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Biography

With a Masters Degree in Law from a leading university in France, Nicolas Hirt is registered as a European Trademark Attorney. He has over 20 years of experience in the registration and portfolio management of trademarks and designs around the world, with a particular emphasis on European Union Trade Marks, national trademarks in Europe, European Union Designs and national designs in Europe.

Nicolas also has a large amount of experience in domain name registration and dispute work. He is French and originally worked at the leading patent firm in France for a number of years.

Nicolas speaks a number of European languages. He is also fluent in Japanese, having studied at Kyoto University and worked in Tokyo for many years.

Awards and rankings

- Leading individual in Japan for prosecution and strategy, *World Trademark Review 1000*, 2017-2023
- Recommended in Intellectual Property, *Legal 500 Asia-Pacific*, 2020
- Next Generation Foreign Lawyer in Japan for IP (International), *Legal 500 Asia-Pacific*, 2017



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Languages

French
English
Japanese

Practices

Intellectual Property
Trademarks and Brands

Industries

Automotive and Mobility
Consumer

Education and admissions

Education

Masters In Law, Université Paris XI
Postgraduate Diploma in Intellectual
Property Law and Practice,
University of Strasbourg

Memberships

European Union Intellectual
Property Office (EUIPO)

Bar admissions and qualifications

French Trademark Attorney
