, all specializing in highly complex environmental matters.

Based on strict compliance standards and sustainability indicators, the firm provides legal advice and litigation services to more than twenty industries, particular emphasis due on energy; oil and gas; mining and steel; sugar and ethanol; chemical; agro-industrial; and more.

Because of its outstanding status in the domain, a significant number of lawsuits in Brazil undergo the firm's meticulous analysis, and its contributions go beyond litigation to provide the grounds for case law and paradigms for the specialized legal arena.

Due to the global scope of certain environmental issues and the growing need for embracing best practices in this domain, in line with international production and consumption standards, the firm has been increasing its work in International and Comparative Environmental Law, consolidating an experienced team highly specialized in matters requiring the negotiation and application of international acts.



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- Advice entering into Consent Decrees with Public Attorney's Offices and environmental authorities.
- Environment-related disputes mediation.
- Advice negotiating international acts treaties, letters of intent, multilateral decisions, codes of conduct, articulation systems, and action programs.
- · Advice in multi-jurisdictional, multilateral or bilateral environmental projects.

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The Capital Markets team have extensive experience in structuring financial transactions, advising financial institutions, investment funds and Brazilian and foreign companies on securities issuances in the domestic and international markets, including debentures, commercial papers, financial notes and bonds; structuring of domestic and international financing transactions, including syndicated loans, acquisition finance, project finance and trade finance; structuring securitization transactions of trade, real estate, financial and agribusiness receivables, acting since the review of the credits origination process to the issuance of securitization fund shares, debentures, real estate or agribusiness receivables certificates; and structuring of investment funds in general and their shares public offerings.

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#### **BUSINESS**

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#### II. Team Composition:

Our team is composed of highly specialized Partners and Associates with vast experience and academic credentials that range from Agribusiness Finance and Strategic Management to International Trade. With almost 20 years of practice, we are well-versed in the intricacies of these sectors, ensuring our clients' issues are handled with deep technical expertise and practical knowledge.

#### III. Specialties & Strengths:

Our team is renowned for its ability to structure complex, strategic contract and project negotiations. We are frequently sought after to assist clients with contentious matters, particularly those involving rural producers, payment disputes, and delivery issues. We also manage financing cases related to agribusiness bonds, including Agribusiness Receivables Certificates (CRA), and offer consultancy services to traders on securities and pricing structures.

#### **Agribusiness Services:**

We offer comprehensive legal advice to companies throughout the agribusiness chain, covering strategic litigation, credit recovery, court and out-of-court restructuring, and bankruptcy. We handle agribusiness credit securities (CPR, CRA, etc.), formalize guarantees (e.g., pledges, mortgages), and assist with the buying, selling, and pricing of agricultural products/commodities. Our services also include agricultural leases, barter operations, real estate transactions, M&A, and logistics (e.g., chartering, transport, terminals). Additionally, we advise foreign investors and offer estate and succession planning.

#### **International Trade Services:**

We provide legal support for export and import activities, including contract structuring, international regulatory advice, forfeiting operations, tax planning, and customs. Our expertise covers strategic litigation, credit recovery, M&A, and joint ventures, alongside the formalization of guarantees (e.g., pledges, mortgages).

#### Financial and Capital Markets Services:

Our capital markets practice includes structuring securitization operations (CRI, CRA) and public offerings. We also advise on investment funds, treasury and foreign exchange operations, and regulatory matters. Additionally, we assist with project finance, corporate finance, and fintech-related legal needs.

#### IV. International Clients:

Our portfolio of international clients includes prominent companies from countries such as the USA, Austria, England, and Peru, reflecting our capability to operate seamlessly across borders.

#### V. Geographic Strengths and Alliances:

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The Rafael Pandolfo Advogados Associados law firm has more than 20 years of experience with Tax and Corporate Law, being a reference for the quality and efficiency of its performance in highly complex administrative and judicial proceedings.

We are a team of lawyers who are highly trained in procedural, administrative and advisory matters, providing outstanding and personalized service to national and international companies in the following sectors: industrial, electrical, agribusiness, services, sports, health, entities, and cooperatives.

The strength of this structure stems from the construction of an ethical and convincing tax advocacy, whose objective is to achieve the best result for the client. To achieve this excellence, the firm does not limit itself to reacting, but to acting in the face of opportunities created by the complex Brazilian legal and tax system.

Constant investment in state-of-the-art technological tools helps support legal services, enabling risk assessment and damage control. This new technological pool came about through the development of data management systems and artificial intelligence that help with problem-solving and decision-making processes.

The firm also has a specific area of intelligence and innovation, responsible for identifying and developing new legal opportunities in accordance with the operational, business, and corporate reality.

The firm has the advantage of having experienced professionals in law practice and teaching, without losing due care in customer service and performance in the pursuit of results. In tax consulting, the firm offers a wide range of services, including, but not limited to, claims such as tax benefits, legislative advice, tax planning, corporate restructuring. The advisory area stands out in serving the Federation of Trade (Federação do Comércio), Federation of Industries (Federação das Indústrias) and more than 120 unions in the retail, industry, wholesale, and services areas.

The results obtained by the firm derive from the active practice of its lawyers, in particular the founding partner, Rafael Pandolfo, and the managing partners Rafael Santos Borin and Airton Bombardelli Riela, before the judicial and administrative courts and legislative and fiscal authorities, providing the firm with a notorious respect and recognition by the officers representing these organizations.



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- Tax and Corporate Consultancy: Monitoring the client's tax and corporate routine:
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The practice meets all the client's needs, from the initial discussions to the strategies defined in pursuit of the best results.

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Our services include various areas related to business, focusing mainly on real estate, capital markets, corporate, investment funds, M&A, litigation, venture capital, compliance and labor, among other matters.

### **BUSINESS**

- Real Estate, Urban Planning, and Construction
- · Capital Markets and Investment Funds
- Corporate and Tax Law
- M&A and Financing
- Venture Capital and Entrepreneurship
- Labor Law
- Agribusiness
- Compliance

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Bofill Mir Abogados has built a multidisciplinary firm backed by more than 30 years' of experience in the practice of law and the work of a team of specialized lawyers with training based in excellence.

The delivery of comprehensive legal services in the different areas of law combines with their international experience, understanding of the different industries and business perspective. The trust and continuity of their clients - local and international, public and private companies - and the recognition of the main legal rankings are palpable evidence of Bofill Mir Abogados' professional standards.

In this new stage, with a renewed perspective, they continue advising their clients to navigate increasingly demanding markets and regulatory environments, while moving forward at the pace of the new dynamics of the legal industry.

### **BUSINESS**

- Corporate / M&A
- Capital Markets
- Real Estate, Infrastructure and Construction
- Banking and Finance
- Project Finance
- Restructuring and Insolvency
- Mining and Natural Resources
- Labor and Employment
- Public Law, Regulated Markets and Life Sciences.
- · Intellectual Property, Data and Technology.
- Litigation.
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Our law firm is composed of professionals with over 20 years of experience in Insolvency and Financial Restructuring matters. They have been recognized in the industry by prestigious international rankings such as Chambers and Partners, Leaders League, Legal 500, Best Lawyers, in the fields of Insolvency and Restructuring.

Additionally, we have specialized professionals in the area of High-Complexity Litigation in civil, criminal, and commercial matters, maintaining high standards of quality and professionalism.

Our firm provides advice to large, medium, and small companies across a wide range of industries. Our areas of expertise encompass various productive sectors, including mining, forestry, aquaculture, construction, telecommunications, public transportation, health insurers, and retail companies.

Our firm's experience ensures a service of the highest quality in raising capital and obtaining financing. We provide guidance to creditors, investors, and debtors in various banking and financial transactions. Our practice has represented both domestic and international clients in bilateral or syndicated loans, debt management, public and private equity and debt offerings, both locally and internationally. Our expertise extends to project financing, structured products, derivatives operations, and more.



- Insolvency and Financial Restructuring
- · Complex Litigation



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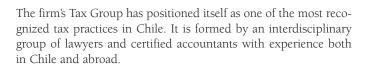
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The firm is constantly involved in the structuring of the most important and complex, national and international transactions, tax litigation, family holdings and tax due diligence processes, with a practical approach which aims to give clients specific and comprehensive solutions.

Carey has also extensive experience advising high net worth family businesses, attending to the challenges and difficulties of this type of company, with a practical approach aimed at reaching for concrete and integral solutions according to the needs of each industry, as well as ensuring the well-being and harmony of the business family.

The advice focuses mainly on corporate and tax aspects that are relevant both, from the perspective of the owners and controllers as well as from the business and investment standpoints.

