

The people

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- Joachim Asendorf, v. Einem & Partner, Bremen, Germany
- Johannes Beyer, Einem & Partner, Frankfurt, Germany
- Thierry Clerc, IFL Avocats, Rouen, France
- Valerie Crevecoeur, IFL Avocats, Rouen, France
- Klara Dvorakova, Holubová advokáti, Prague, Czech Republic
- Barbara Egger-Russe, Greiter Pegger Kofler & Partner, Innsbruck, Austria
- Jan Goemans, Noppen De Vries Goemans Advocaten, Arnhem
- Olivier Vibert, IFL Avocats, Paris, France

The idea

The lawyers of our group have legal skills, experience and understanding of the content in a sport event and other events. We also have the right spirit and attitude needed for being a right collaborator for the organizing committees.

We believe that we can support organizers and add expertise in the different kind of legal issues related to all types of big events. Sport events like Olympic Games, World and Continental Championships, World Cups and similar.

There are definitely a lot of legal issues that have to be taken care of. Briefly we mention some of such issues:

- Immaterial Property (IP) rights
- Land management
- Financial protection and insurance
- Contract work (venues, FNB, transportation, accommodation, sponsors etc.)
- Procurement law and procedures
- General organizational issues

It is our primary goal to offer services as a group supplementary to Organizing Committee's (OC) local legal advisors, but we can also assist you as legal advisors directly linked to the Organizing Committee.

Salaries

We believe that we can find a reasonable agreement for our salaries, and we want to discuss this issue with each organizer.

How to proceed

We believe that the best way is that representatives of our group can meet the organizing committee and/or the local lawyers, where we can present ourselves more thoroughly. As sport minded people, we are willing to invest in the future, and we want to discuss with you how we can find the best and most effective use of services from the group and the appurtenant conditions.

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ERIK ALVER, ADVOKATFIRMAET ALVER AS, LILLEHAMMER, NORWAY



EDUCATION

1981 Master of Laws, Oslo

WORK EXPERIENCE

- 1981 1983: Legal consultant at Oslo Tax Office
- 1984 1985: Head of tax department, tax office Oppland county, Lillehammer
- 1985 1986: Judge at Sør-Gudbrandsdal District Court, Lillehammer
- 1986 1987: associate lawyer at Tormod Lunde, Lillehammer
- 1987 1996: Lawyer with shared office in «Lunde, Alver, Hallenstvedt og Haugen», Lillehammer
- From 1996: Partner in Advokatfirmaet Alver AS. Today 11 lawyers (hereunder 6 partners) and 4 secretaries.
- Main diciplines: business law, company law, tax law, mergers and aquisitions, contract work, board work.

- 1992-1995: Lawyer for Jet Set Sports related to Olympic Winter Games 1994 at Lillehammer
- 2013 2016: Lawyer for Lillehammer Youth Olympic Games Organizing Committee
- 2016 Teaching law at Sport Management Lillehammer University Collage.
- Board member in Jet Set Sports Norway AS (hospitality, accommodation, tickets, transport at Olympic Games).



- 1984 1994, og 1997 2000: Chairman of the board Lillehammer tennis club
- 1992: Tournament Director for Olympic qualifying tournament for Europa men's tennis
- 1995: Tournament Director for ATP Challenger tennis tournament Lillehammer OPEN
- 1992 2000: Member of the board, the last 4 years vice president in Norwegian Tennis
 Federation
- 2002 2004: Leader of the organizing committee for celebrating «10 years after Winter Olympic Games in Lillehammer 1994»
- 2005 2008: Head of the organizing committee for EURO 2008 Men's handball, finals and semifinals at Håkons Hall, Lillehammer.
- 2009 2010: Head of protocol for Euro 2010 Woman's handbal, preliminary rounds at Håkons Hall, Lillehammer
- 2000 2009: Tournament director for «Baldus Cup» handball torunament for players
 9-18 years old, Olympic Park, Lillehammer
- 2009 2016: Lillehammer Faaberg Håndball (LFH 09) chairman of the board (local handball club)
- From 2009: Chairman oif the board for «Fakkelprisen», Lillehammer
- From 2011: Member of the law committee in Norwegian Handball Federation
- 2012-2014: Member of the board for celebrating «20 years after Winter Olympic Games in Lillehammer 1994»
- From 2016: Head of control committee in Norwegain Tennis Federation

LANGUAGES

English

PERSONAL LEISURE ACTIVITIES

Cross country skiing, mountain biking, playing piano



DR. JOACHIM ASENDORF, V. EINEM & PARTNER MBB RECHTSANWÄLTE BREMEN, GERMANY



EDUCATION

- 1992 First state examination in Law (Erstes Staatsexamen)
- 1994 Degree in Business Administation BA/MA (Dipl.-Kfm.), University of Göttingen
- 1997 Second state examination in Law (Zweites Staatsexament)
- 1998 Doctorate in Law (Dr. jur.), University of Göttingen
- 1999 Specialist course and examened in Tax Law
- 2004 Specialist course and examened in Insolvency Law
- 2008 Specialist course and examened in Commercial and Corporate Law
- 2010 Civil-Law Notary examinations

