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Jacopo also advises clients on consumer protection, antitrust compliance, foreign subsidies (FSR) and FDI (golden power) matters.

Over the years, Jacopo has gained significant and specific experience in various sectors, including manufacturing, pharmaceuticals, media & telecom, services, aerospace and automotive.

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Legance - Avvocati Associati, Rome, Italy

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Cleary Gottlieb, Rome, Italy

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Cleary Gottlieb, Brussels, Belgium

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Admitted to the Bar. Member of the New York Bar, U.S.A.

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- "Denigration and dissemination of misleading information under EU competition rules" (co-author), European Competition Law Review, December 2020;
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- > "Lundbeck v. Commission: Reverse Payment Patent Settlements As Restrictions of Competition by Object" (co-author), Journal of European Competition Law & Practice, December 2016;
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- "Ambush marketing: una ricerca interdisciplinare sulle tutele" (co-author), Rivista di diritto ed economia dello sport, n. 2, 2009;
- "Commerce parallèle et produits pharmaceutiques. Premières leçons de deux arrêts Glaxo" (co-author), Journal de droit européen, n. 151, 2008;
- "La disciplina antitrust della nuova legislazione sui diritti di trasmissione: Quid novi sub sole?" (co-author), Rivista di diritto ed economia dello sport, n. 2, 2008;
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