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Vita

Sami Salihu is part of the Firm's Arbitration and Litigation Teams, specialising in international criminal and civil matters.

His main areas of practice are advising clients in Asset Recovery (including enforcement of court judgments and arbitral awards), Commercial Contracts Law, Corporate Law (mergers, acquisitions and transfers) and White-Collar Crime. He also assists the Firm's clients in commercial, sports and investment arbitration, both on national and international scales.

Finally, he is active in banking matters, both in relation to private law questions and from a regulatory point of view.

Professional background

- Legal Extern under the leadership of Professors Marcia A. Wiss and Fádia Tuma Antunes, Wiss & Partners LLP, Washington, DC (2024)
- Research Assistant under the leadership of Professor Eva Lein, British Institute of International and Comparative Law, London (2020-2021)
- Research Assistant under the leadership of Professor Valérie Junod, Business and Taxation Department of the Economics Faculty, HEC Lausanne (2019-2021)
- Legal Assistant, Swiss Institute of Comparative Law (2019-2020)
- Legal Assistant, Lausanne-based Lawfirm (2019-2020)
- Research Assistant, Bratschi Ltd (2017)

Training

- Certificate of Specialization in Securities and Financial Law, Dean's List & Distinction, Georgetown University Law Center, Washington, DC (2024)
- LL.M. in International Business & Economic Law, Dean's List & Distinction, Georgetown University Law Center, Washington, DC (2024)
- CAS in Legal Professions (ECAV), University of Geneva (2021)
- CAS in International Business Disputes, University of Lausanne (2021)
- Master of Business Law, International Law and Comparative Law, magna cum laude, University of Lausanne (2021)
- Bachelor of Law, University of Lausanne (2019)

Other activities

- Board Member, Georgetown International Arbitration Society, Georgetown University Law Center, Washington, DC (2023-2024)
- Consultant, British Institute of International and Comparative Law, London (2021-2022)

Expertise

Banking Law, Conflicts of Laws, Litigation, Arbitration, Debt Enforcement and Bankruptcy Law, Criminal Law, Mergers and Acquisitions (M&A), Contract Law, White Collar Crime

Practice Groups

Arbitration, White Collar Crime

Publications

Can the (non-)substitution of an arbitrator and the right to a properly constituted arbitral tribunal be reconciled under Swiss law?

Dr. Wyss Lukas and Salihu Sami, in: bratschi arbitration blog, October 2021

Interdependent Privacy & Medical Information

Salihu Sami, zusammen mit Junod Valérie, Bern 2020

Sports Arbitration before the Court of Arbitration for Sport

Hungerbühler Ivo and Salihu Sami, in: bratschi arbitration blog, April 15, 2021, administered by Renninger Silvia and Bahner Liv