

Moving mountains.

bpv HÜGEL

challenging matters.
significant transactions.
critical litigation.

active

bold

outstanding

unrivalled

trusted

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bpv Huegel is regarded as the partner for highly complex matters that require specialised tax and legal knowledge, many years of experience and a practical business sense.

Dogged commitment to our clients, our excellent know-how and results-oriented efficiency make us the first choice for challenging legal issues, significant transactions and critical litigation.

We strive to provide the highest standard of advice in each core area. As a result, we have been one of the leading providers in all areas of commercial law for decades running.

bpv Huegel specialises in national and international commercial law, was founded in 1979 and currently employs over 100 staff and around 50 lawyers.

bpv Huegel provides high-end advice.

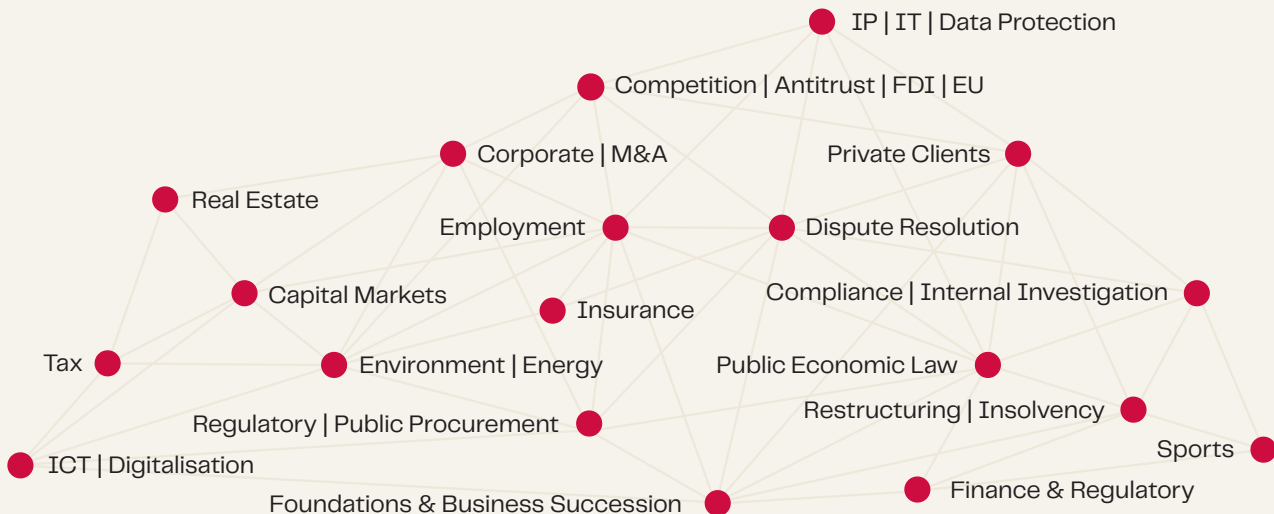
We are known for our relentless commitment to do everything we can to represent our clients' best interests, our top-notch expertise in all major areas of commercial practice, as well as a results-driven approach that gets us to the right answer in

an efficient and timely way. We aim to be the first firm that clients call when they are faced with their most challenging legal issues, bet-the-company business transactions and mission-critical disputes.

mission

commitment.
quality.
efficiency.

Seamless performance.



Full range of legal services.

As a full-service business law firm, we cover all relevant specialities, including Corporate, M&A, Capital Markets, Finance & Regulatory, Insurance, Tax, Competition/Antitrust/FDI/EU, Dispute Resolution, Compliance/Internal Investigation, ICT/

Digitalisation, Real Estate, Employment, Reorganisation, Restructuring/Insolvency, Regulatory/Public Procurement, Public Economic Law, Environment/Energy, IP/IT/Data Protection, Sports, Private Clients and Foundations and Business Succession.

International expertise and in-depth know-how of local practices.

bpv Huegel is a founding member of “bpv” – an alliance with law offices in Bratislava, Bucharest, Budapest and Prague – which enables us to project an extraordinarily strong presence in the CEE region.