WORK EXPERIENCE

- 1994-1995: Research assistant at the Institute of International and Foreign Commercial Law, University of Göttingen
- since 1998: Attorney at Law, v. Einem & Partner, Bremen
- 2006-2012: Lectureship in Commercial and Corporate Law, University of Applied Sciences, Bremen
- since 2009: Partner, v. Einem & Partner, Bremen
- since 2013: Civil-Law Notary, Bremen
- Main areas: Mergers & Aquisitions, Corporate Law, Commercial & Trade Law, Sports Law



WORK EXPERIENCE AND ACTIVITIES RELATED TO SPORT & EVENTS

- since 1998: Lawyer representing Sport-Verein «Werder» v. 1899 e.V.
- 2005: defending Werder Bremen (and one of its players) in the sports court of the German Football League in Frankfurt am Main
- 2013: successful exclusion of a member of Werder Bremen because of membership in NPD – Party of the extreme right; (the case set a precedent)
- 2015: successful arbitration proceedings against decision of the tournament director regarding the promotion of Werder Bremen 2nd Chess Team to the Second German Chess League
- 2017: Planning, organization and performance of the acquisition of a first league football club in Poland

PRO BONO WORK / MEMBERSHIPS/ ENGAGEMENTS

- 2004: Joseph-Lutter-Memorial Prize of Werder Bremen for excellent performance
- 2004–2006: team captain and manager of Werder Bremen 2nd Chess Team,
 Second German Chess League

LANGUAGES

German, English

PERSONAL LEISURE ACTIVITIES

Football and Chess

2004 German individual cup champion in classical chess

(www.schach-bremen.de/rochade/2004/05/pokal.html) (http://theweekinchess.com/html/twic489.html#16)



JOHANNES BEYER,
V. EINEM & PARTNER MBB
RECHTSANWÄLTE,
FRANKFURT AM MAIN,
GERMANY



EDUCATION

- 1989 Master of Laws, admitted to the Bar Association Frankfurt am Main
- 2002 Bar-certified Specialist in Employment Law

WORK EXPERIENCE

- 1989 2008: Practicing lawyer at Peter, Coutandin & Beyer law office
- 2008 onwards: Practicing lawyer at v. Einem & Partner Frankfurt am Main
- Main diciplines: business law, company law, tax law, mergers and aquisitions, contract work.

- Two-years postgraduate scholarship in Tokyo, Japan
- Commercial and trade law
- Employment law, individual and collective
- Legal advice for medium-sized businesses
- Cross-border legal relationships, with a specific focus on Japan

- Member of the German-Japanese Lawyers Association
- Member of DJW (Japan-German Business Association)
- President of the German-Japanese Association Frankfurt am Main
- Member of Eurojuris International

LANGUAGES

German, English

THIERRY CLERC, IFL-AVOCATS, PARIS, FRANCE



EDUCATION

Université Paris 1 Panthéon-Sorbonnee

WORK EXPERIENCE

- A partner in the IFL AVOCATS law firm based in Paris and Rouen (Normandy). With 20 people, the firm has various departments, among which: International Law, Intellectual Property, Corporate Law, Labor Law.
- Thierry CLERC holds specialty certificates in Commercial Law (1994) and international Law (1996).
- Thierry CLERC has been acting as a legal adviser and as a litigator before the State courts and Arbitration Courts.

- Legal assistance as part of the organization of tennis tournaments, marathons, 1 stage of the Tour de France
- Legal assistance as part of golf club development (Articles of Association, contracts)
- Legal assistance as part of the organization of tall ship meetings in Rouen(Normandy) (Armada) and Brest (Brittany)since 1987, as well as in Dunkirk, Toulon (Cote d'Azur) and Barcelona (Spain) in 2013, i.e. a total of 14 events over more than 25 years, gathering several million people at each event.

Main topics addressed:

Articles of Association - Land control - Sports regulations
Entry fees - Financial protection
Name protection - Advertising and royalties
Partnership agreements - Rental agreements with stallholders
Exclusivities and competition - Chartering agreements
Transportation contracts - Employment contracts
Volunteering - Insurance contracts
Litigation.

