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François Tremblay has a commercial and corporate law practice with a focus on integrity compliance matters and corporate governance. In addition to French and English, François is fluent in Japanese and has advised clients on integrity compliance matters in the public and private sector both in Canada and in Japan.

François has developed specialized expertise in matters of integrity and compliance. He has had the opportunity to act in important matters in Africa, the Middle East, and Japan in which he assisted clients in reviewing, updating and drafting integrity compliance programs as well as in conducting internal investigations. He has also advised Canadian clients, both in the public and private sector, on matters of ethics and compliance and on procurement processes.

François advises Canadian clients on commercial and corporate law as well as acquisitions, and has also acted in matters of commercial litigation at all levels of court in the province of Quebec.

François has always had a keen interest for international matters, especially for the Asia Pacific region. Before his legal career, he obtained a B.A. in international studies, with a minor in Japanese studies, in 2006. This led him to live in Japan for several years and work as a teacher, translator, interpreter, and consultant.

- Corporate
- Litigation, Arbitration and Investigations
- International Trade, Regulatory and Government Affairs
- Class Actions

English French
Japanese

LANGUAGES SPOKEN

- English
- French
- Japanese

Admissions

- Quebec, 2016

Education

- LL.B, (Dean's List) Université Laval, 2015
- B.A., Université Laval, 2006

Memberships

- Barreau du Québec

Community Involvement

- Volunteer work as referee and interpreter in events held by the Canadian Kendo Federation and International Kendo Federation, 2016-present
- Board member of the JET Programme Alumni Association Quebec-Atlantic, 2017-2018

INSIGHTS

Publications

The COVID-19 crisis and commercial leases in Quebec

14 APR 2020

For the many enterprises which are party to commercial lease agreements, the COVID-19 crisis has brought a great degree of uncertainty for landlords and tenants alike. The following update explores some of the implications of the COVID-19 crisis on commercial leases in the province of Quebec and provides some practical recommendations for businesses in this unusual situation.

- Co-Author, "Lorsque le temps est l'ennemi de la justice : les fondements et les origines de la prescription extinctive des droits personnels", *Revue de droit de l'Université de Sherbrooke*, Volume 47, No. 3, pp. 575-608, 2016.

NEWS

DLA Piper Canada significantly expands Startups, Emerging Companies and Technology practice

16 MAR 2020

With the addition of six new lawyers to our Vancouver office since the beginning of 2020, DLA Piper Canada has significantly expanded upon its capabilities in the Startups, Emerging Companies and Technology practice.
