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Biography

Susanne Reil advises on all aspects related to complex national and international energy and infrastructure projects. One particular focus is on enforcing or defending claims in the area of offshore-wind.

Susanne supports her clients in solving all challenges associated with energy and infrastructure projects. Her legal advice covers the entire life cycle of such large-scale projects: starting with the drafting and negotiation of construction, supply and service agreements (for example, on the basis of international standard contracts such as FIDIC), through support in claim management and out-of-court dispute resolution at various stages of the project, to warranty claims after completion of the project before state courts and in national and international arbitration proceedings.

Susanne studied law at the University of Regensburg and the University of Aberdeen. She holds a PhD from the University of Hamburg and gained in-depth knowledge of international law at the University of Melbourne, where she graduated with an LL.M. During her legal traineeship, she gained international experience working in Phnom Penh and at an internationally renowned commercial law firm in Melbourne.

Representative experience

Advising an international corporation as EPC



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Languages

German
English

Practices

Complex Contracting
Litigation Services

Industries

Energy and Natural Resources

Areas of focus

IERP Dispute Resolution

Engineering, Procurement,
Construction, and Supply Chain

Contractor on a dispute regarding damages and contractual penalties in connection with an offshore grid connection project before a German court.

Advising an offshore project company on the enforcement of claims in connection with design defects of offshore foundations against various parties.

Advising an offshore project company on the development of a major offshore wind farm in Asia.

Advising a Contractor on the defense of claims for damages in connection with a failed offshore installation.

Advising a project company in settlement negotiations in connection with asserted additional costs due to construction delays.

Latest thinking and events

■ News

- Reform of the Energy Security Act: New Options for Action to Secure Energy Supply in the Event of Crisis

■ Brochures

- Offshore Wind Worldwide - Regulatory framework in selected countries

■ News

- Norwegian court revokes wind power licences to protect the cultural practice of minorities

Education and admissions

Education

LL.M., University of Melbourne, 2020

Second State Exam in Law, Higher Regional Court of Hamburg, 2019

Dr. iur., University of Hamburg, 2017

First State Exam in Law, University of Regensburg, 2013
