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Practice Areas

Corporate, Mergers and Acquisitions, Corporate Governance and Disclosure, Corporate Finance, Private Equity and Venture Capital, Regulatory Compliance

Education

University of Paris II Panthéon-Assas (Ph.D. 2000); University of Paris II Panthéon-Assas (Master's Degree DEA, Law Philosophy, 1994); University of Paris II Panthéon-Assas (Master's Degree DEA, Business and Economic Law, 1993)

Bar Admissions

Paris

Muriel Goldberg-Darmon is a partner in the firm's Paris office. With more than 20 years of experience in financial markets and financial services in consulting and litigation, her practice focuses on advising listed companies and their managers, investment funds, insurance companies, and financial institutions on a wide range of regulatory and compliance issues, investigations, and corporate transactions.

Muriel has significant experience in investigation, control, and sanction proceedings before the French financial market authority (AMF) and the Banking Authority (ACPR). She regularly advises on matters requiring international cooperation with foreign regulators, including the Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC) and the Financial Conduct Authority (FCA), as well as on cross-border investigations led by the U.S. Department of Justice, including by the Office of Foreign Assets Control (OFAC) and relating to the Foreign Corrupt Practices Act (FCPA), and any subsequent judicial proceedings.

Her transactional experience includes advising on mergers and acquisitions of publicly listed and non-listed companies, financial market transactions, including tender offers, and squeeze outs, and fund raising, including initial public offerings (IPOs), securities issuances, and initial coin offerings (ICOs), as well as on corporate governance, activism, and financial communications matters.

Muriel has been recognized by *The Legal 500* as a Leading Individual for Stock Market Litigation - AMF Regulatory and is recommended in its Compliance and Stock Market Litigation categories. According to *The Legal 500*, Muriel 'has perfect knowledge of technical and negotiating tools' and is 'extremely reliable, dedicated, efficient and creative.' She has also been recognized by *The Best Lawyers in France* in the Financial Institutions and Regulatory Practice categories.

Prior to joining Cohen & Gresser, Muriel was a partner at Dentons (formerly Salans) and then at DLA Piper in Paris. Muriel holds a Ph.D. on the legal aspects of initial public offerings, and she holds Master's degrees (DEA) from the University of Paris II Panthéon-Assas in law philosophy and in business and economic law. Muriel is a lecturer at HEC in Paris regarding investigation, control, and sanction proceedings before the AMF. She is fluent in French and English.

Activities and Affiliations

Board Member, UN Women French National Committee

Leader of the French Chapter and co-leader of the European Chapter, Women's White Collar Defense Association

Member, Financial Law Committee of Paris Europlace

Member, Board of Directors of the French Securities Lawyers Association (ADB)

Member, Cercle des Administrateurs (CdA)