PRO BONO WORK / MEMBERSHIPS/ ENGAGEMENTS

- 1985 Chairman of the "Sports & law" organization
- 1985 Organization of a congress on sports managers' liability
- Since 1992 A member of EUROJURIS INTERNATIONAL
- Since 1994 A member of the FFG (French Golfing Federation) legal committees: legal affairs, disciplinary committee, doping, elections.
- 1996 2000 Board member of EUROJURIS INTERNATIONAL
- 2000 2003 EUROJURIS INTERNATIONAL President
- 2003 Founder of the EUROJURIS INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS GROUP (IBG)
- Since 2015 Chairman of the EUROJURIS INTERNATIONAL Litigation and Contracts Group
- 2015 Took part in over 100 international events

LANGUAGES

French, English

PERSONAL LEISURE ACTIVITIES

Golfing



VALERIE CREVECOEUR, CLERC IFL-AVOCATS, PARIS, FRANCE



EDUCATION

- 1998 Bar exam certificate; postgraduate diploma in Litigation (University of Rouen, France)
- 1996 Postgraduate diploma in Business Law at the University of Caen incorporating a certificate of expertise in competition, distribution and consumer law
- 1995 LL.M. in Business Law at the University of Staffordshire (UK)
- 1994 Master of Laws in Business Law at the University of Le Havre (France)
- 1993 LL.B. Year 3 at the University of Glamorgan (UK)

WORK EXPERIENCE

- Last 19 years Law firm Clerc & Associés IFL Avocats (Rouen office)
- Main disciplines: business contracts, intellectual property law, domestic and international, contentious and non-contentious business matters

- Legal assistance as part of the organization of tall ship meetings in Rouen(Normandy) (Armada1999, 2003, 2008, 2013) and Brest 2000, 2004 (Brittany), gathering several million people at each event
- Handling contracts for image rights and sponsoring contracts for various sportsmen
- Handling IP rights related to football World Cup



- Member of the Regional Competitive Intelligence Group since 2008
- Probono client interviews in intelllectual property within regular sessions coorganised by the Rouen Bar and Chamber of Commerce
- Approved expert to carry out « pre-diagnostic analysis » of SMEs intellectual and industrial property needs financed by the French Industrial Property Office (INPI)
- Marking international law examination papers (Rouen Bar admission course)
- Former President of Jurismus (young lawyers within the Eurojuris International network)

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French, English

PERSONAL LEISURE ACTIVITIES

Fitness, cycling

KLARA DVORAKOVA, ADVOKAT HOLUBOVA ADVOKATI S.R.O. PRAGUE, CZECH REPUBLIC



EDUCATION

- 2004 Master of Political Science, Kansas State University, Kansas, USA
- 2007 Master of Laws, Charles University in Prague
- 2011 Doctor of Laws, Charles University in Prague

WORK EXPERIENCE

- 2007 2010: Lawyer in the Office of Czech Agent before the Court of Justice of the European Union, Czech Ministry of Forreign AffairsFrom 2012: Representation of numerous clients of bankrupted travel operators in disputes on payment of insurance claims
- 2011 2013: Junior attorney in Holubova advokati s.r.o.
- From 2013: Attorney and partner in law office Holubova advokati s.r.o. Today 6 lawyers and 2 secretaries.
- Main disciplines: professional liability, personal injury, travel law, contract work.

- From 2011: Continuously building her practice in legal advisory to providers of holiday packages, accommodation, transport, guiding, mountain guiding and providers of adventure parks or ski slopes. The advisory includes establishment of the business, drafting and auditing of the contracts and advertising materials, representation in administrative proceedings and in civil proceedings. Handling contracts for image rights and sponsoring contracts for various sportsmen
- From 2012: Representation of numerous clients of bankrupted travel operators in disputes on payment of insurance claims
- From 2012: Advising Association of Travel Operators of the Czech Republic



- From 2015: Lecturer of Travel law at the Law faculty in Prague
- Co-author of the first Czech legal book on travel law: Travel law (Dvorakova, born Havlickova, K., Kralova, R. Cestovni pravo. Praha: C.H.Beck, 2015)

- From 2008: Co-founder and legal adviser to Czech Mountain Leader Association (CZIML)
- 2009 2015: Representative of CZIML in Union of International Mountain Leaders (UIMLA)
- From 2011: Member of the Pan-European Organisation of Personal Injury Lawyers (PEOPIL) and its Tourism and Sports EEG
- From 2011: Member and from 2016 Chief of the Legal Expert Group for the International Climbing and Mountaineering Federation (UIAA)

LANGUAGES

Czech, English

PERSONAL LEISURE ACTIVITIES

Hiking, cross country skiing and climbing

BARBARA EGGER-RUSSE GREITER PEGGER KOFLER & PARTNER INNSBRUCK, AUSTRIA



EDUCATION

- 2004 Master of Jurisprudence 2004 (Mag. iur, University of Innsbruck)
- 2003 Master of Commerce in International Economic and Business Studies (Mag.rer.soc.oec, University of Innsbruck)
- 2002 Master of Commerce in Business Administration (Mag.rer.soc.oec, University of Innsbruck)
- 2002 Université de Lausanne / Law Faculty
- 2000 /2001 Université de Lausanne / HEC

