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OVERVIEW

Adam Paschalidis is a senior associate and a member of the Asset Management and Investment Funds practice. He primarily assists asset managers and other fund initiators through a 360-degree coverage of Luxembourg legal aspects relating to the entire lifecycle of their (regulated or unregulated) investment products, spanning from initial setup, negotiations with service providers, regulatory approval, and marketing to restructuring, continuation, and voluntary liquidation. His experience includes supporting clients with the setup and regulatory approval of regulated management companies and AIFMs, investment firms, and other financial sector professionals.

Adam is also involved in the office's practice with regard to advising banks and investment firms on the foreseeable impacts of major regulatory changes (AIFMD/AIFMD II, MiFID II/MiFIR, AML V, etc.) on their product/service range, marketing and distribution strategy, as well as their operating model.

In the field of ESG, Adam has an official accreditation from the Yale School of Management, having successfully completed its sustainable finance and investment online program and is now well-positioned to advise both EU and US clients on ESG and sustainability-related matters. This professional qualification reflects his strong experience and practice in ESG topics.

PROFESSIONAL BACKGROUND

Prior to joining the firm Adam served as a fund legal officer for a publicly traded international trust and corporate management company. Through this role, Adam worked with clients active in the PERE fund industry, for which he incorporated special purpose vehicles (SPVs) and drafted loans, capital contribution, and subscription agreements. In addition, Adam was a primary point of contact for clients and worked to maintain and improve client relationships.

In academia, Adam is pursuing his PhD at the National and Kapodistrian University of Athens. As part of his thesis, Adam researches and writes about the impact of the use of artificial intelligence on capital markets. Mindful of the secular developments around artificial intelligence, Adam envisages to leverage his acquired knowledge and advise AMIF clients.

ACHIEVEMENTS

- Recognised by *The Legal 500 EMEA* as a Recommended Lawyer in Luxembourg, 2026
  - Banking, Finance and Capital Markets
  - Investment Funds

PROFESSIONAL / CIVIC ACTIVITIES

- Member of Luxembourg Arbitration Association
- Member of the Hellenic Bankers Association

SPEAKING ENGAGEMENTS

- Moderator, “The Innovation Shift: AI in Arbitration and the Legal Ecosystem”, co-organised by Rythmisis and Greece Very Young Arbitration Practitioners, Athens, 28 February 2026
- Speaker, “Artificial Intelligence and Law: Regulating Innovation”, 3rd annual conference of Rythmisis, Athens, 15 June 2025
- Moderator, “ESG Challenges and Opportunities of a Transatlantic AIF,” co-hosted with the Luxembourg Private Equity Association (LPEA), Webinar, 22 May 2024
- Speaker, “The A.I. Impact: Business, Economy & Work,” Rythmisis, the National Institute of AI, Personal Data and Digital Governance Law in Greece, 9 February 2024

EDUCATION

- LL.M., Erasmus University Rotterdam, 2018
- LL.B., Aristotle University of Thessaloniki Law School, 2016

ADMISSIONS

- Greek Qualified Lawyer
- Luxembourg Qualified Lawyer (List IV)

LANGUAGES

- English
- Greek

- French
- German

THOUGHT LEADERSHIP *POWERED BY HUB*

- 10 July 2026, AI-Generated Content in the European Union: What the Adherence to Code of Practice Means for Article 50 Compliance—Special Focus on Luxembourg's Financial Sector
- 8 July 2026, MiCAR Transitional Period for Crypto-Asset Service Providers Expires: What Luxembourg Market Participants Need to Know Now
- June 2026 , Global Survey of ESG Regulations for Asset Managers
- June 2026, ESG and the Sustainable Economy Handbook
- 25 March 2026, Luxembourg Financial Services Regulator CSSF Updates Its Position on Crypto-Assets in Investment Funds: What Has Changed Since 2022?
- 7 August 2023, Modernization of Luxembourg Fund Products: Enhancing the Investment Fund Toolbox
- June 2023, Arbitration World
- 26 April 2023, New Arbitration Law in Luxembourg
- 4 April 2023, Luxembourg Financial Services Regulator CSSF Issues Communication Relating to the Launch of SFDR Data Collection Exercise Applicable to AIFMs and IORPs Active in Luxembourg
- 15 February 2022, Luxembourg Financial Services Regulator CSSF Issues White Paper On Distributed Ledger Technology - DLT Financial Instruments on Securities Official List of Luxembourg Stock Exchange - European Digital Finance Strategy Update
- 9 December 2021, New EU Sustainability-Related Disclosure Obligations for Investment Managers

OTHER PUBLICATIONS

- Comparative Analysis between the 2018 and 2004 Dutch Model Bilateral Investment Treaty Texts, December 16, 2019, *European Investment Law and Arbitration Review Online*

NEWS & EVENTS

- 10 November 2026, K&L Gates Advises Churchill Asset Management on US$1.54 Billion Junior Capital Opportunities Fund III
- 25 July 2025, K&L Gates Advises Churchill Asset Management on US$1.5 Billion Co-Investment Fund
- 22 May 2024, ESG Challenges and Opportunities of a Transatlantic AIF, Hosted by Luxembourg Private Equity Association

- 6 July 2021, K&L Gates Continues Strategic Growth, Combining With Luxembourg Firm Volckrick & Associates to Establish Firm's Eighth European Office

AREAS OF FOCUS

- Asset Management and Investment Funds
- Anti-Money Laundering (AML)
- Corporate and Acquisition Finance
- ESG - Asset Management and Investment Funds
- European Regulatory
- International Arbitration
- Real Estate Acquisitions and Dispositions

INDUSTRIES

- Technology

EMERGING ISSUES

- Artificial Intelligence (AI)