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Practice Areas

White Collar Defense and Regulation,
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Education

New York University School of Law
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Bar Admissions

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Vincent Desry is a partner in Cohen & Gresser's Paris office.

His practice focuses on white-collar criminal law, general criminal law, and civil and commercial litigation, with deep experience in cross-border cases.

Vincent advises and defends corporate entities, public figures, and executives in high-profile political-financial cases as well as in complex business and financial matters. He is acting for French and international clients.

Vincent has extensive experience in criminal cases involving fraud, money laundering, bribery, tax fraud, misuse of corporate assets, and embezzlement. He intervenes at all stages of proceedings (complaint filing, investigation, trial, enforcement of sentences, international assistance). He has developed specialized experience in contesting criminal seizures and foreign forfeiture enforcement requests.

Vincent has represented clients in several landmark French criminal cases, most recently serving as trial counsel for former President Nicolas Sarkozy in the so-called "Bygmalion" case.

He also regularly intervenes in civil and commercial cases (the pre-litigation period, *in futurum* investigative measures, proceedings on the merits, civil *exequatur*, civil conservatory measures).

Vincent has been recognized by *The Legal 500* for his exceptional work in white-collar crime.

Prior to joining Cohen & Gresser, Vincent worked at Temime and interned at Allen & Overy (Paris) and Dupond-Moretti & Vey.

Admitted to the Paris and New York State Bars, Vincent holds a Master's degree in Economic Law from the Institut d'Études Politiques de Paris (Sciences Po), specializing in Economic Litigation and Arbitration, and an LL.M. from New York University School of Law.

Vincent is fluent in French and in English.