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Practice Areas

- Competition Law and Trademark Law
- Copyright, Design, and Patent Law
- Advertising Law for Medical Products and Medical Products Law
- Trade Secret Protection Law
- Distribution Law
- Litigation in the Above-Listed Areas

Practice Summary

Philip is a German Attorney at Law specializing in intellectual property law, particularly in trademark and competition law, as well as in distribution law. In these areas, he provides comprehensive legal advice to national and international companies on strategic and operational issues as well as representing them before German courts.

Representative Client Matters

- Ongoing advice on sales and distribution matters to one of Germany's largest suppliers of prefabricated houses
- Ongoing advice in contractual matters to a leading candy manufacturer
- Ongoing advice on competition issues to Coca-Cola GmbH
- Ongoing advice on sales and distribution matters to the Mattel Group (both nationally and internationally)
- Ongoing advice on competition matters to Apollo-Optik
- Ongoing advice on trademark issues to Leica Camera AG
- Competition law advice to MasterCard Europe
- Combating parallel imports and the grey market for one of the world's largest tire manufacturers

Publications and Speaking Engagements

- „Anwohnerklagen gegen Linienverkehr“ (*Lawsuits by Residents Against Transportation Providers*), Der Nahverkehr June, 2023 (together with Christoph Zinger)

Education and Career

Philip has been a German Attorney at Law since 2024 and been an Associate at SCHIEDERMAIR since then.

Philip studied law at the Johann Wolfgang-Goethe University in Frankfurt. During his studies he worked at a large international law firm. He completed his post-graduate legal training at the District Court of Frankfurt.