Carey assists family businesses in diverse industries, giving tailor-made advice and personalized attention, combined with an in-depth expertise and understanding of the business, involving specialized professionals in all the practice areas that are required according to the needs of the clients.



- Corporate Tax
- Wealth Management



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## **POSITIONING**





- Venture Capital
- Fintech
- Proptech
- Biotech
- Legaltech

Our firm's differentiation lies in our specialized approach, integral support, and integration with various players in the ecosystem. We deliver focused corporate legal advice tailored to innovation and technology-based enterprises. Our support begins at the very inception of a company, encompassing incorporation and startup phases, and extends throughout their entire legal journey. Additionally, we assist foreign companies in their expansion efforts, facilitating a seamless soft landing process in Chile, ensuring they can commence operations smoothly and effectively.

We provide comprehensive support throughout the financing process, starting from the preliminary stages to the closing of financing deals. Our experienced team offer guidance in defining terms, structuring, and selecting the most appropriate instruments based on the company's stage of development. Post-financing, we continue to assist companies with their ongoing corporate legal requirements, ensuring sustained support and compliance.

Estudio Zapata has established itself as a pivotal player within the entrepreneurial ecosystem. We have cultivated a dynamic hub comprising startups, investors, service providers, venture capitalists, and supporting institutions. This network fosters collaboration and synergy, enabling businesses to explore joint opportunities and even formal mergers. Within this interconnected environment, numerous investments have been generated for companies in our portfolio, showcasing the strength and influence of our network.

At Estudio Zapata, our mission is to empower innovative companies by providing them with the legal foundation and support they need to thrive. Our specialized approach, comprehensive support, and integration with the broader entrepreneurial ecosystem uniquely position us to contribute significantly to the success and growth of our clients.



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#### **POSITIONING**

We are a Chilean firm with 25 years of experience. Our main areas of management are Personal and Business Debts and Insolvency, Family Law, Labor Law and Criminal Law. We are inspired by the democratization of access to justice and by breaking down the gaps that prevent the exercise of legal rights by people and companies of all sizes.

GrupoDefensa.cl employs more than 300 highly specialized professionals, including lawyers, engineers and others. Collaborative management complemented by proprietary technology developed by our IT experts allows for the continuous improvement of the customer experience and the management of a high volume of cases.

Our opening to Latam began two years ago in Ecuador, with a service dedicated to debts and insolvency.

Our work teams are constantly improving themselves in new doctrinal and jurisprudential trends, and in new forms of legal services management.

GrupoDefensa.cl has a great social commitment, which is manifested through educational and information actions carried out throughout the country.



- Debts and Insolvency
- Family Law
- Labor Law
- · Civil Law
- · Criminal Law



- Santiago
- Antofagasta
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- Rancagua

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#### **POSITIONING**

H&Co is a premier boutique law firm specialized in providing expert legal advice and support in the areas of privacy, regulatory compliance, and emerging regulations in fintech, artificial intelligence, blockchain, cryptocurrencies, NFTs, cybercrime, data protection and cybersecurity.

Distinguished in the competitive national legal market, H&Co excels at delivering comprehensive, innovative and effective legal solutions in digital regulation, technology and data security.

Our team is committed to offering rigorous guidance and establishing risk prevention models tailored to the unique needs of companies and institutions, aligning with the national regulatory context and international best practices.

At H&Co, we combine our in-depth knowledge of the law with a results-oriented approach. We deliver results, ensuring that our clients receive top-quality advice on how to navigate the complex landscape of privacy and digital regulation.

Through our personalized legal advice and support, we promote the protection of our clients' interests, under an innovative work model that explores their particular needs, to address in a relevant and effective way the legal challenges they face in a competitive and dynamic digital environment.



- Fintech
- Data Protection and Privacy
- Cybersecurity
- Artificial Intelligence
- · Regulatory Compliance



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Ihnen, Correa, Malatrassi and Shen continued with their practices as a new firm ICMS Abogados while retaining the core values and commitment to quality that defined the previous firm and embarking on a strategic path towards substantial growth. ICMS Abogados has seen the retention of the majority of the partners, lawyers, staff and clients. This continuity ensures that ICMS Abogados maintains the deep-rooted professional relationships and expertise developed over many decades in the legal industry.

While maintaining the hallmark of personalized service that clients have come to expect, the firm is actively expanding its team, practice areas, and client base. This strategic growth is aimed at meeting the increasingly complex and diverse needs of national and international clients. By building on its strengths in key areas such as Corporate M&A, Real Estate, Mining, and Infrastructure, ICMS Abogados is positioning itself to provide comprehensive legal solutions across a broad spectrum of industries.

#### Strategic Vision

ICMS Abogados aims to be a leading full-service law firm by expanding its range of services and deepening its expertise across all major legal disciplines. The firm plans to grow its team by attracting top talent and fostering the development of its associates to ensure the highest level of service for its clients. With a strategic focus on key growth areas, ICMS Abogados is well-positioned to become a top-tier law firm, offering tailored solutions to both national and international clients.



ICMS Abogados offers expertise in a wide range of practice areas, including:

- M&A and Corporate.
- Real Estate.
- Banking & Finance.
- Mining.
- Tax.
- Labor.
- Private Wealth.
- Foreign Investment.
- Infrastructure and Concessions.
- Compliance.
- Dispute Resolution.



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At LMA | Lagos Maclean Abogados, we bring together a team of distinguished lawyers with extensive professional experience. Our attorneys are committed to continuous learning and skill enhancement, working in a collaborative, dynamic, and versatile environment. We are a medium-sized law firm known for our innovative approach, responding to our clients' needs with assertiveness and flexibility. Our team seamlessly combines expertise, efficiency, and enthusiasm to deliver top-tier legal services.



- Corporate Law
- Real Estate
- Labor



- Santiago
- Antofagasta
- Puerto Montt
- Punta Arenas

Our headquarters are strategically located in Santiago de Chile's premier business district, ensuring we are at the heart of the nation's commercial activities. We also maintain a strong presence in Antofagasta, Puerto Montt, and Punta Arenas, with each office featuring stateof-the-art infrastructure, a dedicated team of lawyers, and comprehensive support from our main office in Santiago.

In addition, LMA | Lagos Maclean Abogados extends its services to over 20 countries worldwide through the ALL network (Legal Alliance of Law Firms). Our primary areas of practice encompass a wide range of sectors, including construction, real estate, retail, finance, telecommunications, technology, energy, education, insurance, financial services, fintech, international trade & investment, and mining. This diverse expertise enables us to effectively address the unique legal and strategic needs of industrial and commercial enterprises across various industries.

At LMA | Lagos Maclean Abogados, we are dedicated to providing exceptional legal counsel and representation, always prioritizing our clients' best interests and adapting to the ever-evolving legal landscape.



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OCL provides services in different areas, keeping a global view and the objectivity and closeness of an advisor. OCL is an independent firm, with connections with law firms in the main countries.

#### **Corporate**

The Corporate Area satisfies the needs of clients in various industries. The impacts of development and more specific regulation require an ongoing search for solutions and alternatives to a wide variety of challenges. Our services include M&A, reorganizations and legal representation.

#### Tax

The Tax Area provides counseling in all stages of the businesses, to achieve an efficient tax management while ensuring compliance with the law at all times. OCL has ample experience in international taxation, to address both foreign investment in Chile and Chilean investment abroad.



- Corporate Practice
- Litigation
- Tax Practice
- Labor and Immigration Practice
- · Government, Regulatory and Administrative Practice
- Property Practice
- · Judicial Services

#### **Labor and Immigration**

The labor Area stands out for its refined knowledge of current labor legislation, which is applied daily according to the line of business of each client. Our advice focuses mainly on labor consulting, immigration, collective bargaining and labor litigation.

#### Litigation

Our litigation Area brings alternatives available to solve complex conflicts but also day to day difficulties of our clients. The analysis and strategic design provided by OCL always comprise the main civil and commercial aspects of the conflict. OCL also deals in regulatory, and consumer's law litigation.

#### **Government, Regulatory and Administrative**

Our Public, Regulatory and Administrative Law Area offers advice on regulatory compliance and procedures before government authorities. OCL has considerable experience in presentations before the Comptroller General of the Republic, processing all kind of authorizations from authorities, and providing counsel in different type of regulatory issues.

#### **Real Estate**

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#### **POSITIONING**

In our firm, founded in 2004, we have always emphasized on a personalized and integral service, that leads to the most efficient solutions for our clients.

We mainly provide legal advice on corportate, in-house counseling, tax planning and restructuring, insolvency, labor law and entrepreneurship matters. We have an available, dynamic and specialized team of Lawyers who are profoundly committed to our client's needs, providing agile and effective solutions, and seeking to prevent possible legal issues. We advise individuals, companies and even legal firms who seek our expertise and knowledge in other areas of law.

