

## **AREAS OF EXPERTISE**

### **DISTINCTIVE COMPETENCES**

- **business law / company law**

We advise on incorporation of enterprises, restructuring, merger & acquisition (due diligence) and successor establishment and carry out all transactions, from contract drafting to coordinating and filing in the business register. In addition, we structure your investment and bring together private equity / mezzanine capital and innovative projects (shareholding, project financing, development of real estate, etc). We hold and manage domestic and foreign shares and assets on behalf of our clients and provide the trustor with all necessary support to ongoing servicing the trustor effectively with a specialized trust company. Moreover, we schedule and prepare general assemblies and shareholders meetings, draft all relevant (international) business contracts, enforce claims in court and arbitration proceedings (and put them down respectively) and optimize the claim management of companies. Last but not least we review the observation of legal provisions (legal compliance).

- **real estate transactions**

Checking of the land registry, drafting of purchase contracts, deeds of donation, lease-, condominium- and building contracts, calculating and discharging of all kinds of tax, fiduciary handling, acceptance of fiduciaries from credit institutions, protection of the contracting parties, secured by land registry charge.

- **protection of investors**

Over the last years we have engaged ourselves in issues regarding banking and equity market law intensively as well as compensation of investors and represent more than 1.200 “cheated investors” in numerous court litigations (primarily because they have invested in different financials based on misscounseling as well as because of failure to financial supervise properly, incorrect certificates given by auditing firms, inaccurate ratings, etc).

**M&A Award | Austrian IP Law Firm of the Year | Corporate INTL Global Awards Winner**

- **general civil law**

divorces, succession, last will, patient's provisions, product liability and damage compensation (for instants at industrial facilities, breach of contract, anticompetitive practice, etc), compensation for pain and suffering as well as immaterial damage, labour law, tenancy law, IT- and IP-law, e-commerce, license, copyright, patent law, protection of datas, etc.

**USP**

- We are entrepreneurs ourselves (and manage several independent enterprises) and therefore understand the concerns of entrepreneurs. We know what is relevant in daily business, we think entrepreneurial and advice and support preventative.
- **one-stop-shop:** With the presence of our academic and business consultants plus the interdisciplinary cooperation with economical advisers, management consultants, chartered accountants, notaries and financing-experts we are able to offer comprehensive solutions for extensive projects (one-stop-shop) – however, the sole contract responsibility remains with “LIKAR Law Offices”.
- **business contracts in english** – in a globalized world as a matter of course we draft and negotiate all contracts in English.



## ATTORNEYS AT LAW EQUITY PARTNERS



**RA Mag. Arno F. Likar, LL.M. (LSE)**  
Managing Partner

Attorney at Law  
Business Consultant  
Registered Fiduciary  
Registered Mediator / Arbitrator

- company-/business law
- mergers & acquisitions; due diligence
- corporate law, new business development
- (international) contract law
- bank and insurance law, protection of investors
- real estate law
- insurance law
- litigation and arbitration / mediation
- conflict management (between shareholders)
- project development und financing (private equity)
- interdisciplinary consulting (Company-Companions)
- acceptance of interimistic management functions



**RA MMag. Peter Griehser**  
Managing Partner

Attorney at Law  
Business Consultant  
Registered Fiduciary  
Lector at FH Kärnten and FH Campus 02

- company/commercial law
- European (especially Southeast-European) private and business law
- (European) competition law
- torts (especially intangible torts)
- insolvency
- recapitalization / debt rescheduling
- labour law
- IT-, license-, e-commerce law
- IP-law
- law of municipalities
- acceptance of interimistic management functions
- litigation and arbitration



**RA Mag. Markus Tutsch, MBA**  
Managing Partner

Attorney at Law  
Business Consultant  
Registered Fiduciary  
Insolvency Administrator

- insolvency administration
- recapitalisation, debt rescheduling
- company / business law
- corporate law
- intellectual property and competition law
- real estate law/ project management
- building law
- tenancy law, right of abode
- torts / compensation
- litigation



**RA Mag. Walter Korschelt**  
Managing Partner

Attorney at Law  
Registered Fiduciary

- general business and corporate law
- torts, protection of investors
- claims' management (recovery of claims)
- labour law
- law of succession and family law
- contract law
- white-collar crime
- copyright- and patent law, e-commerce
- protection of datas
- litigation and arbitration

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**Who we advise – our clients:**

- small and medium sized (family) companies
- international active undertakings
- incorporated foundations
- financial service providers at a supreme level
- credit institutions
- private equity provider
- agriculturists
- medical practitioner, architects and other professional persons
- sportsmen and artists
- landlords and tenants
- incorporated societies, non-profit-organizations
- wealthy individuals

**Co-operations**

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- AEA, International Lawyers Network
- Arztradar GmbH
- BAMC – Business Architecture Management Consulting GmbH
- Bogen & Partner Wealth Managers GmbH
- BYTEPOETS GmbH
- Company-Companions OG
- HAI Treuhand und Beteiligungs GmbH
- MLG Sports Consulting GmbH
- Österreichisch-Russische Freundschaftsgesellschaft (ORFG)