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Eda Demirel focuses on the design and implementation of complex international corporate reorganizations, often triggered by a merger, carve-out/ spin-off, legal entity rationalization or regulatory change.

She works closely with our global tax group to help in designing and implementing reorganizations that achieve business objectives while optimizing global tax efficiency. By working closely with multidisciplinary teams from across the firm, Eda ensures the optimal delivery of our clients' long term objectives in a cost-effective and efficient way.

Eda is a German qualified corporate lawyer admitted with the New York Bar (US) and Senior Court of England and Wales.

RELATED SERVICES

- Corporate
- Restructuring

LANGUAGES SPOKEN

English French
German Turkish

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- English
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EXPERIENCE

- Advising global food processing and commodities trading corporation on optimizing its organizational structure in more than 30 jurisdictions
- Advising leading US business consulting and software development company on several post-merger integrations involving on average more than 30 jurisdictions
- Advising US multi-national energy corporation on its post-merger integration involving more than 40 jurisdictions
- Advising leading German automotive corporation on its cash repatriation to help restructure business operations involving more than 50 jurisdictions

- Advising US-based global science based products and services company on its business consolidations involving more than 40 jurisdictions
- Advising Major US-based multi-national oil and gas corporation on its business optimisation structure involving more than 30 jurisdictions
- Advising leading global food company on its post-merger integration involving more than 40 jurisdictions
- Advising global packaging company on improving their company's operating efficiencies and cost structure involving more than 40 jurisdictions
- Advising world's largest package delivery company on its business optimization structure involving more than 30 jurisdictions

CREDENTIALS

Admissions

- England & Wales
- New York

Professional Qualifications

- Solicitor of the Senior Courts of England and Wales
- Attorney-at-law admitted with the Supreme Court of New York

Prior Experience

- DLA Piper, Global Co-Head, International Corporate Reorganisations practice, 2017 - present
- Big Four professional service firm, Global Law Management, Associate Director 2011-2017
- Magic Circle Firm, Regulatory, Head of Product Regulation Unit, 2009-2011
- Leading German Firm, Corporate, Senior Associate, 2008-2009
- US Law Firm (allied with Big Four professional service firm), Corporate, Associate, 2000-2006

Education

- IIT - Chicago Kent College of Law: LL.M. in International and Comparative Law
- Universität zu Köln, Faculty of Law, Cologne, Germany: Juris Doctor

INSIGHTS

Publications

Corporate reorganizations in the US: five key steps

24 JUL 2018

Corporate reorganizations can be complex and time-consuming. Here are five key tips to consider, taken from our US chapter of *Corporate Reorganisations*, part of the popular "Getting the Deal Through" Q&A comparative series.

International tax landscape

10 MAY 2018

As measures implemented by countries to address base erosion and profit shifting (BEPS) concerns come into effect, it is a

good time to recognize that tax is entering the boardrooms of multinationals globally. The fact that the US has also chosen this time to implement a historic tax reform that shifts fundamentally the dynamics of international tax competition only adds to the complexity of the changing global tax landscape.

International tax issues to watch

10 MAY 2018

In our last alert we outlined some of the international tax themes that are shaping the environment for corporate reorganizations in 2018. Below, we discuss just a few of the ways in which these themes will directly impact on corporate structures.