Currently, Sáez y Compañía provides advice to leading national and foreign companies, and in our permanent interest in supporting the development and economic growth of our country, we have a high commitment to entrepreneurs and pro bono services.

Our services are characterized by an integral and effective support in most areas of Law, oriented to provide legal advice that bring practical solutions to the activities and needs from our clients



#### **BUSINESS**

- Restructuring
- Corporate
- Tax
- Labor
- Insolvency
- Finance
- Arbitration
- Dispute resolution:
  - •White collar crime
  - •Civil and commercial litigation
  - Major strategists



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Torretti & Cia. is a tax-specialised law firm with a strong practice in international taxation, foreign investment, corporate taxation, tax litigation and private clients.

The firm was born as a reaction to the "Biglaw" model, deliberately seeking to differentiate itself from its larger competitors. Simply put, its partners are directly involved from start to finish. Their experience coupled with the support of a compact team of lawyers results in clear advice that effectively solves their clients' complex and varying needs.

Torretti provides personalised strategies for each client's unique situation and interests, taking great pride in developing close relationships with the people who seek for its advice. This is one of the key features of its practice and would not be possible if not for its cohesive style.

The partners of Torretti & Cia. are professors of tax law. Their academic background allows them translate technical matters into simple, understandable concepts. If you can't explain it in simple terms then you don't fully understand it.



- Tax
- Private Clients
- Foreign Investment
- Corporate and M&A



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Dret is a law firm in Colombia with six partners and an equal number of practice areas whose teams focus on Banking and Finance, Energy and Natural Resources, Corporate, Fintech, Real Estate and Urban Development, Dispute Resolution (internally known as negotiation-arbitration -litigation), Insurance and Reinsurance and Tax and Foreign Trade.

One of the axes of the firm is its work methodology called the "360° approach" according to which, from its specialty, each area of practice revolves around the needs and projects of its clients, which allows them both efficiencies and responses faster and closer to customer needs, such as practical, comprehensive and strategic solutions.

The firm is migrating to a firm model by industry or by sector given the experience of the different members of its teams. Its main focus is on industries or sectors such as banking, finance, reinsurance, insurance, construction, real estate, oil and gas, energy, retail, logistics and agribusiness.

### BUSINESS

- Banking and Finance
- Energy and Natural Resources
- Corporate
- Fintech
- Real Estate
- Negotiation, Arbitration & Litigation
- Insurance and Reinsurance
- Tax



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Among our allies are: Bogotá Chamber of Commerce, Barranquilla Chamber of Commerce, Andi del Futuro, Invest in Bogotá, Endeavor, Globalfy, CFO Startup, Lazo.



- · Corporate Law
- Tax Law
- · Labor Law
- Intellectual Property
- Startups
- Venture Capital



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#### **POSITIONING**

#### Restructuring and Insolvency

In adverse times, strong leadership in the process of designing effective legal strategies is a key element to navigate the uncertainties related to business crises.

Our Restructuring & Insolvency team provides advice on corporate transactions, liability restructuring instruments and recovery or liquidation proceedings. Our practice, that is based on an economic, business, and financial perspective, becomes a powerful tool for our clients, whether debtors or creditors, in managing pre-insolvency and insolvency scenarios.

We seek to identify opportunities and reduce costs associated with these events by putting forward efficient and creative solutions that add value to companies in financial difficulties or to their creditors. We also structure guarantee schemes to facilitate credit and promote cross-border insolvency proceedings, representing companies in insolvency, their managers, owners, creditors, and investors.



- · Private reorganizations and dissolutions.
- Bankruptcy and post-bankruptcy financing operations.
- Business reorganization process.
- Judicial dissolution process.
- Process of judicial validation of extrajudicial agreements.
- Extraordinary recovery instruments (Decree 560 of 2020).
- Insolvency of small companies (Decree 772 of 2020).
- Structuring of guarantees for credit operations.
- Operations for the acquisition of assets of companies in crisis.
- Acquisition operations of companies in crisis.
- Acquisition and disposal of NPLs and REOs.
- Cross-boarder insolvency.
- Insolvency of financial entities, cooperatives, for health sector and utilities.
- Contest for illegal gathering of resources from the public.
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The firm serves as a permanent advisor to national and international companies in the Americas, Europe and Asia, in their operations in Colombia and Latin America.

We provide comprehensive advisory services to our customers in Colombia for their business activities in topics such as general corporate matters, contracts, commercial law, foreign investment, regulatory and compliance, as well as intellectual property and food and health legislation.

Our team of professionals is also actively involved in providing the comprehensive necessary legal support for complex local and cross border M&A transactions, as well as capital markets, banking, structured finance, multilateral and ECA Financing operations, electronic payment systems, fintech regulation and operations, practices where our team has received continuous praise and recognition for their effective advisory and business-oriented approach.

Our professionals, many of whom have had extensive experience in the public and private sector – as well as the academy -, and who share close relationships with law firms worldwide, have the capability to provide expert legal advice to clients in both local and international operations under the current changing and dynamic environment that businesses require nowadays in Colombia and the Latin American region.

Recognized as a leading firm in these practice areas, Mosquera Abogados is permanently recommended as a highly reliable and costefficient firm to companies interested in establishing and operating business in Colombia, with high quality service standards, personalized service and a pro-active approach.



#### **BUSINESS**

- Corporate
- Mergers & Aquisitions
- Capital Markets
- Banking & Finance
- · Electronic Payments and Fintech
- Restructuring
- Foreign Investment
- Foreign Exchange
- Trademarks
- · Sanitary Registration



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- Tax Law.
- Corporate, Commercial and Business Law.
- Labor, Migration and Immigration Law.
- Competition and Competitiveness Law. Consumer's Protection Rights.
- Environmental legislation.
- Real estate, construction and public works legislation.
- Public Procurement. .
- Mining Law.
- Financial, Banking and Stock Market Law.
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- Telecommunications and E-Commerce legislation.
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- Debt restructuring
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- · Syndicated Loans
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Based on our broad experience and knowledge of the banking and fiduciary fields, we have provided advice to trust administrators and businesses that have been used as collateral mechanisms and/or payment of financial operations on the part of financial entities and multilateral organizations, such as the IIC, IDB, and the IMF.



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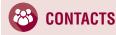
- Tax Compliance
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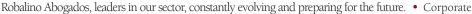


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- We are a specialized team consisting of lawyers and consultants, constantly seeking to M&A
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**BUSINESS** 

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- Tax review of financial models

#### VALUATION AND TRANSFER PRICING

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- Tax assistance in relation with collective proceedings
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- · Litigation and Arbitration
- Mergers and Acquisitions, Private Equity
- · Privacy and IT Compliance
- Real Estate
- · Restructuring and Insolvency
- Tax Law

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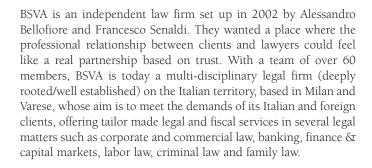


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#### **Finance and Tax**

The Firm advises in the areas of banking & finance, restructuring capital markets, structured finance and securitization, corporate finance, banking, financial and insurance regulation, as well as corporate governance and litigation in these areas

BSVA assists its clients in connection with a wide range of issues, solving efficiently all problems arising from the structuring transactions, on behalf of arrangers, banks and brokers, companies and corporate groups.

With regard to Capital Markets, the Firm advises its clients in the bond and other debt securities issuance, debt, convertible, debt restructuring. BSVA also assists management companies and hedge funds (including property/real estate funds).



- Banking, Finance and Insurance
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Bonn & Schmitt is a leading Luxembourg full-service law firm with an extensive international practice.

Our attorneys are experienced practitioners in the Luxembourg legal environment and present a unique combination of expertise allowing us to deliver unrivalled legal solutions in one of Europe's leading financial centres.

Bonn & Schmitt has established strong working relationships with leading law firms throughout Europe and in the international community with whom we interact closely and collaboratively to provide our clients with innovative and integrated solutions to multi-jurisdictional matters.

Our global client base stretches through Europe, to Russia, the U.S., South America, South Africa and Asia.

We are trusted legal partner of leading international financial institutions, industrial corporations, national governments as well as media companies, pharmaceutical groups and food and beverage groups listed on the Forbes Global 2000 List.

The firm regularly advises Luxembourg state/local and regulatory authorities on a wide range of legal matters.

Bonn & Schmitt's lawyers are registered with the Luxembourg Bar and many are members of several international legal organizations, including the International Bar Association, the Union Internationale des Avocats and the International Fiscal Association.



