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A NEW SENIOR COUNSEL AND NEW PROMOTIONS AT BSP

BSP is pleased to announce the arrival of Françoise Pfeiffer, who has joined the Banking & Finance and Capital Markets department as Senior Counsel, and the promotion of three counsels, four senior associates and three associates, as of 1st January 2025.

Françoise Pfeiffer has extensive experience in banking and finance and capital markets law and was formerly a partner in a Luxembourg law firm. She has also experience in investment funds, asset management and private equity. Françoise started her career in a leading Luxembourg law firm before being appointed as in-house counsel with the Luxembourg Central Bank. Thereafter Françoise has been practicing within some major international law firms in Luxembourg. She holds a Master in International Business Law from King's College London and a Master in private law from Université Robert Schuman in Strasbourg.

[Elzbieta Tumko](#) (Banking & Finance and Capital Markets), [Carolina Vasselli](#) (Dispute Resolution) and [Pauline Wirtzler](#) (Employment, Compensations & Benefits) have been promoted to Counsel.

BSP also promoted to Senior Associate [Mikail Ceylan](#), [Maria Natsiou](#), [Alexeji Nickels](#) and [Alexandra Simon](#). Promoted to Associate are: [Danai Bastouli](#), [Leonardo Mastropietro](#) and [Ailyn Sandra Pérez Utria](#).

This latest round of promotions spans across various practice groups, including Banking and Finance, Capital Markets, Corporate and M&A, Dispute Resolution, Employment, Compensations & Benefits, Investment Management and Private Equity. The promotions highlight the firm's commitment to investing in talent and providing outstanding services to clients.

"The partners at BSP are delighted to announce these promotions, which acknowledge the significant contribution and expertise of these lawyers and reward their continuous engagement," said [Alain Steichen](#), Managing Partner at BSP. "Their dedication to our clients has been instrumental in driving BSP's success. We congratulate them on this important career milestone and look forward to their continued growth with the firm."

Regarding the lateral hire of Françoise Pfeiffer, [Laurent Lazard](#), Head of the Banking & Finance and Capital Markets department said: "We are thrilled to welcome Françoise to the BSP B&F team. With her impressive experience and comprehensive knowledge in banking and finance matters, including structured finance, Françoise will further strengthen BSP's position in the market. I am sure her contribution will be a valuable asset to our clients and the firm."

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Talented and multilingual, our teams of lawyers work side by side with our clients to help them reach their objectives and support them with tailor-made legal advice, creating in the process professional relationships based on mutual trust and respect.

Our lawyers have developed particular expertise in banking and finance, capital markets, corporate law, dispute resolution, employment law, investment funds, intellectual property, private wealth, real estate and tax. In these practice areas, as in others, our know-how, our ability to work in cross-practice teams and to swiftly adapt to new laws and regulations allow us to provide to our clients timely and integrated legal assistance vital to the success of their business.

Building on the synergy of our different professional experiences and the richness of our diverse cultural background, we stand ready to meet our clients' legal needs, no matter how challenging they are.

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