

Profile

Prof. Dr. iur. Patrick L. Krauskopf, LL.M. (Harvard) | Attorney-at-law (Zurich/New York) | Chairman

Legal areas

- Competition and antitrust law
- Merger law
- Intellectual property rights
- Public procurement law
- Contract and construction law

Languages

German, French, English, Spanish

Memberships

- Academic Society for Competition Law ASCOLA
- American Bar Association ABA
- Board Member/International Advisory Council (UC Berkeley)
- EMBA Berne-Fribourg Alumni
- Harvard Club of Switzerland HCS
- Harvard Law School Association HLSA
- International Bar Association IBA
- Ligue Internationale du Droit de la Concurrence LIDC/ASAS
- New York-State Bar Association NYSBA
- Antitrust lawyers association
- Zurich Bar Association ZAV

Education

2012: Certificate of Advanced Studies in University Teaching (Switzerland, ZHAW)

2005: Bar certification (USA, New York)

2005: LL.M. (USA, Harvard Law School)

1999: Doctor of law (Switzerland, University of Fribourg) with „summa cum laude“

1995: Bar certification (Switzerland, canton of Aargau)

1991: Master/lic. iur (Switzerland, University of Fribourg & USA, University of California Berkeley, with attribute “summa cum laude“

Professional Experience

Since 2014: Partner/Chairman, AGON Partners, Zurich/Pfaffikon

Since 2003: Head of the Centre for Competition and Commercial Law, Professor at the Zurich University of Applied Sciences (ZHAW) in competition law, contracts, torts as well as negotiation techniques.

2010 - 2013: Partner, KWP Krauskopf Wagner & Partner, Zurich/Basel/Munich/Pfaffikon

2002 - 2009: Chief International Affairs, Competition Commission WEKO (Bern) | Representation of Switzerland at OECD, WTO, ICN, UNCTAD

2001 - 2009: Vice-Chair, Competition Commission WEKO (Bern), Head of the department Products & Industry

1999 - 2000: Head of legal services, Competition Commission WEKO (Bern)

1998: Case-Handler, Competition Commission WEKO (Bern)

1996 - 1997: Clerk to a Justice, Swiss Supreme Court (Lausanne)

1995: Legal intern, BSH (Zurich/Baden)

1994: Internship, District Court (Baden)

1992 - 1993: Research associate, Institute for construction law (Fribourg)



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Activities

Teaching & Research

Since 2014: Lecturer "Master of International Trade" (Perdana University, Kuala Lumpur)

Since 2010: Lecturer at the FH Luzern

Since 2008: Founder/partner "Ateliers de la Concurrence"

Since 2008: Lecturer at the University of Fribourg

Since 2002: Lecturer at the EMBA FH Fribourg & Bern

Since 2001: Lecturer / appraiser UNCTAD, WTO, ICN, CUTS

Since 1999: Publications (> 60) in German, English, French and Spanish

Legislation

2007: Spearheading the increase of awareness (GVO) of the Competition Commission WEKO (Bern)

2003: Spearheading of sanctions on ordinance of antitrust law (incl. leniency program)

2002: Spearheading the increase of motor vehicle awareness (GVO) of the Competition Commission WEKO (Bern)

2000 - 2003: Spearheading the revision of antitrust law (WEKO)

International Consulting

Since 2001: Spearheading the technical assistance programs or the corresponding involvement in Asia (Vietnam, Lao, Bangladesh), Africa (Mali, Zambia, Namibia, Botswana, Ivory Coast, Niger, Senegal, Guinea Bissau) and in south and central America (Bolivia, Columbia, Peru, Nicaragua, Salvador, Costa Rica).



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