

# WACH UND MECKES



## **Patrizia, Schultheiss, LL.M. (Toronto)**

Senior Associate

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- Qualifications
- Business Mediator (Münchener Ausbildung zum Wirtschaftsmediator), 2017.
  - Global Professional Master of Laws, University of Toronto, Canada, 2015.
  - Admission to the bar in Germany (Rechtsanwältin), 2005.
  - Law studies at the Ludwig-Maximilians-University of Munich, Germany.
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- Professional
- Senior Associate at WACH UND MECKES since Oktober 2022.
  - Salary Partner at Dr. Grill Wilde Braun Rechtsanwälte, September 2019 to September 2021.
  - Senior Associate at WACH UND MECKES, October 2017 to August 2019.
  - Business Consultant, Toronto, Canada, September 2013 to September 2017.
  - Corporate Counsel at ADCURAM Group, May 2007 to August 2013.
  - Senior Associate Mergers & Acquisitions Tax Services at KPMG AG, January 2005 to April 2007.
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- Memberships
- German Lawyers' Association (Deutscher AnwaltVerein e.V., DAV).
  - European Law Institute.
  - European Legal Tech Association.
  - Alumni Association of University of Toronto, Canada.
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- Expertise
- Advising in complex commercial legal disputes before state courts and in national and international arbitration proceedings.
  - Business Development Manager
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- Languages
- German
  - English
  - French
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Recent matters	<p>Post-transactional disputes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Advising an international technology company in a dispute with a Private Equity Fund arising from a transaction.</li> </ul> <p>Corporate and commercial disputes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Advising a shareholder of a family business to defend a claim filed by a co-shareholder</li> </ul> <p>Professional Liability:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Advising a holding company regarding a claim for professional liability against former legal advisors in a refinance transaction</li> </ul>
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Representative experience as Business Consultant*:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Advising a Canadian wood pellet producer in an intense insolvency dispute with a German counterparty</li> <li>• Acting for a Canadian family holding in connection with a proposed acquisition of a German medical device company</li> <li>• Acting as a strategic business advisor to a German company in relation to the establishment and expansion of their operations in the Canadian marketplace</li> </ul>
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Representative experience as Corporate Counsel*:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Advising on the acquisition and on the restructuring of a medium-sized mechanical engineering company</li> <li>• Advising on the acquisition and on the restructuring of a food packaging company</li> <li>• Advising on numerous proposed acquisitions such as of a hydrogen peroxide producer, a German automotive parts manufacturer, an airport service provider, a paper mill, a department store chain, a porcelain manufacture, etc.</li> <li>• Advising on a 50/50 joint venture with a company in Shanghai and a related shareholder dispute</li> <li>• Advising on the settlement of an alleged global patent violation</li> <li>• Advising on the settlement of a post M&amp;A dispute on representations and indemnifications following the acquisition of a business unit from a DAX 30 company</li> </ul>
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\* prior to joining WACH UND MECKES