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Counsel, 1953

Practice Areas

Insurance and reinsurance law
Investigation and handling of complex claims
Regulatory matters involving insurers and reinsurers
International arbitration and dispute resolution

Education

Swiss Federal Institute of Technology Zurich (1972 -1977), Engineering Degree
University of Lausanne (1977-1980), Law Degree

Experience

Baudacci Nigg Stenberg
Counsel since 2008

Independent insurance and reinsurance consultant since 1991

Union Re Zurich

Marketing Executive in charge of all French-speaking Markets (including French-speaking Switzerland), 1990-1991 (Vice President as from 1/1/1991)

Swiss Re Zurich

- Marketing Department, special missions on the French Market (Member of the Technical Committee of the Environment Liability Pool (Assurpol), establishment of the Compensation Fund in favor of AIDS-contaminated hemophiliacs), 1988-1990
- Casualty Department, in charge of all French-speaking markets (including French-speaking Switzerland) in respect of claims and technical underwriting support. Liaison Officer of the French and Belgian Claims Handling and Insurance Consulting Subsidiaries (COTECA), 1983-1988
- Marketing Department, assistant to the Marketing Executive for Belgium and Luxemburg, 1981-1983

Memberships

International Association for Insurance Law (French Section)
Schweizerischer Juristenverein
Schweizerische Gesellschaft für Haftpflicht- und Versicherungsrecht
Swiss Society Of Engineers And Architects SIA

Languages

French
German
English

Publications / Presentations (Selection)

- *RC Produits. Droit et assurance dans quelques marchés importants* [Publication of Swiss Re Group of Companies, 1983]
- *La capitalisation de l'arrêt Blein: une inadvertance?* [Revue Suisse de Jurisprudence, 1985]
- *Réparation du dommage subi par les victimes en état végétatif chronique* [Revue française du dommage corporel, 1988]
- *Le procès en responsabilité civile aux Etats-Unis* [Publication of Swiss Re Group of Companies, 1990]
- *Aléa et assurance RC des risques d'atteintes à l'environnement* [Le Monde de l'Assurance, 1990]
- *Sida, Responsabilité civile et assurance* [Revue Risques, Paris, 1990]
- *Die Solidaritäts- und Entschädigungsfonds für AIDS-Transfusionsopfer in Frankreich: Schicksalsteilung zwischen Erst- und Rückversicherer anhand eines konkreten Beispiels* [Zeitschrift für Versicherungswesen, Hamburg, November 1992]
- *Le partage du sort entre assureurs et réassureurs* [Revue Risques, Paris, 1993]
- *Les effets catalytiques du risk-management* [Revue Risques, Paris – co-author G. Erdmann, 1994]
- *Virus, aberrations et aberrance: la notion d'événement en réassurance* [Revue Risques No 19, Paris, 1994]
- *The Contaminated Blood Scandal in France : Are Insurers Still the « Prime Suspects » ?* [International Insurance Law Review, March 1997]
- *Réassurance obligatoire et réassurance facultative* [Encyclopédie de l'assurance, éd. ECONOMICA, Paris 1998]