Further the Brussels office operates as a hub for international competition and general EU practice for the alliance. Our broad international reach is further bolstered by worldwide cooperation partners.



Strong
in CEE.

Brussels office
as a hub.

Close link to the EU institutions.

bpv Huegel offers an international platform for EU matters, with a focus on antitrust / merger control, regulatory and public procurement law, as well as general EU law.

We have been the first Austrian legal firm to open a permanent representation in Brussels, positioning us to address the growing importance to our clients of EU law and the key regulators and government agencies.

Our EU and competition practice is ranked as top tier across the board, working on headline cartel cases, EU and multijurisdictional merger control filings, state aid, competition compliance and regulatory matters.

dual-qualified team

bpv Huegel has been a ground-breaking Austrian law firm in providing high-end national and international tax advice that is integrated with corporate and cross-border transactional work.

Our tax team is one of the largest in Austria. With dual-qualified members acting as

both tax advisors and attorneys at law, our seasoned team offers the full range of tax services, including tax planning, obtaining rulings, assistance in tax audits, tax litigations, arbitration proceedings, evaluation of tax risks, voluntary disclosures with penal waiver effect, fiscal criminal law matters, internal investigations and accounting issues.

integrated advice

Tax matters.

Awarded as
top-tier firm.

Regularly awarded prizes and top positions in international rankings.

The Legal 500

bpv Huegel ranks in the first category for the areas of EU and competition/antitrust, tax and private client and it holds top positions in the core areas of M&A and corporate law, banking and finance, capital markets, corporate succession, administrative law and public sector, dispute resolution/arbitration projects and energy.

Chambers and Partners

In the leading international law directories, Chambers Global and Europe as well as High Net Worth, bpv Huegel has been listed each year since 2010 and rated in 2023 as follows: competition/antitrust and EU (Band 1), M&A and corporate, tax and public law, and private wealth (Band 2) and planning and environment (Band 3).

JUVE Handbook

JUVE Handbook as leading publication for the German and Austrian legal industry, lists bpv Huegel as leading law firm in Austria and emphasizes the areas of competition and antitrust law, M&A and corporate, tax, capital markets and banking, public administrative as well as litigation and arbitration. bpv Huegel was named "Law Firm of the Year 2020 – Austria" and shortlisted for 2023.

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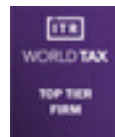
The Guide to the World's Leading Financial Law Firms lists the firm in the areas of M&A, banking and capital markets and has consistently awarded bpv Huegel as a "Top Tier Firm" for many years. bpv Huegel partners are ranked "highly regarded".

The Lawyer

The renowned British magazine honours premier European law firms for their work. bpv Huegel was named "Law Firm of the Year 2018 – Austria" and shortlisted in 2019, 2020 and 2022.

Global Competition Review

The leading international antitrust law journal has listed bpv Huegel in the GCR 100 ranking in the top "Elite" category for many years.



law firm
of the year –
austria

JUVE Award
(2020, 2023)

top 5 Austria
M&A market

league
table

Mergermarket
(2013 – 2023)

law firm
of the year –
austria

The Lawyer European
Awards (2018)

law firm of the
year – antitrust/
competition

Handelsblatt
(2022, 2023)

austria tax firm
of the year

European Tax Awards (2023)

International Tax Review, World Transfer Pricing

bpv Huegel's tax team is listed in the World Tax Ranking on tax controversy Tier 1 and corporate tax as well as transfer pricing Tier 2. The tax practice is regularly nominated and has been awarded at the annual European Tax Awards of the International Tax Review as "Austria Transfer Pricing Firm of the Year" 2018, "Austria Tax Disputes Firm of the Year" 2021 and 2022 as well as "Austria Tax Firm of the Year" 2023.

Mergermarket

With 54 deals and a transaction volume of EUR 18.2 billion, bpv Huegel ranks top five in the 10 yrs (2023) League Table of Mergermarket per value for Austrian M&A transactions.



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