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András Posztl has extensive experience in international and domestic mergers and acquisitions, public equity and private equity work. He works with international and Hungarian corporates and institutions, as well as with family-owned companies, particularly in the Energy and Media sectors.

He is leading the Mergermarket rankings for Hungary, for the volume of transactions he has been involved between 2005 and 2018.

András Posztl is the Country Managing Partner of DLA Piper Hungary.

LANGUAGES SPOKEN

- Hungarian
- German
- English

CREDENTIALS

Professional Qualifications

- Lawyer (Ügyvéd) admitted to the Budapest Bar Association (Budapesti Ügyvédi Kamara)

Recognitions

- András Posztl is “very bright, energetic and someone you want to have on your side.” Clients highlight his ability to “really synthesise law and business into a practically applicable idea.”
Chambers Global, 2020
- András Posztl is regarded as a “great lawyer and strong leader.” He has broad experience advising on high-profile transactions in the field of energy. A client describes him “extremely prepared and available.”

RELATED SERVICES

- Corporate
- Mergers and Acquisitions

RELATED SECTORS

- Media, Sport and Entertainment
- Energy and Natural Resources

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Chambers Europe, 2018

- New to the top band, András Posztl is applauded for taking the business and legal needs of clients into consideration: “He provides concise and swift advice tailored to our needs, in a proactive manner.” He supports clients on complex corporate, financing and other commercial transactions, recently assisting the frozen bakery company Aryzta with their acquisition of bakery franchise Fornetti Group.

Chambers Europe, 2017

- András Posztl has experience of large-scale public and private transactions, advising prominent sellers and buyers with a “personable, relaxed, can-do style.” Recently, he assisted Blackstone with the Hungarian aspects of a pan-European logistics asset portfolio acquisition.

Chambers Europe, 2016

Education

- EU and competition law studies, Universität Trier, Germany, 1994
- J.D., Eötvös Loránd University, Budapest, Faculty of Law, 1989-1994 summa cum laude

Rankings & Awards

- *Mergermarket*, based on the volume of M&A deals 2005-19, (Team): #1
- *Mergermarket*, based on the volume of M&A deals 2005-19, Individual Ranking: #1
- *Chambers Global*, 2019-20, Corporate M&A, Individual Rankings: Band 1
- *Chambers Global*, 2020, Corporate and Disputes, (Team): Band 2
- *Chambers Global*, 2019, Corporate M&A, (Team): Band 1
- *Chambers Europe*, 2017-19, Corporate M&A, Individual Rankings: Band 1
- *Chambers Europe*, 2013-20, Corporate M&A, (Team): Band 1
- *Chambers Global*, 2017-19, Corporate M&A, Individual Rankings: Band 1
- *Legal500*, 2008-20, Commercial, Corporate M&A, (Team): Tier 1
- *Legal500*, 2019-20, Corporate M&A, (Individual Rankings): Leading Individual
- *IFLR1000*, 2018-19, M&A, Individual Rankings: Highly Regarded/Market Leader
- *IFLR1000*, 2018-19, M&A, (Team): Tier 1
- *IFLR1000*, 2018-19, Energy, Government and public policy, Individual Rankings: Highly Regarded/Market Leader
- *Wolters Kluwer Lawyer Awards*, M&A Law Firm of the Year, 2016, (Team)
- *Wolters Kluwer Legal Award*, Team of the year - competition law and M&A, 2018 (Team)
- *Legal500*, 2015-19, Projects and Energy (Team): Tier 1

INSIGHTS

Publications

- Author: Central and Eastern Europe - Against the current?
- Author: M&A Outlook, International Mergers & Acquisitions Review Euromoney Yearbooks, 2008, 2009
- Author: Central and Easter Europe - M&A market, Always in competition, International Mergers & Acquisitions Review Euromoney Yearbooks, 2006, 2007
- Co-Author: Hungarian Chapter on Acquisitions in Europe - The art of acquisitions, 2005