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Biography

Carola is a deputy civil law notary and has a broad practice that encompasses all aspects of commercial real estate. She has significant experience representing private equity, funds, finance institutions and large and mid-sized businesses on commercial property transactions, financing matters, restructurings, auctions, voluntary sell-downs and property loan portfolio sales.

Prior to joining Hogan Lovells, Carola spent nine years at two Dutch leading firms. During this time she spent a year in London as Netherlands counsel in international finance transactions with a particular focus on real estate.

Carola graduated from the Radboud Universiteit Nijmegen in 2008 in both notarial law and civil law. She completed the post-graduate course on real estate at the Grotius Academy and is a member of the Royal Dutch Association of Civil-law Notaries.

Representative experience

Advised on the acquisition and disposal of various real estate portfolios (retail, residential, offices, hotels, light industrial, health care, etc.) in the Netherlands.

Advised various lenders on the financing of Dutch real estate.

Advised various borrowers on real estate acquisition



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Languages

Dutch
English
German

Practices

Asset Finance
Banking Transactional
Corporate
Investment Funds
Joint Ventures
Private Equity
Real Estate
Real Estate Finance

and finance transactions

Advised various Dutch banks on foreclosure scenarios, real estate auctions and voluntary sell downs.

Advised on various real estate loan portfolio sales.

Awards and rankings

- Banking and Finance: Borrower side, *Legal 500 EMEA*, 2019
- Banking and Finance: Lender or arranger side, *Legal 500 EMEA*, 2019

Latest thinking and events

- ■ Hogan Lovells at MIPIM 2019
- Published Works
 - What's on the radar for Dutch real estate? *EG Global Investor Guide Autumn 2018*

REITs

Industries

Financial Institutions

Real Estate

Areas of focus

Corporate and Commercial Transactions

Loan Portfolio and Distressed Debt Transactions

Real Estate Development

Real Estate Funds

Real Estate Investment

Real Estate Private Equity

Education and admissions

Memberships

Royal Dutch Association of Civil-law Notaries (Koninklijke Notariële Beroepsorganisatie)

INREV

Association of Young Real Estate Lawyers
