

Guendalina Catti De Gasperi

SENIOR COUNSEL

Guendalina Catti De Gasperi's practice focuses on European and Italian competition law, as well as the State aid and Foreign Subsidies Regulation regimes.

She has gained strong experience in relation to State aid proceedings and she advises Italian and international clients in respect to the filing obligations under the FSR, all antitrust-related matters (including merger control, abuse of dominant position and anti-competitive agreements/practices), as well as regulatory and consumer protection issues, before the European Commission, EU Courts, the Italian Competition Authority and Italian courts.

Guendalina advises companies active in a wide range of industries and has significant experience in the banking and finance, payment services, energy, manufacturing and ICT sectors.

She has been recognised as Leading Associate in "EU and competition law" by The Legal 500 as follows: "Worth-mentioning is Guendalina Catti De Gasperi, who is very talented and always available in case of need" (2024).

She graduated, cum laude, from Università di Roma Tor Vergata. She obtained an LL.M. from King's College London in 2009 and a Ph.D. from Bocconi University in 2017.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- **Senior Counsel** | 2023
Legance – Avvocati Associati, Milan, Italy
- **Counsel** | 2021 – 2023
Legance – Avvocati Associati, Milan, Italy
- **Managing Associate** | 2019 – 2021
Legance – Avvocati Associati, Milan, Italy
- **Associate** | 2017 – 2019
Latham & Watkins LLP, Brussels, Belgium
- **Contract Professor** | 2014 – 2017
Università Commerciale Luigi Bocconi, Milan, Italy
- **Researcher with grant** | 2014 – 2017
Università Commerciale Luigi Bocconi, Milan, Italy
- **Researcher assistant** | 2014 – 2017
King's College London, London, United Kingdom
- **Of Counsel** | 2014 – 2017
Prof. Avv. Andrea Biondi (39 Essex Chambers), London, United Kingdom
- **Of Counsel** | 2014 – 2017
Pesce & Associati, Milan, Italy
- **Teaching Assistant** | 2013 – 2016
Teaching Assistant and Lecturer, Università Commerciale Luigi Bocconi, Milan, Italy
- **Associate** | 2010 – 2012
Studio Legale Santa Maria, Milan, Italy
- **Trainee** | 2008
Studio Legale De Berti, Jacchia, Franchini, Forlani, Brussels, Belgium
- **Trainee** | 2007
Studio Legale Associato Cancrini – Piselli, Rome, Italy

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

- 2017**
Ph.D., International Law and Economics, Università Commerciale Luigi Bocconi, Milan, Italy (Ph.D. Fellowship)
- 2012**
Admitted to the Bar. Member of the Milan Bar, Italy
- 2009**
LL.M., Competition Law, King's College London, London, United Kingdom
- 2007**
Law Degree, summa cum laude, Università degli Studi di Roma "Tor Vergata", Rome, Italy

PUBLICATIONS

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

- > "In-House View: Whistleblowing" Lexology, 2025 (co-author: E. Canali);
- > "In-House View: Whistleblowing" Lexology, 2024 (co-author: E. Canali);
- > "Fintech – in Italy" (with M. Graziani, M. D'Agostini, G. Rubino, B. Noro), Lexology;
- > "A Balance of Powers: The Role of Public Support Measures in the Path Towards a European Energy Union", Edward Elgar Publishing (co-author: A. Biondi);
- > "The Application of EU State Aid Law in the Energy Sector, Journal of European Competition Law & Practice" (co-author: E. Righini);
- > "Overview of State Aid to Particular Sectors: Environment and Energy", in Santa Maria A. (ed.) Competition and State Aid: An Analysis of the EU Practice, Kluwer Law International, Chapter 9;
- > "Appellate Body Reports, European Communities – Measures Prohibiting the Importation and Marketing of Seal Products", The Italian Yearbook of International Law, Volume XXIV, Brill Academic Publishers;
- > "Panel Report, China – Definitive Anti-Dumping Duties on X-Ray Security Inspection Equipment from the European Union", The Italian Yearbook of International Law, Volume XXIII, Brill Academic Publishers;
- > "Making State Aid Control 'Greener': the EU Emissions Trading System and its Compatibility with Article 107 TFEU", European State Aid Law Quarterly, Volume 9, Issue 4.

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