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Nationality Double national: Swiss and Italian

Place and date of birth Milano (Italy), 3 April 1967

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PERSONAL STATEMENT

Lawyer, multilingual professional, self-employed provides legal advice and assistance in criminal matters, especially as a trial counsel.

Deals principally with "white-collar crimes", i.e. all kind of frauds, money-laundering, corporate crimes, financial and tax crimes, bankruptcies, bribery and corruption, cybercrimes and IP crimes environmental crimes and corporate liability and governance under Law 231/01.

Great international experience and considerable knowledge not only of criminal laws in Italy and abroad, but also on foreign legal systems (Switzerland, Germany, United Kingdom and USA), acquired also in a number of cross-border investigations and financial scandals, asset-tracing proceedings in foreign jurisdictions (USA, Bahamas, BVI and Switzerland), international judicial assistance and extradition.

Defends individuals as well as corporations, domestic and foreign, and multinational companies. Among clients main investment banks and financial institutions, insurance companies, chemical and pharmaceutical industries, and also Manchester Utd. football team.

COMPETENCES AND SKILLS

Good in-depth and general analysis skills, strategy, detail-oriented and attention to client needs. Used to operate under pressure, delivers in time/meets deadlines.

Speaks Italian and German (bilingual), English (full professional proficiency), French (elementary proficiency).

Works well independently in its own firm with an experienced, competent and efficient team of lawyers and assistants/trainees, as well as in cooperation with other firms, either leading and coordinating or participating to legal/defence team of other counsels and expert witnesses.

Cooperates with international and Italian law firms
Admitted to the Milan Bar since 1994 (Court of Appeals of Milan)
Supreme Court admitted since 2007
Admitted in Switzerland (Cantone Ticino) since 2011
Included in the list of lawyers of the Swiss Embassy in Italy since 2012

OTHER SKILLS AND MEDIA CONTRIBUTIONS

Editor of the legal column of "Gazzetta Svizzera" (since 2011). Contributor to Diritto24 - Il Sole 24ore (since 2012).

Advises occasionally foreign media (Time, Bloomberg, BBC World News, Associated Press, Thomson-Reuters, Telegraph, Tagesschau, Swissinfo, Ticino Management, La Razòn, El Tiempo, Dagens Nyheter); interviews and television brodcasts (SkyTg24, BloombergTV, ARD1-Deutschland, SkySport24)

Speaker and lecturer at conferences

TRAINING AND EDUCATION

2001 - Today Studio Avvocato Markus W. Wiget

1994-2001

Studio Associato Guidi, Sassi & Wiget former *Avocat-Conseil* of the Swiss Consulate General of Milan

1987-1994

Studio Avvocato Guidi (former Avocat-Conseil of the Swiss Consulate General of Milan)

A.A. 1986/1987 - A.A. 1989/1990 Università Cattolica di Milano - Law degree

1973 - Maggio 1986

DSM - Deutsche Schule Mailand (Scuola Germanica di Milano)