

## Christopher Peacock

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### Biography

Having spent time practising in London and Brussels, Christopher Peacock has a broad range of experience advising clients on all aspects of EU and UK competition law, as well as EU and national/domestic merger control regimes. He advises across a wide variety of business sectors, including financial services, TMT, and oil and gas. Christopher is a senior associate in our Antitrust, Competition and Economic Regulation practice.

### Representative experience

Advising a bank in relation to investigations being conducted by the FCA, European Commission and other agencies around the world.

Advising News Corp in relation to the CMA's in-depth merger review of 21st Century Fox's proposed acquisition of the remaining shares in Sky Plc.

Advising Amcor on its US\$6.8bn acquisition of Bemis.

Conducting a business-wide competition law audit for a manufacturer of various technological products.

Advising a drinks manufacturer on its potential liability for a competition law investigation in a different EU Member State.

Advising clients on responding to third party requests for information from various regulators.



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### Languages

English

German

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### Practices

Antitrust and Competition

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### Industries

Automotive

Consumer

Financial Institutions

Technology and Telecoms

Sports, Media and Entertainment

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Providing regular advice and client training on competition law issues including vertical agreements, abuse of dominance and contact with competitors.

Coordinating multi-jurisdictional merger control assessments and filings.

## Latest thinking and events

- News
  - Green Means Go (subject to conditions): national security concerns with UK energy deal
- News
  - Blocked: UK Government uses new powers to block deal raising national security concerns
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- News
  - National Security and Investment Act: first Annual Report published
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- News
  - 'A sign of the fines' – CMA imposes record fine for breaches of IEO

## Areas of focus

Abuse of Dominance and Restrictive Practices

Agency Investigations

Antitrust and Competition Litigation

Cartel Investigations

Competition Compliance

Dawn Raids

Leniency Applications

Merger Control

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## Education and admissions

### Education

PGDip, EU Competition Law, King's College London, 2015

LPC, The University of Law, London, 2011

GDL, The University of Law, London, 2010

B.A., University of Warwick, 2006

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## Memberships

Law Society of England and Wales

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## Bar admissions and qualifications

Solicitor, England and Wales

Solicitor, Republic of Ireland

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