



# Federico Vezzani

## PARTNER

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○ Financial Intermediaries Regulations

○ Investment Funds

Federico Vezzani focuses on banking and insurance regulation, advising Italian and foreign banks, insurance companies, financial intermediaries, securities firms, asset management companies and payment institutions on a wide range of aspects, including the organisation of regulated entities (corporate governance and prudential issues) and the exercise of reserved activities.

Throughout his career, he has gained extensive experience in regulatory and prudential supervisory matters, including the establishment of supervised entities, initiation of new operations, outsourcing of essential functions, capital strengthening transactions through the issuance of equity, hybrid, subordinated and convertible instruments, liability management transactions, such as offers to purchase or exchange liabilities, and debt raising activities, through stand-alone issues or from domestic or international programs.

His experience also includes the supervision of extraordinary transactions carried out by listed issuers, the listing of warrants and convertible bonds, and the supervision of governance models adopted by listed issuers.

Federico is recognized as an expert in financial regulatory services in Italy by international legal directories. In particular, Federico is ranked by Chambers and Partners in Band 2 in the Banking & Finance: Financial Services Regulation section and is mentioned as follows: *"He is very prepared and available, provides highly qualified assistance and responds to questions without needing preparation", "Federico has excellent experience and competence, and is able to provide legal advice on a wide range of regulatory matters with great precision, speed and an ability to synthesise", "Federico Vezzani impresses with his professionalism, expertise and interpersonal skills", "Federico Vezzani is a very good negotiator; he's always very centred and never loses his patience" (2026), "Federico is excellent at understanding the client's needs and providing tailor-made support", "Federico Vezzani is extremely expert, knowledgeable and practical, and knows how to interpret regulatory law in commercial terms" and "Federico Vezzani is extremely prepared from a technical point of view as well as empathetic with customers" (2025), "Federico Vezzani has good expertise, is easy to talk to and can explain complex matters in a simple and straightforward way" (2024), "[He] has a deep knowledge of the Italian banking and financial services regulation, able to manage complex problems and find pragmatic solutions" (2023), "Federico is the person you want at your side to build a strong view on legal matters and provide support to find the most adequate solution" (2023) and "Federico's preparation for different projects is always extensive. His contribution is significant and valuable" (2023).*

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The Legal 500 recognizes him as Leading Partner in the Banking and Finance: Bank Regulatory section. He is mentioned as follows: "Legance regulatory team led by Federico Vezzani is absolutely outstanding. They can assist on a wide range of topics, also concerning new regulations and/or existing regulation update or amendment. They are able to find effective solutions to ensure compliance and best practice implementation in a regulatory entity", "Federico Vezzani is outstanding in the regulatory practice; he has deep knowledge of the relevant regulation and he can easily navigate the market best practices", "I have worked closely with [...] Federico Vezzani. He is an outstanding professional. In particular, Federico is able to catch both the overall picture and the details of the transactions [...]" (2026), "Federico Vezzani has deep knowledge of market practices and he is well recognised by most of the Italian players in this field", "Federico Vezzani has been able to build a strong team that is able to face a wide range of legal matters" (2025), "Federico Vezzani is really outstanding in this field, both for the knowledge and experience he has obtained over the years, and for his ability to manage the team and different practices involved efficiently" (2023).

He is also mentioned in IFLR1000 as Notable Practitioner in the Banking & Finance category.

## *Professional Experience*

### **PARTNER | FROM 2024**

Legance – Avvocati Associati, Milan, Italy

### **PARTNER | 2015 – 2024**

BonelliErede, Milan, Italy

### **MANAGING ASSOCIATE | 2014 – 2015**

BonelliErede, Milan, Italy

### **SENIOR ASSOCIATE | 2009 – 2014**

Cappelli RCCD Studio Legale, Milan, Italy

### **SENIOR ASSOCIATE | 2008 – 2009**

Clifford Chance, Milan, Italy

### **LISTED COMPANIES SUPERVISION DEPARTMENT | 2004 – 2008**

Borsa Italiana, Milan, Italy

## *Education*

### **2008**

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

### **2001**

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