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David Carthy has significant international experience in the Technology, Life Sciences, Healthcare and Financial Services sectors. He focuses on corporate legal work (both public and private) and on multinational/foreign direct investment in particular.

David works for many Irish and international clients particularly from the US, UK, Canada and India, and is qualified as an attorney at the New York Bar and a solicitor in both England and Ireland. He was ranked as a 'Leading Lawyer' in the IFLR 1000 2017 edition.

He is the Country Managing Partner of DLA Piper in Ireland.

- Corporate
- Private Equity
- Capital Markets
- Mergers and Acquisitions
- Finance
- Emerging Growth and Venture Capital

- Life Sciences
- Technology
- Financial Services

- Acting for a leading pharmaceutical technology corporation on its redomiciliation to move its corporate domicile to Ireland.
- Acting for an American university medical centre on its majority stake acquisition and sale of a hospital.
- Acting for an Ireland-based pharmaceutical company on its USD135 million disposal to a healthcare company.
- Acting for leading financial institutions on the reorganisation of existing US business and the establishment of an Ireland licensed bank.
- Acting for an American biotechnology company on its acquisition of biologics manufacturing facility in Cork, Ireland.
- Acting for a leading US high-tech commercial bank on its financing investments in various Irish companies.
- Acting for an international video game developer on restructuring to domicile in Ireland and its USD7.2 billion IPO on the New York Stock Exchange.
- Acting for a leading American bank holding company US Bancorp on its acquisition of a European-based affiliate.
- Acting for a technology company client on a company acquisition its acquisition of Saaspoint Limited.

CREDENTIALS

Education

- University of Chicago, LLM, 1995
- Trinity College Dublin, LLB, 1994

Professional Qualifications

- Solicitor regulated by the Law Society of Ireland
- Attorney-at-law admitted with the Supreme Court of New York
- Solicitor of the Senior Courts of England and Wales

INSIGHTS

Publications

Corporate in Ireland

15 February 2022

DLA Piper is the leading global law firm in Ireland and is the number one M&A firm in the world, having advised on more transactions than anyone else in each of the last eleven years.

Events

Previous

Brexit - the Final Deal

5 January 2021

NEWS

- *Interview: The billion-euro cultural revolution changing the legal landscape*

This interview was originally published in The Sunday Independent (Ireland), on April 18 2021. In the interview, David Carthy (Managing Partner) discusses the journey to becoming Ireland's fastest growing law firm. He describes the many opportunities and challenges that have made the journey so rewarding. You can read the full interview [here](#).

DLA Piper signs new office lease for 40 Molesworth Street to support expansion in Ireland

3 August 2021

Global law firm DLA Piper continues its Irish expansion with the announcement of a move to 40 Molesworth Street, Dublin 2. Located on the corner of Molesworth Street and Dawson Street, the new office comprises approx. 30,000 sq ft of highly specified office space over six floors and will accommodate DLA Piper's growing headcount, which stands at more than 75 people.

DLA Piper Ireland recruits first team of trainees as part of International Graduate Programme

4 January 2021

DLA Piper announces the recruitment of trainees to its Dublin office, the first intake as part of the firm's International Graduate Programme, announced last January.
