

## Dr. Lukas Rengier

Counsel  
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### Biography

Lukas Rengier advises on all matters of German and European competition law. He represents clients before the German Federal Cartel Office, the European Commission as well as before German and European courts.

Lukas has special expertise in competition litigation. He acted on numerous high-profile cases and secured important judgments for clients, i.a. by the German Federal Court of Justice.

He equally has a very active merger control practice, regularly representing clients in merger reviews before the German and European authorities as well as coordinating merger filings worldwide. His recent experience includes a transaction in the chemical sector that was cleared subject to conditions.

He also regularly defends companies in cartel and abuse of dominance proceedings and advises on issues at the interface of competition and patent laws.

### Representative experience

Competition litigation: represent manufacturers in numerous lawsuits concerning the cases "Trucks", "KWR" (drugstore articles), "Consumer Detergents" and "HEMA" (consumer goods)\*

Merger control: advise chemical company on largest acquisition with ten merger filings worldwide; obtain clearance of acquisition of competitor by industrial company in "Phase 1" with conditions\*



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### Languages

English  
German  
French  
Spanish

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### Practices

Antitrust and Competition

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### Education and admissions

#### Education

Second State Exam in Law, Appellate Court of Berlin/Brandenburg, 2014

Dr. iur., Doctorate in Law, University of Bonn, 2013

First State Exam in Law, University of Bonn, 2009

Cartel investigations: cases "metal packaging", "sausage", "road construction"\*

Pharma competition law: coordinate competition law arguments in global patent litigation including complaint to competition authorities; advise on patent settlements\*

\*Matter handled prior to joining Hogan Lovells.

## Awards and rankings

- Highly recommended lawyer for antitrust and competition in Germany, *WirtschaftsWoche*, 2020-2021
- Rising Star Award Europe in Competition & Antitrust, *IFLR*, 2020
- Future leader for competition law, *Who's Who Legal/GCR*, 2019-2021
- Antitrust Writing Award, *Concurrences*, 2018

## Latest thinking and events

- Published Works
  - Publications of Dr. Lukas Rengier
- Press releases
  - Hogan Lovells advises Mabanft on the acquisition of WESTFA Energy
- Press releases
  - Hogan Lovells obtains competition law clearance for automotive industry cooperation in wire harnesses
- Press releases
  - Hogan Lovells advises Chubu on participation in a geothermal project in Geretsried, Germany
- Press releases
  - Hogan Lovells advises BASF, BMW Group, Henkel, Mercedes-Benz, SAP, Schaeffler, Siemens, T-Systems, Volkswagen and ZF on Cofinity X Joint Venture
- News
  - Antitrust restrictions on price increases?

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## Memberships

Studienvereinigung Kartellrecht  
(German Association for Antitrust Law)

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## Accolades

"Lukas is well known in cartel matters and is a standout representative in court."

*Client/peer, Who's Who Legal*

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Lukas Rengier has been praised for his "expertise in competition litigation, having been involved in most of the ongoing leading cartel damages claims on the defense side".

*Client/peer, IFLR, Rising Star Award*

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"Lukas Rengier is a real antitrust law expert with a lot of expertise, coupled with the ability to always keep an eye on the commercial aspects."

*Client/peer, Who's Who Legal*

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