



Vladimir Ivanov

Senior Associate

Vladimir Ivanov specialises in M&A, corporate law, commercial law, real estate projects and comprehensive legal services for private clients.

In M&A he focuses on advice relating to sale and purchase of companies, formation of joint ventures and restructuring. Over the last four years he has been involved in a number of major M&A transactions and restructuring projects implemented in the Czech Republic, acting for both sellers and buyers. Vladimir primarily participates in construction, IT, e-commerce, machine-building, processing industry, transport and private equity projects.

Since he joined our law firm he has been a member of the Russian desk which provides full legal services to Czech and international firms operating in Russian-speaking countries and to clients from these countries based in the Czech Republic.

Before he joined our law firm in January 2014, he worked at a leading Czech law firm specialising in banking and finance, M&A and provided comprehensive legal services to Russian-speaking clients. In 2014 he also acted as a chief compliance officer of a major securities trader. In the period between 2012 and 2015 he acted as a consultant for a number of Czech MPs of the European Parliament focusing on issues of industry and the energy sector and relationships with Russian-speaking countries.

Transactions

- advising a leading foreign investor with global reach on the implementation of numerous acquisition projects in the Czech Republic and Slovakia
- advising a leading global cinema theatre operator in connection with acquisitions and restructuring in the Czech Republic and Slovakia
- long-term comprehensive advice to a global manufacturer of sports clothing and equipment operating in the Ukraine and Belarus
- advising a major Czech institutional private equity investor in connection with legal due diligence and acquisition of companies and real estate in the Czech Republic, Slovakia and Poland
- advising shareholders of a leading Czech clinic on the sale of their shares to a leading global investor
- long-term comprehensive advice to a leading global supplier of plastic piping systems in connection with its operations within the CEE region
- advising a Russian investor on the acquisition of major heavy industry assets in the Czech Republic
- advising an Ukrainian investor on the sale of major heavy industry assets in the Czech Republic
- advising a Chinese investor on the construction and subsequent sale of photovoltaic power plants in the Czech Republic

Membership in professional associations

Czech Bar Association

Languages

Czech (native speaker), Russian (native speaker), Romanian (native speaker), English (C2), German, Italian

Education

University of Economics, Prague, Faculty of International Relations (2013), Ing. *summa cum laude*

Charles University, Faculty of Law, Prague (2013), titul Mgr.

KU Leuven, Faculty of Law, Leuven, Belgium (2011 – 2012, Erasmus/Socrates programme)

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