

Asset Management & Investment Funds at a glance



We have a highly specialised international Asset Management and Investment Funds team that is renowned as a market-leader. We advise on a full range of legal and regulatory issues for institutional and specialist asset management firms internationally.

The focus of our practice is on five subsectors

- hedge funds;
- private equity funds;
- real estate & infrastructure funds;
- institutional managers; and
- sovereign wealth funds and other lead investors.

We have an in-depth understanding of the asset management industry and are recognised by the legal directories and the industry as being one of the leading firms in the sector. We advise sector stakeholders on the full range of legal and implementation issues relating to fund formation, investments by the funds, regulatory considerations and the structuring of the investment managers.

International reach

- we have a global presence with the international team primarily operating in Europe, the Middle East and Asia
- we have more than 200 lawyers worldwide focussed on the sector

Commitment to innovation

- *elxica*: an award winning, free online resource
- *navigator*: online guidance on global regulations relating to funds, closed-ended products, securities, derivatives and share disclosure

Commitment to clients

- we advise 37 of the top 50 European hedge fund managers and 16 of the top 20 US hedge fund managers
- we advise 14 of the top 20 Global Asset Management firms and 15 of the Top 20 European Asset Managers by AUM
- the team is recognised by its clients for its excellence
- we act for a number of the world's largest Sovereign Wealth Funds
- our expertise across a range of asset classes including real estate, commodities, energy, financial investments, derivatives and equities puts us in a great position to advise managers on legal issues.

The Leading Law Firm

Hedge Fund Journal Awards 2015

Best Onshore Law Firm

HFM Week European Hedge Fund Services Awards 2014

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