#### Corporate

- Corporate Law
- Mergers & Acquisitions
- Corporate Finance
- Insolvency & Restructuring

#### Banking, Capital Markets and Regulation

- Banking and Finance
- Financial Services and Regulation
- Capital Markets and Securities Laws

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- Private Equity



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**Investment Funds:** Our investment fund team supports promoters aiming to establish Luxembourg funds by assisting them to find the appropriate investment vehicle that fulfills their marketing, regulatory, and legal requirements and goals. We provide advice on the full spectrum of Luxembourg investment vehicles and fund regimes. These include Undertakings for the Collective Investment in Transferable Securities (UCITS), Specialised Investment Funds (SIF), Reserved Alternative Investment Funds (RAIF), Alternative Investment Funds with an authorised AIFM, and unregulated Common Limited Partnerships (SCS) and Special Limited Partnerships (SCSp).

**Tax:** Our tax team has extensive experience in advising on transactions and situations ranging from basic to sophisticated. We act as lead or co-lead counsel on the tax aspects of complex and challenging financial transactions. These include M&A transactions, buy-outs, joint ventures,

# **BUSINESS**

#### Investment funds

- Fund structuring and formation (private equity, real estate, VC, debt, crypto, hedge, etc.)
- Regulatory and compliance
- Restructuring and insolvency

#### • Litigation, arbitration & dispute resolution

- International litigation and arbitration
- Fund litigation
- Private banking and financial litigation
- Corporate and commercial litigation

- Tax advisory
- Tax litigation
- VAT and indirect taxes
- Tax Compliance
- Private wealth planning

#### • Banking, finance & capital markets

- Debt and equity capital markets
- Securitisation and structured finance
- Banking and financial services

#### · Private wealth management

- Private investment and family capital
- Luxembourg SPF services
- Private wealth planning
- Dispute resolution

#### Corporate

- Company formation
- Corporate governance
- Restructuring and insolvency

, corporate restructurings, private equity transactions, finance structures, financial products, securitizations, and real estate transactions. Additionally, we advise on the implementation of incentive plans for employees, senior executives, and asset managers. We are trusted advisors to HNWI and families in the implementation of asset protection and family capital operations. Our scope of expertise encompasses Luxembourg and EU tax law, and the interpretation and application of international tax treaties impacting cross-border transactions. We also manage tax settlements and tax litigation with the tax authorities. Our approach is innovative and designed to present tailor-made solutions that stand the test of time. We seek realistic and commercially-sound solutions that align with real-time insights and legislative developments.

Corporate: At Chevalier & Sciales, our corporate practice caters to a broad range of corporate needs. From company formation to handling intricate governance issues, we serve both public and private sector entities. Our deep understanding of Luxembourg's dynamic corporate landscape helps us provide tailored solutions, addressing day-to-day corporate matters with acuity.

Restructuring & Insolvency: Our corporate team at Chevalier & Sciales offers expert guidance to clients, their governing bodies, and in-house legal teams on matters of restructuring and insolvency. We provide assistance regarding domestic and cross-border mergers, inbound and outbound migrations, asset deals, bankruptcy proceedings, insolvency, and liquidation. Our strategic advice is designed to navigate complex legal landscapes with precision and confidence.

Banking & Finance: Our capital markets team showcases a diverse expertise in both debt and equity capital markets. This includes the execution of bond issues and programmes of various types, such as traditional and novel global notes, and devising investment and financing operations. We have the capability to manage an extensive range of debt or equity capital markets transactions on both a domestic and international level, demonstrating our commitment to providing robust financial solutions to our clients.



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Mario Di Stefano

#### **Corporate / Mergers and Acquisitions**

DSM Avocats à la Cour is an independent firm considered to be an excellent alternative to larger international firms for corporate, commercial, and M&A work in Luxembourg. Many clients and foreign law firms referring work to us on behalf of their clients are of the opinion that DSM is a mid-sized firm delivering top quality work able to handle sophisticated transactions. Our corporate and M&A team is regularly called upon to assist in domestic, cross-border and multi-jurisdictional matters and advises on general corporate matters, mergers and acquisitions, corporate restructurings, public and private tenders, mergers and divisions, share and asset deals, joint ventures, liquidations, corporate governance and compliance, managerial and other governing body liability as well as corporate finance.

#### **Private Equity & Real Estate**

DSM understands the big picture and gives clients the benefit of its technical expertise at every stage of the process. Our team advises and represents clients on and with respect to the full range of real estate law matters, including: financing, setting up of the corporate structure (regulated funds and non-regulated funds, SPVs), acquisition or divestment of real estate property, including asset deals and share deals; urban zoning and planning, including general and specific development plans, construction permits, as well as permits by specific competent authorities; drafting and negotiation of commercial, office and residential lease agreements; drafting and negotiation of surface rights and emphyteutic leases; issues linked to condominiums and drafting of condominium rules; public procurement and competition; and civil, commercial, tax and administrative disputes over all issues linked to real estate.

#### Restructuring & Insolvency

DSM advises a variety of clients in bankruptcy and insolvency cases, both in the bankruptcy courts and in out-of-court restructurings. Our specialists also advise on company management, insolvency administrators, guarantors and creditors in any phase of a bankruptcy or insolvency.

Our team assists clients in: English, French, German, Italian, Luxembourgish and Spanish.



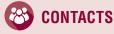
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#### MAIN AREAS OF PRACTICE:

- Banking and Finance
- Corporate and M&A
- Dispute Resolution and Litigation
- Employment
- Insurance and Reinsurance
- Investment Funds
- IP, Technology, Media & Telecommunication
- Tax

Banking & Finance: By taking care of the most complex regulatory, transactional and litigation matters, both on a domestic and international level, our Banking & Finance team located in Luxembourg has proven to be a highly reliable partner across the full spectrum of banking, finance, capital markets and fund finance services. Our experts assist banking and credit institutions, investment firms, Professionals of the Financial Sector (PFS), management companies, auditors and accounting professionals, economic advisers, investors, borrowers and lenders as well as other professionals subject to the AML/CTF regulations.

Corporate Law: Our Corporate and M&A team in Luxembourg uses a cutting-edge approach to provide clients with a fully integrated legal service covering the whole range of corporate transactions, structures, and governance. Our lawyers assist renowned domestic and international clients including multinational corporations, entrepreneurial and family businesses, start-ups, banks and financial institutions, investment and pension funds, private equity houses, asset managers and family offices.

Investment Funds: Our Luxembourg Investment Funds team advises on transactional and advisory projects, focusing on both alternative and retail investment funds. Our lawyers have developed a high level of expertise across all asset classes and have a strong demonstrable track record of client satisfaction, delivering commercial advice combined with an in-depth understanding of the industry. Our clients include domestic and international institutional investors and sponsors, family offices, asset managers, private equity and venture capital funds or high-net-worth individuals and families.

Tax: Our Tax team based in Luxembourg not only supports clients in their day-to-day management, tax compliance procedures and fiscal issues but also helps them implement the best tax strategy and appropriate tax structuring for their projects. Our lawyers excel in advising on cross-border operations and handling tax disputes for clients including Fortune 500 companies, multinationals, emerging businesses, investment funds, investors, banking and financial institutions as well as high-net-worth individuals and families.



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#### **Investment Funds**

We advise Asset Managers, Institutional Investors, HNWI, PE Firms, Funds and Family Offices on all aspects of the life cycle of unregulated investment vehicles (AIF, RAIF) and of regulated investment vehicles (SIF, SICAR, UCITS); In this respect we assist our clients with:

- The selection of the appropriate fund structure;
- The set-up and drafting of the documentation: Special Limited Partnership agreement (LPA), carried interest arrangement, side letter, prospectus, private placement memorandum (PPM), investment management agreement, central administration agreement and depositary agreement;
- Liaising with the financial supervisory authority in Luxembourg (the CSSF);
- The set-up and registration of Alternative Investment Fund Managers (AIFMs) with the CSSF; and
- The selection of service providers such as the registered AIFM, the central administration agent and the depositary agent.

#### **Corporate Finance**

We assist clients with their corporate finance transactions. Typically, our clients are PE firms, Asset Managers, Small and Large Corporates and Family Offices. Our significant flow of transactions ensures that our lawyers have become rounded corporate finance lawyers with experience in various types of transactions. Here is a list of transactions we cover on a regular basis:

- Acquisition finance, including the documentation related to the security package;
- M&A, from drafting a term sheet or letter of intent to closing the transaction;
- Drafting and negotiating shareholders agreements, co-investment agreements and share purchase agreements;
- Arranging capital increases or raising funds through the issuance of bonds; and
- Performing corporate, legal and tax vendors' or buyers' due diligences.

