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○ Dispute Resolution

○ Restructuring and Insolvency

Giorgio has gained an extensive and comprehensive experience in litigation and arbitration matters, regularly advising leading international and domestic clients (including, inter alia, primary private equity funds and investment banks) in relation to corporate, banking, financial intermediation and commercial disputes, both in the pre-litigation and litigation phases as well as in bankruptcy and insolvency proceedings.

Giorgio is regularly the point of reference to the clients, providing his view and assessment in extremely sensitive situations, defining the final strategy to be adopted in order to strengthen the clients' position and interests.

Giorgio is the leading counsel in some of the most important pre-litigation and litigation matters in relation to which Legance is providing its assistance.

Giorgio graduated with honors in 2009 at the Università degli Studi di Milano, where he is currently an assistant professor ("*cultore della materia*") of civil law. He is the author of several publications on civil law matters on the main law reviews. He was admitted to the Italian Bar of Milan in 2013 and he is a Supreme Court barrister since 2023.

Prior to joining Legance in 2011, Giorgio worked for a primary Italian Law Firm.

Before graduating, Giorgio was a professional sailor, being enrolled with the Italian Navy Sporting Group, winning several Italian championships. In 2009 he was awarded with the bronze medal for the athletic worth by the Italian Athletic Olympic Committee (CONI). Giorgio has been ranked in major national and international directories. He is mentioned in Chambers and Partners as follows: "*Giorgio provides excellent, punctual and precise service*", "*Giorgio Colombo has a great ability to formulate effective strategies in complex disputes*" (2025).

In 2024 and 2025 Leaders League recognised Giorgio as "Highly recommended" for the Banking & Finance Litigation practice.

Professional Experience

PARTNER | FROM 2024

Legance – Avvocati Associati, Milan, Italy

SENIOR COUNSEL | 2022 – 2024

Legance – Avvocati Associati, Milan, Italy

COUNSEL | 2021 – 2022

Legance – Avvocati Associati, Milan, Italy

ASSOCIATE | 2011 – 2021

Legance – Avvocati Associati, Milan, Italy

ASSOCIATE | 2009 – 2011

NCTM Studio Legale, Milan, Italy

Education

2023

Admitted to practice before the Supreme Court and Highest Jurisdiction

2013

Admitted to the Bar. Member of the Milan Bar, Italy

2009

Law Degree, *magna cum laude*, Università degli Studi di Milano, Milan, Italy

Publications

He is the author and co-author of commentaries and books. Among others:

- "*In tema di applicabilità dell'art. 1972 c.c. alla luce della natura novativa o conservativa dell'accordo transattivo*", *Il Corriere Giuridico*, 2021, 4;
- "*Valore probatorio dei documenti e delle riproduzioni informatiche e natura giuridica delle attribuzioni patrimoniali tra conviventi*", *Il Corriere Giuridico*, 2019, 11;
- "*Punitive damages in Italy*", in *International Litigation News*, edited by International Bar Association Legal Practice Division, October 2018;
- "*Le cause di scioglimento e di estinzione del contratto di appalto*" and "*Il subappalto e la cessione del contratto di appalto*", in *Appalti privati e Outsourcing*, on (edited by) Paolo Pototschnig and Gabriele Capecci, Milan, 2016.