



Susanne Ascher

Associate

Qualifications	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Admission to the bar in Germany (<i>Rechtsanwältin</i>) 2020.• Trainee (<i>Rechtsreferendarin</i>) at the Higher Regional Court (Oberlandesgericht) in Munich.• Studied law at the University of Passau and the Université Toulouse 1 Capitole, Toulouse, France.
Professional Experience	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Associate at WACH + MECKES LLP since May 2020.• Trainee (<i>Rechtsreferendarin</i>) in a leading international law firm in Munich, Litigation and Arbitration Department, October 2018 to June 2019.• Research assistant at the Federal Ministry of Justice and for Consumer Protection in Berlin, Department for Commercial Criminal Law, April 2017 to September 2017.• Research assistant at the University of Passau at the Chair of Civil Law, German and European Legal History, April 2014 to March 2017.
Expertise	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Advising in complex commercial legal disputes before state courts and in national and international arbitration proceedings.
Languages	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• German• English• French
Recent Matters	<p>Post-transactional disputes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Representing a Norwegian company for HR and payroll services in claims for compensation against a private equity company in relation to a terminated M&A transaction.• Advising and representing a pharmaceutical group in DIS arbitration proceedings concerning an earn-out provision in a share purchase agreement. <p>Banking, finance and capital market disputes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Advising and representing a US financial services provider in the defense against various investor lawsuits.• Advising and representing an investor with regard to claims against a major international bank in relation to unauthorized transactions.

- Advising and representing a Swiss entrepreneur in a commercial dispute concerning an international inheritance dispute and regarding litigation funding.
- Advising and representing a foreign airline in relation to alleged damage claims by shareholders of a public listed minority participation.

Commercial and corporate disputes:

- Advising and representing a globally-operating company against claims for damages by the administrator of a German airline.
- Representing an English private equity investor in a shareholder dispute concerning a company in the crypto-currency sector.
- Assisting a leading UK litigation-only law firm in representing a foreign injured party against a torpedo claim in Germany.
- Advising and representing seed investors in a corporate dispute with a founding shareholder.
- Advising and representing an investment holding company in a shareholder dispute concerning a real estate holding company.