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Olivier has a wide expertise in contract and corporate law. He regularly advises private clients and companies on various commercial transactions and on all types of contractual and commercial matters.

His activity further includes real estate transactions, inheritance as well as estate and wealth planning and he was active during many years in commercial litigation and insolvency. Olivier is also a member of the Geneva Bar Examination Commission.

Practice Areas / Expertise

Commercial and Contracts
Corporate / M&A
Real Estate
Commercial Litigation
Inheritance, Estate and Wealth Planning
Banking and Finance
Insolvency and Restructuring

Professional Experience

2015 – present: Metzger & Zimmermann, Geneva, Founding Partner
2011 – 2014: Metzger & Vernet, Geneva, Partner
2009 – 2011: Lenz & Staehelin, Geneva, Associate in Corporate / M&A practice group
2006 – 2008: Perréard, de Boccard, Kohler, Ador & Associés, Geneva, Associate
2005: Supreme Court of the Canton of Geneva, Lawyer trainee
2003 – 2005: Perréard, de Boccard, Kohler, Ador & Associés, Geneva, Lawyer trainee

Education

LL.M., Harvard Law School (2009)
Bar Admission, Geneva (2006) (ranked 1st)
Law Degree (lic. iur.), University of Geneva (2003) (ranked 1st)

Honors

Huet du Pavillon Prize (best law degree)
Geneva Law and Legislation Society Prize (best law degree)
Schellenberg-Wittmer Prize (best 2nd year results)
Geneva Law and Legislation Society Prize (best 1st year results)

Languages

French, English

Memberships

Geneva Bar Association
Swiss Bar Association
Geneva Business Law Association
Harvard Club of Switzerland

Other positions held

Member of the Geneva Bar Examination Commission