# **WACH UND MECKES**



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## Qualifications

- Admission to bar in Germany (Rechtsanwalt), 2025.
- Law studies, University of Bonn, Germany, including a study abroad at Université Paris-Saclay, France.

## Professional

- Associate at WACH UND MECKES since January 2025.
- Legal clerk (*Rechtsreferendar*) at Hogan Lovells International LLP, International Arbitration practice, Munich, July 2024 to September 2024.
- Legal clerk (Rechtsreferendar) at ADVANT Beiten, Litigation and M&A practice, Freiburg, June 2023 to October 2023 and February 2024 to June 2024.
- Research Assistant at the Albert-Ludwigs-Universität Freiburg, Institute for Criminal Law and Criminal Procedure Law, Department 1, Prof. Dr. h.c. mult. Michael Pawlik, LL.M. (Cantab.), October 2022 to November 2023.
- Research Assistant at Hausfeld Rechtsanwälte LLP, Litigation practice, Düsseldorf, July 2021 to September 2022.

## Memberships

• German Initiative of Young Arbitrators (*Deutsche Initiative junger Schiedsrechtler, DIS40*).

## Expertise

 Advising and representing German and international clients in complex commercial disputes, in particular in relation to German and international M&A transactions as well as in commercial and capital market disputes.

#### Languages

- German
- English
- French
- Spanish

## **Recent Matters**

- Representing a globally operating private equity investor based in the USA in a dispute with the purchaser of a security technology company in connection with an M&A transaction in the high three-digit million range (DIS-Arbitration, seat Munich).
- Advising and representing an international technology company in a multimillion cross-border dispute with a DAX company over software and license agreements.

- Advising an international venture capital investor in a dispute with a private individual regarding a dispute over claims for the granting of a shareholding in a company.
- Advising an international private equity company in connection with the pursuit of potential claims regarding professional negligence in the double-digit million range.
- Representing a European-wide operating Swedish fintech company and a Swedish bank in a dispute with an Irish financial services provider and a German debt collection agency regarding repayment and damages claims.