#### **Corporate Services**

We assist our clients with their legal and accounting compliance, including the preparation and filing of the annual accounts. We also assist them with the preparation and filing of tax returns.

We assist our clients with corporate tax matters. We team-up with international tax advisors to cover cross-border tax issues.



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Strelia is a leading multiservice independent Belux law firm, founded in 2013. We subsequently opened our Luxembourg office in 2017, recognizing the importance of Luxembourg as a leading global financial center and the second most crucial hub for investment funds, surpassed only by New York. With a strong focus on private equity, our Luxembourg office serves as a focal point for this specialized sector.

Michaël Meylan



- Corporate / M&A
- Banking & Finance
- Dispute Resolution
- Restructuring & Insolvency

Strelia's Luxembourg office specializes in Corporate and M&A and Banking and Finance. Additionally, we can provide our clients with tax advice and handle disputes before Luxembourg courts, as well as arbitrations, leveraging the expertise of fellow professionals with whom we closely cooperate.

Strelia's services distinguish themselves from competitors with their unwavering commitment to high-quality standards, strengthened by a highly efficient team. Consistently recognized as a leader in the field by publications such as Chambers, Legal 500, and IFLR, Strelia's Corporate and M&A practice sets the standard for excellence and innovation, ensuring our clients receive unparalleled service and results. We have a deep understanding of our clients' legal and business needs in various industries, allowing us to navigate their requirements effectively.

Strelia's corporate lawyers offer comprehensive support to private equity firms and corporate entities, encompassing transactional and M&A matters, company law, corporate governance, and regulatory compliance.

Our clients entrust us with their cross-border and domestic transactions, relying on our seasoned advice and expertise. Our approach centers on our clients' needs, nurturing long-lasting relationships grounded in trust and satisfaction. Regardless of the deal's complexity, scale, or industry focus, we approach each matter comprehensively, ensuring meticulous coverage while delivering tailor-made solutions of the utmost quality.

The team is also characterized by responsiveness, pragmatism, and the delivery of innovative solutions tailored to each client.



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White & Case is an international law firm that serves companies, governments and financial institutions. We are uniquely placed to help our clients resolve their most complex legal challenges wherever they are. Our Luxembourg team advises on a broad range of areas of expertise, with a particular focus on private equity, investment funds, tax, mergers and acquisitions, banking and finance, capital markets, restructuring, corporate litigation and EU financial service regulations.

Our Banking, Finance and Capital Markets department sits within our Transactional Practice and concentrates the firm's well-rounded expertise in transactional finance and financial regulation. Our team mainly advises a wide range of banks, credit funds, alternative capital providers, sponsors and corporations on direct lending, acquisition & leveraged finance, holdco PIK financing and debt and equity capital market transactions. Over the years, our team earned the reputation of being among the very best in the Benelux market.

Our Restructuring and Insolvency team has extensive experience in advising debtors and lenders to restructure in distressed debt situations, in advising lenders and other creditors in bankruptcy cases, in defending directors, shareholders, or lenders when facing liability claims from other creditors, trustees or receivers, and more. We assist leading professional investors in acquiring portfolios and individual distressed assets with a view to restructure and create value. We also routinely handle restructuring and insolvency matters with multiple simultaneous procedures taking place in several countries.

Our Tax team is working with our clients to find the most effective tax-related legal solutions. We have built one of the most successful tax practices, offering a truly pan-European service, and our award-winning tax advisors have been engaged in some of the most significant tax assignments in the region. Our Luxembourg tax team is fully integrated in this multinational approach to tax issues and assists our clients with tax aspects in transactions, advisory work, contentious and non-contentious mandates, as well as standalone tax matters.



- Corporate and Mergers & Acquisitions
- **Private Equity**
- Investment Funds
- Asset Finance
- Capital Markets
- Commercial Litigation
- Debt Finance
- Financial Restructuring and Insolvency
- Financial Services Regulatory
- Project Development and Finance
- Regulatory & Compliance
- Tax

#### Our values

At White & Case, our culture comes to life through three core values:

#### Pioneering

We seize opportunities to innovate and grow

We are one firm with a shared sense of purpose

#### Human

We care about each other and the world around us

These are the concepts that shape our distinctive culture and differentiate us from others. They capture the unique spirit of our Firm, and

guide the behaviours that enable us to deliver on the promises.



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Basham, Ringe y Correa is a full-service law firm with a strong presence in Latin America. It was established in Mexico in 1912 so it has 110 years of experience helping clients do business in Mexico and abroad.

(opened in 2004), and Leon (opened in 2018).



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Victor Barajas



#### Corporate:

- Foreign Investment negotiation and structuring
- Incorporation of companies and limited liability companies
- Opening of subsidiaries and branch offices of foreign companies
- Joint ventures and shareholder agreements
- Commercial contracts
- Construction contracts
- Approvals and permits from all levels of government
- Corporate restructuring, conversions, dissolutions

- and liquidations
- Corporate record maintenance

#### Tax Planning:

- Domestic and international tax planning
- Due-Diligence
- Corporate reorganization
- Mergers, spin-offs and acquisitions
- Global solutions
- Solid alliances with foreign law firms
- Tax consulting
- · Tax incentives

Basham's Corporate and M&A Practice Group assist Mexican and foreign clients in a broad range of cross border commercial transactions. As members of one of Mexico 's leading law firms, our corporate lawyers have the experience, knowledge, and judgment required to effectively manage all transactions, from the simplest to the most complex with speed, efficiency, and success.

Basham's preventive and strategic advice on all the areas of Mexican law allows

the firm to offer its clients effective, complete and timely solutions to their needs.

The firm has four offices strategically located across the country: its main office is

in Mexico City and regional offices are in Monterey (opened in 2000), Queretaro

Every business plan or model must comply with domestic and international tax provisions. For this reason, Basham, Ringe y Correa assists our clients in meeting their tax obligations under the Law. Aware of their clients' concerns regarding the frequent amendments to tax provisions, Basham, Ringe y Correa offers a wide range of tax planning services to maximize the efficiency of their transactions.



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# **POSITIONING**

Our tax practice works in close collaboration with our M&A, Capital Markets, Energy, and other practices to provide an integrated service, advising our clients on the most suitable structure while considering their goals and objectives. We advise our clients on tax inquiries pertaining to day-to-day operations and corporate restructures, involving mergers, spin-offs, or any other corporate move that allows clients to conduct business efficiently, always in full compliance with Mexican tax provisions and obligations.



- · Tax consulting
- · Tax controversy
- · Tax litigation.

Likewise, we have vast experience and capabilities advising Galicia's banking, infrastructure and energy clients in the review and optimization of their financial models, with the objective of analyzing tax provisions for both project investment and disinvestment. Similarly, Galicia's Tax team has expertise in fund formation, particularly those involving private equity and real estate projects. We advise our clients on tax compliance related to structures and vehicles used to carry out investments in these projects, such as Mexican Trusts (e.g. FIBRA, FICAP, CERPI, passive trust, business trust), Mexican entities or even through other foreign vehicles (e.g. Trust, LP).

Our Tax Litigation practice group is a remarkable, handpicked team, recognized for its ability to develop strategic litigations. We offer advice on all appropriate means of defense against resolutions issued by tax authorities, offering the best legal strategies and solutions for our clients and accompanying them every step of the litigation process. Relevant and important precedents have been obtained in favor of clients known as key players in their industries through administrative appeals, nullity claims before the Federal Administrative Court and constitutional claims before District Courts, Circuit Courts, and the Mexican Supreme Court of Justice.

Our Consulting, Controversy and Litigation Tax teams collaborate to provide clients with a pro-business, practical and holistic approach and solution to their needs. Galicia is fully committed to building a market-leading tax practice, with full-service capabilities on the transactional, advisory and litigation front. The team has been reinforced significantly in the last few years and is now composed of nearly 30 professionals, including six partners.

Galicia is aware that when it comes to taxes, controversies may arise. That is why we have strengthened and complemented our tax services by offering our clients cutting-edge capabilities to avoid and effectively resolve complex tax disputes.

From the dispute avoidance perspective, our team is able to provide high-level tax risk assessments to identify potential tax liabilities for the client and to suggest strategies for managing such risks. Our team has relevant on-the-ground experience in handling sophisticated tax audits on transfer pricing, financial systems, international taxation and digital services, among other issues. Profound knowledge in alternative dispute resolution procedures allows us to offer clients not only an effective solution to solve the case at hand, but also to preserve a long-term relationship with the tax authorities through open and cooperative communication.



