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MOVING

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ABOUT

ACTIVE.
BOLD.
OUTSTANDING.
UNRIVALLED.
TRUSTED.

CHALLENGING MATTERS. SIGNIFICANT TRANSACTIONS. CRITICAL LITIGATION.

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 litigations.

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.

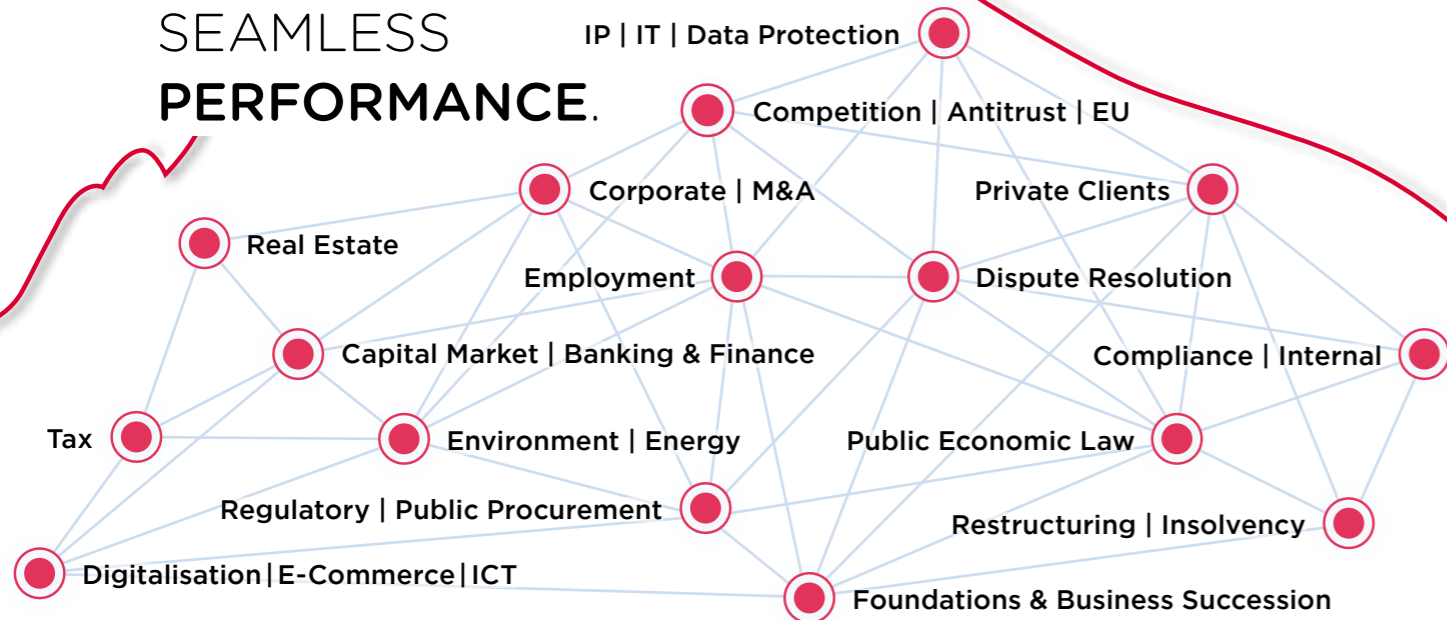
We aim to be the first firm that clients call when they are faced with their most challenging legal issues, bet-the-company business transactions and mission-critical disputes.



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, Banking & Finance, Tax, Competition/Antitrust/EU, Dispute Resolution, Compliance/Internal Investigation, Digitalisation/E-Commerce/ICT,

Real Estate, Employment, Reorganisation, Restructuring/Insolvency, Regulatory/Public Procurement, Public Economic Law, Environment/Energy, IP/IT/Data Protection, Private Clients, 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.

BPV

**STRONG
IN CEE.**

COMPETITION & EU

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 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.

RECOGNITIONS

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 competition, antitrust and European law, and it holds top positions in the core areas of M&A and corporate law, tax law, banking and finance, capital markets law, private clients, corporate succession, public administrative law, litigation and arbitration.

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 2019 as follows: Competition and Antitrust Law/European Law (Band 1), M&A and Corporate Law (Band 2), Tax Law (Band 2), Public Law (Band 3), Environmental Law (Band 3).

**LAW FIRM
OF THE YEAR –
AUSTRIA**

The Lawyer
European
Awards (2018)

**AUSTRIAN
DEAL OF
THE YEAR**

CEE Awards
(2018)

top 3 Austria
M&A market

**LEAGUE
TABLE**

Mergermarket
(2017)

**BPV HUEGEL
RANKS**

top position in terms
of deal volume of
Austrian related
M&A transactions in
Mergermarket M&A
league table 2018

**AUSTRIA TRANSFER
PRICING
FIRM OF THE YEAR**

European Tax Awards (2018)

Mergermarket

With eight deals and a transaction volume of EUR 2,513 billion, bpv Huegel ranked as the fifth firm in the Mergermarket M&A Ranking 2018 for Austrian M&A transactions.

CEE Legal Matters

bpv Huegel received the 2018 „Austrian Deal of the Year“ award for advising Raiffeisen Zentralbank Österreich AG on its merger with listed Raiffeisen Bank International AG.

International Tax Review, World Transfer Pricing

bpv Huegel's tax team is listed in the World Tax Ranking on Corporate Tax and Tax Disputes Tier 2, as well as in World Transfer Pricing. The tax team has been regularly nominated in several award categories at the annual European Tax Awards of the International Tax Review as "Austrian Tax Firm of the Year" and was awarded for "European Capital Markets Tax Deal of the Year 2015" and as "Austria Transfer Pricing Firm of the Year 2018".



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