

## Christelle Coslin

Partner

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### Biography

An "up-and-coming partner" in Hogan Lovells' Litigation practice (Legal 500 EMEA 2020), Christelle Coslin advises global companies on a wide range of commercial, cross-border and mass tort litigation. For over 14 years, she has been helping businesses from various industry sectors with their commercial and product liability disputes (be it about an aircraft, a washing machine, a medical device or content hosted on a website). Christelle focuses her practice on building litigation strategies and providing concrete solutions to global groups when they are involved in complex matters or disputes involving multiple stakeholders.

She has extensive experience in assisting clients address complex and multi-layered regulatory and compliance issues and environments, both in the context of actual litigation or dispute mitigation. Based on the mass tort litigation she has worked on previously, she is perfectly matched to help her clients navigate the changing legal landscape in France, in particular in the context of the rise of class actions and the increased civil and criminal liability risks for companies.

Christelle has long-standing experience in assisting major companies with any international law issues they may face, whether they relate to the



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### Languages

English  
French

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### Practices

Business and Human Rights  
Commercial Litigation  
Corporate and Shareholder  
Litigation  
Energy Disputes  
Investigations, White Collar, and  
Fraud  
Litigation Services  
Privacy and Cybersecurity  
Products Law

determination of the court having jurisdiction, the choice of applicable law, the enforcement of foreign judgments in France and the coordination of French proceedings with litigation pending in other countries, in particular in the U.S. This includes helping with FNC motions or evidence gathering through the mechanisms of the Evidence Hague Convention and the application of the French Blocking statute, as well as the implementation of U.S. e-discovery requests in France.

She is moreover particularly knowledgeable and resourceful when it comes to helping companies implement the French duty of vigilance and international standards regarding the prevention of adverse human rights impacts resulting from business activities. As part of the Business and Human Rights team, she won the Award for International Legal Services at the LexisNexis Legal Awards 2018.

## Representative experience

Advising a leading European household appliances manufacturer in connection with product liability claims.

Assisting a German company in proceedings initiated on the grounds of an alleged loss suffered in relation to the production of defective glue.

Assisting a leading American aircraft manufacturer in connection with proceedings arising from an aircraft accident.

Advising several clients in relation to the termination of agency contracts.

Assisting a leading manufacturer of construction machinery in connection with alleged non-compliances of its machines with safety regulations.

Technology Litigation

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## Industries

Energy and Natural Resources

Life Sciences and Health Care

TMT

Automotive

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## Areas of focus

Alternative Dispute Resolution

Antitrust and Competition Litigation

Class Actions and Group Litigation

E-discovery and Information Management

Getting the Deal Through: Automotive 2019

Media and Entertainment Litigation

Medical Devices

Oil and Gas: Pipelines and Midstream Facilities

Oil and Gas: Refinery and Petrochemical Projects

Oil and Gas: Supply, Marketing, and Trading

Pharmaceuticals and Biotechnology

Product Litigation

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## Education and admissions

## Education

## Latest thinking and events

- Press Releases
  - Hogan Lovells rings in the New Year with 30 promotions to partner and 47 promotions to counsel
- Hogan Lovells Publications
  - Towards increased market surveillance for vehicles and engines in France with the creation of a new dedicated authority
- Webinar
  - Measuring risk and compliance programs: one size doesn't fit all
- Hogan Lovells Publications
  - Combating COVID-19: Government powers for safeguarding supply of critical products and potential conversion of production – Italy, Germany, Spain, and France – 15 May 2020 update
- Hogan Lovells Publications
  - Combating COVID-19: Government powers for safeguarding supply of critical products and potential conversion of production – Italy, Germany, Spain, and France
- Hogan Lovells Publications
  - COVID-19: A quick recap of key considerations for products companies

DEA, University of Paris I Panthéon-Sorbonne, 2005

Masters, Université Paris XI, Sceaux, 2004

Sciences Po, 2003

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