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The areas in which we render our services are directed by professionals that comply with the highest standards of knowledge and probity. This permits us to intelligently coordinate the personnel under it, in the constant search of benefits for the interests of the clients this firm represents.



- Development of projects of Energy and Infrastructure
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- · Civil Law
- · Commercial Law
- Administrative Law
- Litigation
- Other Areas...

Based on the foregoing, technology also performs a very important role to Ibáñez Parkman, S.C. Thus it is that our infrastructure, together with the spirit of personalized service, allows us to maintain a close communication with our clients, and this constitutes our main commitment.

We possess the expertise to analyze the requirements of various projects, including infrastructure, road construction, potable and treated water systems, environmental initiatives, electricity, and hydrocarbons, among other administrative matters. Additionally, we have extensive experience in identifying governmental programs focused on subsidy schemes, financing, or public-private partnerships, which may reduce our clients' investment costs.

We are also adept at identifying additional common needs for infrastructure projects and the surrounding communities. Our approach is centered on seeking creative solutions that not only address these needs but also mitigate the social impact of the projects. This is achieved through the application of cost-benefit studies in compliance with current regulatory standards and through negotiations with relevant authorities to secure the necessary support.



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Martín, Isla & Pickering is a law firm of experts specializing in various and highly specific areas of practice, and we are consistently at the complete disposal of our clients. Our aim is to provide them with highquality, specialized, and personalized legal services, always seeking to build their trust, achieve their absolute satisfaction, and consistently exceed their expectations. Our specialists are members of various Professional Associations, such as the National Association of Business Lawyers (ANADE) and the College of Public Accountants of Mexico (CCPM). With this premise,



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Ricardo Martín González: He is an attorney with more than 25 years of experience in the public sector and in important and recognized Mexican Law Firms. Specialized in litigation, advisory and consultancy in tax, foreign trade, alternative dispute resolution (Substantial grounds of defense, conclusive agreements before the Taxpayer Ombudsman, MAPs and APAs) and amparo proceeding, as well as national and international tax advisory and consultancy. Due to his broad experience and specialization, he has advised both national and international companies and been in charge of multiple complex litigations.

Pablo Francisco Isla Vázquez: He is an attorney with more than 15 years of experience in important and recognized Law Firms, as well as in the corporate sector. Specialized in advisory and consultancy in private mediation, corporate law, corporate governance, mergers and acquisitions, logistics and transportation, real estate and contracts and agreements of different nature. His specialization has been practiced mainly in matters related to corporate restructures, mergers and acquisitions, asset purchases and sales, public biddings, among others.

Julián Fernández Rodríguez: He is an attorney with more than 25 years of experience advising important companies and national and multinational groups. Specialized in litigation, advisory and consultancy in civil, commercial, constitutional, corporate and real estate. He has constantly sponsored special commercial proceedings in connection with bonds, enforcement of guarantees, among others, as well as disputes related to civil liability arising from commercial activities of national and international companies.

Karl Friederich Bücher Suárez: He is an attorney with more than 15 years of experience advising and representing the interests of individuals, as well as national companies and multinational groups. Specialized in litigation, advisory, consultancy and compliance in strategic-criminal law in property, tax and financial crimes. Attorney who has advised and represented in multiple investigations and criminal proceedings to important companies in matters related to property, tax and financial aspects.

Jorge Alberto Ramírez Suárez: He is an attorney with more than 25 years of experience in labor law, advising companies in the industrial, commercial, financial and service sectors in their labor relationships and employer obligations. He has carried out the attention and design of defenses strategic and legal representation in labor proceedings for unfair dismissal, union lawsuits and collective conflicts, among others.

Luis Manuel Rodríguez Gutiérrez: Attorney with more than 20 years of experience acquired through a free career in litigation matters. Responsible for the civil and commercial litigation practice, advising national and international clients in shareholder conflicts; minority corporate rights; commercial bankruptcy; commercial arbitration and judicial intervention in arbitration matters. He advises companies in various branches, at the management level, both to find solutions to everyday problems in civil and commercial matters, as well as in complex situations that arise from the ordinary course of business.



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Jáuregui y Del Valle (JDV) was founded in 1975 as a Mexican full-service law firm specialized in domestic and international business transactions. It brings together dedicated professionals with a solid international expertise, highly recognized for their innovative approach in providing solutions with the highest technical and ethical standards, alongside a deep understanding of their clients' business needs. Our mission is to preserve a distinctive unique approach and to remain a leading practitioner of law; key elements that triggered their participation in highly reputable transactions.

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JDV advises domestic and foreign clients on a wide range of joint ventures, investments and economic activities within manufacturing trade and services. The firm has a history of implementing state-of-the-art transactions, being a market leader in advising highly regulated entities and in structuring foreign equity investments. We are well known in covering various types of financings, privatizations of government-owned companies and public services, in advising and assisting clients on all steps of qualifications for public bid processes and negotiations of procurement, alongside services, infrastructure and agreements with government entities. The firm has advised foreign governmental entities throughout its history.

The law firm is recognized for its innovative approach in efficiently designing corporate structures and its outstanding technique of solving complex issues. We advise on Distribution Agreements, Acquisitions, Joint Ventures, Strategic Alliances and Associations, Shareholders Conflicts, Corporate Governance, Regulated Industries, Privatization Processes and Anti-Corruption.



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- Litigation & Arbitration
- Real Estate
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Our Banking & Finance team provides advice to commercial banks, investment banks, investment funds, insurance companies, financial lease and factoring companies, pension funds and other financial institutions holding business in Mexico. Our legal assistance includes granting of financing, establishment of subsidiaries in Mexico, acquisition of financial entities in Mexico and compliance with anti-money laundering regulations.

Within our Competition & Antitrust practice we offer advice on all types of Litigation, Compliance, Immunity Programs and Personnel Training. Tax is one of our main practice areas. We offer tax consulting on both federal and local level, with a broad expertise in Acquisitions, Divestitures, Stock and Asset Purchases, Transfer Pricing, Tax Refunds, Structuring of Funds and Public Securities Issue (IPO). The tax specialists are constantly involved in cross-border and domestic transactions.

Our Private Equity team is well experienced in developing strategies for our clients on structuring, bids and deals to mitigate risks and close efficiently. JDV has advised various pension plans, fund managers, financial institutions, financial advisers, investors and family offices on structuring funds, bids, acquisitions and deals.



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We specialize in Corporate Law, Administrative Law, Intellectual Property, Financial and Banking Law as well as Policy and Country Risk Consulting, areas focused on the growth and success of personal and business projects.

We make the tranquility, growth and success of our clients our priority. The corporate practice is focused on providing comprehensive legal advice for the constitution, organization, operation, control, merger, acquisition, dissolution and liquidation of companies.

We have had the opportunity to provide advice to financial institutions on regulatory compliance and compliance, representing said institutions before the regulatory authorities for all types of procedures. Additionally, we have advised both debtors and creditors in the design, structuring and implementation of financial operations. Likewise, we have extensive experience in the fintech sector and new technologies in the financial market, accompanying our clients from the design of their platforms to the start of operations.



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AMPRIMO, FLURY, BARBOZA & RODRÍGUEZ ABOGADOS is a law Firm made up of lawyers with broad experience in providing legal consulting services both, for private and public sectors. The purpose of our institution is to remain at the forefront and excel in all law practice areas with a special focus on litigation and arbitration matters. In that sense, our main partners are highly praised as referents in this area of expertise, being highly demanded both as litigators as well as in their role as arbitrators; having participated in various large-scale arbitrations, as well as representing several of the country's most important companies in critic leading cases.

As a highlight of some of the firm's most recent cases, is the successful advisory and legal representation in the constitutional action held against Law 31018, which suspended the charge of tariffs in all national highways during the COVID 19 outbreak and further lockdown in Peru; as well as representing Petroperu with its defense in a recent constitutional process held in order to suspend the development of the technical improvement in La Pampilla refinery, one of the biggest current public infrastructure projects in Peru. Finally, the firm has participated in an international arbitration, at the CIADI, initiated by a maritime concessionaire against the Peruvian Government claiming the existence of several causes of contractual breach.

Furthermore, our lawyers have held positions of high responsibility and specialization in the public administration, focused especially on matters related to human rights, arbitration as well as constitutional, administrative, competition, mining and environmental law. Also, they are skilled in issues related to the private investment and public management in addition to negotiation of different contracts aimed at executing large-scale investment projects. In this regard, the Real Estate area of the Firm has experienced a remarkable growth, having as clients the main actors of the real estate and construction sector in the country, sponsoring them in the design of investment models as well as in the management of such projects.

