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Iñigo Gomez-Jordana has over 25 years' experience advising on capital markets transactions, including debt and equity, and in corporate finance and corporate transactions, especially in cross-border mergers and acquisitions and in numerous public take-overs.

His practice is broad-based within the area of commercial/finance law.

LANGUAGES SPOKEN

- English
- French
- Spanish

EXPERIENCE

- Atlantia on the 16.3 billion authorised takeover of Abertis Infraestructuras S.A. (ongoing)
- Natixis on the 990 million takeover of Saeta Yield
- Sacyr on its 1.571 billion project bond issue for the Pedemontana-Veneta road project, November 2017
- BNP Paribas, Citi, JP Morgan, Nomura, SG in the structured facility agreement of euros 995 million to DORNA-Moto GP, 2017
- Iberdrola in its acquisition of 50 percent of Vineyard Wind (Mass, USA) from CIP, 2017
- Lone Star on its acquisition of Novo Banco, March 2017
- Gamesa on its integration with Siemens, 2016-2017
- Banco Santander on its 32 billion EMTN programme, June 2016
- ICO on its 50.000 billion EMTN programme, October 2015

Prior to 2016 Iñigo has led some of the largest cross-border M&A and finance deals in Spain, including the Imperial Tobacco-Altadis 14 billion takeover, the Iberdrola-Scottish Power 17 billion acquisition through a Scheme of Arrangement, the merger negotiations between BA and Iberia, the Amadeus takeover, the financing of the Gas Natural-Union Fenosa takeover, the IPO of

RELATED SERVICES

- Corporate
- Capital Markets
- Mergers and Acquisitions

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Logista, and Iberdrola Renovables, the global Liability Programme of Banco Santander, the securitization of the Spanish Stranded Nuclear Costs and Transition to Competition Costs.

CREDENTIALS

Professional Qualifications

- Abogado registered with Ilustre Colegio de Abogados de Madrid, 1985

Prior Experience

Before joining DLA Piper in 2014, Iñigo was Managing Partner and Senior Partner in Spain of a 'magic circle' law firm for over a decade. Prior to that, he was a partner since 1994 of another 'magic circle' law firm based in Madrid.

Recognitions

Iñigo is recognised as a leading lawyer in Corporate/M&A, Capital Markets and Banking by the legal directories *Chambers* and *Legal 500*.

In 2018, *Legal 500* named Iñigo to its Hall of Fame, which highlights individuals who have received constant praise by their clients for continued excellence and who are at the pinnacle of the profession. Additionally, he has been ranked for seven years in a row as one of the best lawyers in Spain in the area of Capital Markets by *Legal 500*.

Iñigo receives praise for his "knowledge of the market and the regulations" along with his "accessibility and full availability."

Clients say: "He is a superb lawyer and great negotiator, with excellent communication skills and a deep understanding of client needs." "He is very accurate and we know that he's an expert on our matters. He's always at our disposal to do whatever we ask and works quickly."

Education

- Law Degree, Complutense University of Madrid, 1985
- Master (M.A.), International Relations, New York University, 1986
- Master of Laws (LL.M.), London School of Economics and Political Science, 1987
- Doctorate studies in Laws, 1992

Memberships

- Member, Madrid BAR Association

Professor

He is a professor of Corporate Law at Universidad Complutense de Madrid and is author of various research publications.

INSIGHTS

Publications

BOOKS

- Chapter in *Estudios Jurídicos sobre derivados financieros*.
'Los contratos de productos financieros derivados: Caps, floors, collars'; Alonso Ledesma, C.; Alonso Ureba, A. (dirs.). Civitas, 2013. Págs. 439-470. November 2013

- Article published in *Revista de Derecho Bancario y Bursátil*
RDBB N° 129-Banking and Capital Markets Specialized Publication
N° 129 El Rating como Contrato (The rating as a contract) January - March 2013
- Article *A&O E-Alert*: 'La Aplicación por el FROB de los instrumentos de resolución como medidas de saneamiento' en la Ley 9/2012. (Application by the FROB -Spanish Bank Restructuring Fund- of Resolution tools as Reorganisation Measures in Act 9/2012) - March 2013

PRESS

- 'Five years after Lehman' ('Cinco años después de Lehman') - *Expansión*, 5 September 2013
- 'In the Salzburg global seminar: going back to the Spain's image' ('En el seminario global de Salzburgo: a vueltas con la imagen de España') - *Expansión*, 27 August 2012, page 31
- 'The so-called 'bailout' ('El mal llamado "rescate") - *Expansión*, 12 June 2012, page 62
- 'Cleaning of the financial sector: third act' ('Saneamiento del sector financiero: tercer acto') - *Expansión*, 12 May 2012, page 47
- 'Rato, the coherent way out' ('Rato, la salida coherente') - *Expansión*, 8 May 2012, page 62
- 'The new financing options available over the horizon' - *Iberian Lawyer*, November-December 2011, page 21