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OVERVIEW

Dr. Angelika Bartholomäi is a counsel at the firm and a member of the Corporate and Restructuring and Insolvency practice groups. She advises corporate clients and family owned businesses on acquisitions, carve-outs and divestitures, joint ventures and corporate reorganizations. Angelika focuses on the sectors manufacturing, healthcare and technology.

PROFESSIONAL BACKGROUND

Angelika joined the firm in January 2023. Previously, she was a partner in the Corporate/M&A practice group of a German law firm and prior to that she practiced in several international law firms and a leading accounting firm. She focused on advising on M&A transactions, as well as on all corporate and group law matters, in particular in the sectors of industrial production/chemicals, healthcare (in particular medical devices and care), fintech, IT startups, and real estate.

PROFESSIONAL / CIVIC ACTIVITIES

- Education as business mediator with IKOM Frankfurt a.M., 2022
- Specialized attorney course in commercial and corporate law, 2010

SPEAKING ENGAGEMENTS

- Legal framework of Corporate Social Responsibility
- EU Taxonomy and liability risks of business managers (especially concerning real estate/ stranded assets)
- Contract design for acquisitions and joint ventures

EDUCATION

- Dr. jur., Johann-Wolfgang-Goethe University Frankfurt/Main, 2000
- Second Legal State Exam, Higher Regional Court of Frankfurt/Main, 1996
- First Legal State Exam, University of Giessen, Department of Law, 1993

LANGUAGES

- English
- French
- German

OTHER PUBLICATIONS

- Corporate Governance in the Context of Sustainability / Sustainability: From Optional to Obligatory for Corporate Leadership - Key Areas of Action and Liability Risks in: Sustainability in the Nonprofit Sector: ESG Reporting and EU Taxonomy Compliance in Practice – Real-World Examples and Tools; ed. Robert Bachert; Sabrina Tillmann; Lambertus-Verlag GmbH; Freiburg i.Br. 2024
- Unternehmenskauf und Umweltaltlasten - vertragliche Gestaltung des Haftungsrisikos unter besonderer Berücksichtigung des Bundesbodenschutzgesetzes. (Company acquisition and environmental contamination - contractual structuring of the liability risk with special consideration of the Federal Soil Protection Act), in: *Frankfurter Schriftenreihe zum Umweltrecht*, Nomosverlag, Baden-Baden 2001

NEWS & EVENTS

- 2 April 2026, K&L Gates Advises InfraLeuna GmbH on the Acquisition of DOMO Caproleuna GmbH
- 11 April 2025, K&L Gates Advises Avenue Capital on the Acquisition of Hubergroup
- 25 February 2025, Divergence or Convergence? AI und Cybersecurity Regulation in the EU and UK
- 29 August 2024, K&L Gates Advises APK AG on Investor Agreement With LyondellBasell
- 25 June 2024, Legal and Compliance Breakfast
- 2 August 2023, K&L Gates Advises Gorka Holding on Sale of Majority of Shares in DiaSys Diagnostics Systems GmbH
- 22 June 2023, Nearly 50 K&L Gates Lawyers Throughout Europe Recognized in 2024 Best Lawyers, Ones to Watch Editions

AREAS OF FOCUS

- Mergers and Acquisitions
- Restructuring and Insolvency

REPRESENTATIVE EXPERIENCE

- APK AG, an innovative recycling company for complex plastic waste with registered seat in Merseburg (Saxony-Anhalt, Germany) on the conclusion of an investor agreement with LyondellBasell (LYB) on the acquisition of all shares in APK AG by way of an insolvency plan.
- Avenue Capital Group on the acquisition of Hubergroup, one of the leading specialty chemicals and print solutions companies. Avenue Capital Group and Mavco Investments as co-investor secured the shares as part of a structured bidding process.
- Argentum Pflege Gruppe on its comprehensive restructuring through self-administration proceedings, including the successful stabilization and reorganization of the group, and its subsequent sale to Lafayette Mittelstand Capital.
- Tri Star Group on the cross-border acquisition of Sprick Rowery from insolvency proceedings involving the German Sprick Group. Sprick Group, headquartered in Gütersloh, is a family-owned manufacturer of high-quality bicycles and bicycle accessories.
- Mindfactory GmbH on the sale of its business to Heise Group through an asset deal following its self-administration insolvency proceedings.
- Les Lunes GmbH on the sale of substantial assets to Snocks following the successful completion of its self-administration restructuring.
- InfraLeuna GmbH on the acquisition of the business operations and assets of DOMO Caproleuna GmbH through the newly established joint venture LEUNA-Polyamid GmbH.