Similarly, we pride ourselves in having a vast experience in providing legal advice for the business development and settlement of controversies arisen from the corporate, financial, tax, and labor issues and generally, for all matters related to the business development in Peru



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Our Law Firm was founded in June 2012, by recognized professionals with a long and successful track record, seeking to offer our clients specialized legal and advisory services on corporate, banking, financial, insurance, capital markets, real state, aviation, retail business, health services, agribusiness, manufacturing and industrial matters, as well as business services, hotel management, oil and gas and aviation activities, among others.

Our partners and associates provide preferred, timely and professional services, based on sound, honest and transparent values and on principles of professional ethics and strict respect for conflict of interest rules.

Thus, the team of Partners and Associates of our Law Firm has earned a well-deserved reputation in the market and has gained the trust of a client portfolio consisting of leading local and international companies who have entrusted us their legal counseling and assistance matters.



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On the month of April, 2018, BBGS was constituted, as the result of the integration between the legal firms Bambach & Campos (Chile), Barrios & Montenegro (Colombia), García Velasco & García De Luca (Mexico) and Sacovertiz & Landerer (Peru), providing one of the most important legal networks in Latin America, rendering services in Chile, Colombia, Mexico and Peru with a staff of more than 120 lawyers.

On December 03, 2021, with BBGS as member, it was launched ELBA GLOBAL, a new global alliance of legal and business advisors, comprised by a select group of prestigious law firms, accounting and business advisors headquartered in several different countries around the world have launched a new global alliance named "ELBA GLOBAL - Elite Legal and Business Advisors." The 15 Founding Members are Law, Tax and Accounting Firms with over 30 different practice areas from Brazil, Chile, Colombia, Hong Kong, Italy, Mexico, Panama, Peru, Portugal, Spain, Switzerland, The Netherlands, USA and Venezuela.



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The team has broad experience, advising clients from all over the globe, including Asian, European and North American companies, offering a comprehensive local legal knowledge with a global approach in order to provide effective solutions to our clients' needs.

Our transactions team has a well-developed and very successful methodology that is very meticulous with all the regulatory, environmental, sectoral and other relevant aspects of an operation, making sure to always provide efficient tax advice and to verify all the sensitive aspects from the labour point of view.

We have an outstanding track record advising important clients across a range of sectors, with a particularly strong focus on the retail, mining, oil & gas, aviation, real estate, energy and industry sectors, among others.



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- · Antitrust, Competition and Trade
- Arbitration
- Aviation
- Banking & Finance
- Bankruptcy & Restructuring
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- Compliance
- Consumer Products
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- Dispute Resolution
- Employment & Pensions
- Energy: Electricity Oil & Gas
- Environmental Law
- Hotels & Leisure
- Infrastructure & Projects
- Insurance
- Intellectual Property
- International Arbitration
- Life Sciences & Healthcare
- Mining
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Damma Legal Advisors exists to positively impact our community having integrity as our core value.

We are involved in practically all sectors and industries, which allows us to have an expert view of the business world. Our value proposition is focused on helping our clients to meet their business objectives and protect the value of their assets in an effective and efficient manner, based on a preventive approach. To this end, our services integrate the main legal aspects that veuisuable ton the economic results and the continuity of a company's business operations.



- Fintech
- Blockchain and Crypto
- Venture Capital & Technology
- Banking and Finance
- Capital Markets
- Financial Services
- Data Protection & Information Security
- Labor & Employment
- Tax Law
- Wealth Management
- Projects & Infrastructure
- Mergers & Acquisitions

Damma is highly specialized in technology, fintech, venture capital, financial regulation, capital markets, tax law, wealth management, labor & employment, projects & infrastructure and corporate law matters.

Our Fintech & Startups practice is focused on providing regulatory, corporate and transactional advisory to startups (specially Fintech, Crypto, Blockchain and Web 3 companies), angel investors, venture capital funds, incubators and accelerators, corporate venture building departments and corporations aiming to digitalize themselves. Thus, we advise fintech, crypto and blockchain companies, regulated entities and local and foreign investors, on regulatory and digital matters. Our advisory focuses on the implementation of fintech business models and/or partnership schemes among fintech companies (e.g., P2P lending platforms, debt and real estate crowdfunding, factoring, currency exchange, payment and remittances mechanisms, etc.), Blockchain-based developments and web 3 business models (cryptoassets wallets, exchange platforms, stablecoins, tokenization, payments and remittances platforms, etc.). Our services include the elaboration of regulatory roadmaps for innovative business models, data privacy compliance, drafting of corporate and contractual documentation, as well as conducting licensing and registry procedures. We also advise tech entrepreneurs and regulated entities in their interaction with public agencies on regulatory matters, as well as with private entities on funding and collaborative transactions.

On the other hand, our Capital Markets and Banking practice provides transactional advisory related to financing and debt issuance deals, creation of trusts, investment funds and securitization vehicles, as well as regulatory advisory to banking, insurance and securities markets entities, including licensing procee-

Our Labor & Employment practice includes counseling on both private public labour legal regimes, representation in litigation before the judiciary and in administrative proceedings, labour contracting and contracts under special regimes, internal labour management (hiring policies, disciplinary procedures, internal labor regulations, wage equality, harassment, occupational health and safety, among others), union related aspects (collective bargaining, strike scenarios, etc.) and hiring of foreigners and immigration issues.

Our Tax law practice consists of general and sectorial tax advisory, organization of tax and legal schemes, tax and legal committees, preparatory review for and support in tax audits, tax reviews, legal sponsorship and participation in proceedings as experts, consultancy and general legal advising on customs matters, as well as wealth management solutions.

Finally, our Transactions and Projects practice includes legal advisory on mergers, acquisitions and corporate reorganizations, corporate and financial structures, negotiations and commercial transactions of all kinds, financing (corporate loans, syndicated loans, issuances, etc.), project financing, "works for taxes", legal due diligence, private and public bidding and contracting, commercial and investment arbitration, as well as PPPs and regulation of transportation infrastructure.



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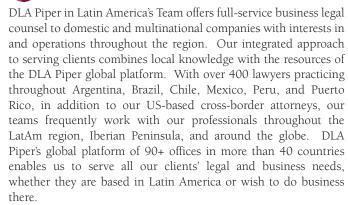


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We are a young spirit firm with an in-depth knowledge of the industries we provide services for. Each member of our firm defines a solid culture of business ethics and a permanent commitment to our clients.

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- Labor and Immigration
- Tax
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- Corporate Criminal Law and Compliance
- Industrial and Intellectual Property
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With over 20 years of professional practice, EBS Abogados reaffirms its commitment as a leading tax boutique in providing tax consulting services to companies, corporate projects, and individuals.

Our firm is comprised of a multidisciplinary team of specialists with proven track records, allowing us to strengthen and address our clients' needs comprehensively, both in terms of prevention and resolution of contingencies.

The trust bestowed upon us by our distinguished clients has positioned us as a secure and reliable alternative in business consulting in Peru.

#### David Bravo Sheen - Principal Partner

A lawyer with a Master's in Law from the University of Kiev, with postgraduate studies in Taxation from the Pontifical Catholic University of Peru, and specialization in International Taxation from the Universidad Austral de Argentina.

He has worked as a Tax Advisor for the Gloria Group, as the Manager of the Tax and Legal Division at Deloitte, as the Head of the Tax Legal Division at Caballero Bustamante Law Firm (now Thomson Reuters), and as the Head of the Legal-Tax Division at LGS Consultores S.A.

He has also been a lecturer on tax topics in the Master's in Business Management and Master's in Law programs at the University of Piura, as well as in the Taxation Diplomas at PUCP, the University of Lima, and ESAN.



#### **BUSINESS**

#### Tax Consulting and Processes:

As the flagship specialty of the Firm, the Tax Consulting and Processes area reaffirms its commitment to addressing our clients' needs appropriately. Through answering tax queries and providing legal opinions on complex transactions, we aim to establish preventive mechanisms that allow for the development of efficient tax structures for companies. In adverse situations, we provide effective strategies in managing tax procedures before entities such as SUNAT (National Superintendency of Tax Administration), Municipalities, the Tax Court, as well as contentious processes initiated before the Judicial Branch and the Constitutional Court.

#### • Tax Compliance:

EBS Abogados' Tax Compliance area stands as an indispensable ally for our clients, offering support in the diligent fulfillment of acquired tax obligations, allowing for the prevention and mitigation of risks and contingencies with the Tax Authority. Its service offerings strategically include reviews and determination of Income Tax and monthly obligations, tax diagnosis, and due diligence, electronic bookkeeping, as well as assistance in tax audits

#### • Transfer Pricing:

Our transfer pricing area provides the appropriate support in the application of rules established by the competent authority in cases of relationships between related companies, preventing the application of sanctions in case of non-compliance. Legitimate mechanisms are thus offered to optimize resources and reduce the tax impact on groups of companies.



