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Biography

Christoph Küppers focuses on all tax and accounting aspects of acquisition and group restructurings, including in a cross-border context, and on all tax and accounting aspects associated with insurance and reinsurance products. He also advises on the full range of regulatory matters affecting the insurance industry. Christoph advises clients from the financial industry sector (insurance and reinsurance companies, pension funds, banks, private equity houses), concentrating on insurance and reinsurance companies conducting business in Europe. Christoph is qualified as an MBA (Dipl. Kfm.), Lawyer (Rechtsanwalt), Certified Tax Advisor (Steuerberater), and Chartered Accountant (Wirtschaftsprüfer).

Christoph joined the firm in 2001; from January 2009 to June 2014, he was Regional Managing Partner Continental Europe and accordingly a member of the Firm's International Management Committee. Since July 2014 he has been the Global Head of the Firm's Insurance Sector Group. Prior to joining the firm, Christoph worked for two international tax accounting firms for nine years; from 1994 to 2001 he was with KPMG (the last three years of which as partner).

Awards and rankings

- Insurance: Advice to Insurers, *Legal 500 EMEA*,



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Languages

English
Dutch
German

Practices

Tax

Industries

Financial Institutions
Insurance

Areas of focus

Accounting and Auditing

2018-2019

Latest thinking and events

- Insights
 - Mixed responses from European regulators as EIOPA urges insurers to hold back on dividend payments
- News
 - Key points of the draft bill of the German Economic Stabilisation Fund Act (WStFG)
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- Press Releases
 - Hogan Lovells advises Allianz on the acquisition of a majority stake in ControlExpert
- Hogan Lovells Publications
 - Insurance Horizons 2019
- Awards and Rankings
 - Best Lawyers™ 2019: Hogan Lovells is ranked with 80 lawyers

Business Restructuring and Tax
Capital Markets and Tax
Defined Contribution Schemes
Insurance and Reinsurance
Arrangements and Finance
International Tax Planning
Investment Funds and Tax
Longevity Protection
M&A and Tax
Tax Audits
Tax Disputes and Controversy

Education and admissions

Education

Chartered Accountant, Ministry of Finance NRW, Dusseldorf, 2001
Tax Advisor, Ministry of Economics NRW, Dusseldorf, 1996
Dr. iur., University of Cologne, 1993
Second State Exam in Law, Higher Regional Court of Cologne, 1992
Dipl.-Kfm., University of Cologne, 1990
First State Exam in Law, University of Cologne, 1987