WORK EXPERIENCE

- Since 2010 Lecturer at the Management Center Innsbruck
- Since 2011 Lecturer at the University of Innsbruck, Law Faculty
- Since 10/2009: Lawyer at Kanzlei Greiter Pegger Kofler & Partner
- 2005-2010: Associate at Kanzlei Greiter Pegger Kofler & Partner
- 2004/05: Legal clerkship at the Innsbruck District Court and Innsbruck Regional Court
- Main diciplines: business law, company law, mergers and aquisitions, intellectual property law, contract work.

WORK EXPERIENCE AND ACTIVITIES RELATED TO SPORT & EVENTS

Lawyer for several skiing areas in Austria



PRO BONO WORK / MEMBERSHIPS

- Since 2016 Eurojuris International, Knowledge Group "Corporate and Tax Law"
- Since 2016 Vice President Eurojuris International Austria
- Since 2016 Member of Teaching Board, Management Center Innsbruck Internationale Hochschule GmbH

LANGUAGES

German, English, French

PERSONAL LEISURE ACTIVITIES

Skiing, hiking

JAN GOEMANS
NVG ADVOCATEN
(PREVIOUS NOPPEN DE VRIES
GOEMANS) ARNHEM,
THE NETHERLANDS



EDUCATION

- 1987 1993 Master of Laws, University of Utrecht (Business law and economics)
- From 1993: several management and business development courses, several courses and studies (mostly) business law, (international) trade law and contract drafting, IT, litigation

WORK EXPERIENCE

- From 2011: Managing Partner/owner NVG Advocaten (previous Noppen de Vries Goemans Advocaten), Arnhem. (Today 7 lawyers and 5 para legals/secretaries)
- 2008 2011: Lawyer/owner Goemans Advocatuur, Arnhem
- 2004 2008: Partner in accountancy and tax advisors firm, head of legal department
- 1999 2004: management and business development legal consultancy firm for Small and Medium Enterprises (SME)
- 1993 1999: several commercial and management positions
- Main disciplines: business law, company law, M&A, (international) cooperation/contracting (distribution/franchise), restructuring, strategy

WORK EXPERIENCE AND ACTIVITIES RELATED TO SPORT & EVENTS

- From 2011: several sponsoring contracts international (Olympic) athletes / sports organisations
- 1990 1993: entrepreneur, organisation several events (concerts (inter-)national artists, catering and hospitality).

PRO BONO WORK / MEMBERSHIPS/ ENGAGEMENTS

- From 2012: Member of advisory board several local sport organisations (gymnastics)
- 2004 2013: Founder / Board Member (Secretary and President) Committee for start ups
- 2005 2008: speaker on congresses (organized by the Chamber of Commerce) for board members of local and regional (mainly sports) organisations and organizing committees regarding (sports) events (topics: law/structure/liabilities)

LANGUAGES

Dutch, English, German (speech)

PERSONAL LEISURE ACTIVITIES

Hockey, skiing, running (cross country), boxing, sailing, golf, cooking, reading

OLIVIER VIBERT, IFL-AVOCATS, PARIS, FRANCE



EDUCATION

- 2003 Bar exam certificate Paris Bar association
- 2002 Master II Postgraduate law degree, Paris
- 2000 Master 1 in Business Law

WORK EXPERIENCE

- 2004 2012 Associate at IFL-Avocats, Paris, France
- From 2012 Partner at IFL-Avocats, Paris, France
- Main diciplines: business law, sports law, contract work, company law, litigation

- 2008 Assistance of national betting origanisation against online betting activities
- 2010 Contracts for French football league (Host broadcasting)
- 2012 Contracts for EURO 2012 event (TV rights)
- 2012 Contracts for African Athletics Championship event (Service poviders)
- 2015 Contracts for EURO 2016, (TV rights)
- Other experiences: Service provider contracts for sports events, sponsorship agreement, partnership agreements, articles of association for non-profit organizations, foundations or corporations, drafting of sports regulations for a sport federation, litigation for sports individuals and other side contracts for Events (transportation contracts, lease, financing, etc.



- Since 2004 Member of AIJA (International Association of Young Lawyers) sports group and International business group
- 2009 2013 President of the Sports law commission of Eurojuris France
- Since 2013 President of Jurismus International participation to the Board of Eurojuris International
- Since 2014 Lecturer at EFE training sessions on guarantees and securities
- 2016 Member of a working group on social, legal and economical aspects of sports in cooperation with the French national Olympics committee (CNOSF).

LANGUAGES

French, English

PERSONAL LEISURE ACTIVITIES

Sailing (racing and cruising)