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**Tax Department:** Led by partners José Gálvez and Silvia Muñoz, former senior officials with 15 years of experience in intermediate and managerial positions at the Peruvian Tax Administration (SUNAT), both participated in several tax legislation reforms related to income tax. They have leaded the contencious areas in the first instance.

G&D participates in highly sophisticated tax consulting with a focus on corporate tax planning, local and cross border and wealth management. Ther firm stands out in litigation processes representing domestic and foreign companies before the administrative and judicial domestic authorities, primarily in transfer pricing of taxation of multinational economic groups matters, technology and international operations.

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**Labour & Employment Department**: Led by partner Javier Dolorier, an acknowledged labour law attorney with 25 years of experience in collective bargaining and labour auditing, planning and restructuring. He has been a former advisor to both the Labour National Council and the Supreme Court in labour matters. Chaired until 2018 the High Court of Administrative Liabilities. The area is co-lead by Flor Villaseca an experienced litigator and specialised in safety and health at work.

G&D represents clients in employee relations and advises on all matters related to employment and labour law. The team's regular work includes drafting policy papers for clients on recently issued legislation on pay equity, as well as sexual harassment prevention and complaints procedures, and LGTB inclusion initiatives. The firm also advises corporate clients on the impact of new technologies on job reduction.



#### **BUSINESS**

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Our work is inspired by principles and a clear service vocation.

# **BUSINESS**

- Tax advisory
- Tax planning
- · Tax audit assistance
- Tax litigation
- · Tax technological services
- Corporate services
- Merger and acquisitions
- Foreign trade and customs
- Foreign investment services



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#### TAX

Our tax practice is distinguished by its business orientation and its passion for providing solutions in a creative way through our high quality service to local and foreign companies. Our team brings together its legal technique and experience to advise clients in all types of industries and sectors, being especially strong in taxation related to banking, finance, capital markets, retail, telecommunications and infrastructure.

We have experience in the design and evaluation of efficient tax structures for local and cross-border transactions in mergers and acquisitions as well as project financing. Tax planning is also a main service for our clients in investment funds, local and foreign trusts, always focused on optimizing the investor's profitability.

Rebaza Alcázar & de Las Casas is very active in representing contentious and non-contentious tax proceedings, as well as tax audits before the Peruvian Tax Authority with more than satisfactory results. We have additionally acquired substantial expertise in the judicial arena. Our goal is to be the bridge for the achievement of the objectives of our clients and their business needs, through an efficient and planned taxation.

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Our practice embraces both, succession and wealth planning. It is distinguished for bringing tailor-made solutions to our clients, addressing their specific personal and financial needs by developing personalized structures for the management, protection and preservation of their assets and businesses. In our analysis we consider the residences not only of the heads of families but also of their future heirs, and always take into account inheritance, asset protection and tax matters. Our versatile • Real Estate team is experienced in designing and setting-up local and foreign investment structures which may consider, among others, local or foreign trusts, investment funds and the participation of private companies.

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- Financing
- Financial Services
- Fintech
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- Life Sciences
- Mergers & Acquisitions
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- Private Clients
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Santiváñez Abogados was founded in 1964 in Piura, began operating as a national firm since 2005 and opened its independent Lima office in 2009. The firm has experienced permanent organic growth and has benefited greatly from integration with specialized boutique firms, most notably Energy Partners in 2011, an energy and infrastructure firm serving government and state-owned companies; Capella & Delgado in 2013, a boutique firm specialized in labor law, labor tax and occupational health and safety; Auler & Pinto in 2020, a corporate and real state boutique firm; and in July 2024, the firm merged with Martinot Abogados, while retaining the name Santiváñez Abogados.

The firm has 50 lawyers in two offices located in Lima and Piura and has evolved into one of the most dynamic and specialized law firms in Peru ,combining 60 years of professional experience with highly specialized industry and sector-oriented practices, adding a personalized -boutique

## **BUSINESS**

- Corporate Law
- Corporate Restructuring and Creditors Rights
- M&A
- Foreign Investment
- Private Equity
- Tax
- · Antitrust Law
- · Aviation Law
- Complex Conflicts
- Consumer Rights
- Data Protection
- Gaming Law

- Intellectual Property
- Labor and Migratory Law
- Real Estate
- · Energy and natural resources
- · Infrastructure and publicprivate partnerships
- Project development and finance
- · Environment and climate change
- Mining
- Agribusiness

standard- service, that has created strong relationships with clients for several decades.

Professional ethics, transparency, diversity and meritocracy are the core values of our firm, the means used in our daily activities are equally important to the objectives and results. This is greatly valued by our clients, either, national or transnational, governmental or private.

The attorneys of the firm have been trained in the best universities of Peru, Europe and the USA, and have earned significant domestic and cross-border experience in all the areas of practice required by a dynamic and globalized economy, including: corporate and M&A; labor, safety and health; taxation; project development and finance; concessions and public works; regulation and antitrust; energy and natural resources; environment and climate change; real estate, litigation, dispute resolution and arbitration; insolvency and restructuring; data privacy, antitrust, mining, agribusiness, fishery, aviation, among others.

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- Banking and Insurance
- Competition
- Consumer Law
- Corporate & Commercial
- Energy
- Environment
- Financial Markets
- · Foreign Investment
- Intellectual Property & Copyright
- IT & Data Protection
- · Labor and Benefits
- Litigation & Arbitration
- Mergers and Acquisitions
- Oil and Gas
- PPP and Project Finance
- · Public Law and Regulatory
- Real Estate
- Sports and Entertainment Law
- Tax
- White Collar Crime

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- Banking and Finance
- Beverages and Breweries
- Construction
- Energy

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- Mining
- Oil and Gas
- Pharmaceutical
- Railways and Transportation
- · Real Estate
- TMT

- Tourism
- · Water And Waste



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- Carve-out transactions
- · Successions for family-owned companies
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- Regulatory approvals
- Restructurings
- · Post-transaction litigation

# **BUSINESS**

- Arbitration
- Banking, Insurance & Finance
- Capital Markets & Listed Companies
- Competition & Antitrust
- Consumer Goods & Retail
- Corporate & Commercial
- Crisis Management & Internal Investigations
- Data Protection & Digital Economy
- Employment & Migration
- Energy & Natural Resources
- Healthcare & Life Sciences
- · Intellectual Property
- Litigation
- Logistics & Transport
- Mergers & Acquisitions
- Notarial Services
- Pension & Social Security
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- Turnaround, Reorganization & Insolvency
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The firm's organization comprises specialized and complementary practice groups working in two locations and focused on the following spheres of expertise: Banking & Finance, Tax, Family Estate Law, Corporate & Commercial, Litigation & Arbitration and Labour & Social Insurance.



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- Tax
- Family Estate Law
- Corporate & Commercial
- Litigation & Arbitration
- Labour & Social Insurance



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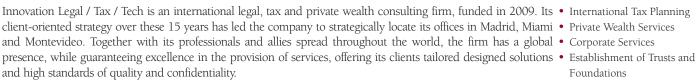






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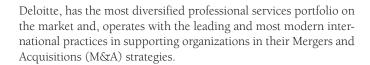




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# SERVICES

#### • Financial audit and assurance

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- Accounting & Labor Outsourcing
- · Advisory Management Consulting
- Inventories
- · Asset valuation
- Valuation of companies
- Tax & Legal Advisory
- Tax compliance
- Transfer pricing
- IT Advisory

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Our commitment to excellence has earned us the reputation of being a strategic partner for our clients, addressing their every need with precision and expertise.

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- Financial Audit
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- Property Valuation

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- Adoption process of IFRS
- · Conversion of Financial Statements
- Implementation of IFRS 9, 15, 16 and IFRIC 23

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- Tax & Legal
- · Transfer Pricing

- International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS)

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- Internal Audit
- Operational Audit
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- Commitments to perform agreed procedures
- Process Efficiency
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- Review of Financial Statements
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- Tax Audit and Defense
- · Legal Consulting and Advice
- · Portfolio Recovery

• Dispute Settlemen

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- Master File
- Country by Country Report
- Strategic Planning
- Intragroup Services Profit Test
- Valuation of Companies, Shares, and Intangibles

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- Valorization Companies and Intangibles
- · International Tax Consulting
- Benchmark
- ESG and sustainability advisory and auditing

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- · Transfer Pricing Planning.
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- Technical Report for Commodities Analysis and submission of the corresponding Statement.

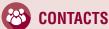
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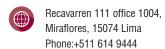


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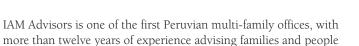












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