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Marc Van de Looverbosch advises and resolves disputes for financial institutions, corporates and governments. His practice revolves around all aspects of financial law.

Marc is the founder of Crypto Case Law, a website devoted to presenting major legal cases in the crypto-assets sphere from around the world in a bite-size format.

He is also a PhD researcher at KU Leuven (Belgium), Europe's most innovative university according to Reuters. His research is about good faith acquisition of financial assets.

LANGUAGES SPOKEN

- English
- Dutch
- French

- Banking and Finance Litigation

- Financial Services

English Dutch French

Professional Qualifications

- Advocaat registered with the Orde van Advocaten te Antwerpen

Prior Experience

- 2015-18, Associate, Brussels office of an international law firm

Recognitions

- CREG Award, 2015

Education

- University of Antwerp, LLM, magna cum laude, 2015
- KU Leuven, LLB, cum laude, 2013

Memberships

- Member of the Bar of the Province of Antwerp
- Founding editor of Distributed Ledger Law

Additional Qualifications

- University lecturer at KU Leuven

INSIGHTS

Publications

New Belgian Anti-Money Laundering Act (AMLD5)

12 August 2020

On 5 August 2020, an Act implementing the fifth anti-money laundering Directive (AMLD5) into Belgian law was published in the Belgian State Gazette. The AMLD5 Act will generally enter into force on 15 August 2020, amending the 18 September 2017 Belgian Act on the prevention of money laundering, terrorist financing and restriction on use of cash.

Draft AMLD5 bill introduced in Parliament

23 June 2020

On 8 June 2020, a long-awaited draft bill was introduced in Parliament to implement the fifth anti-money laundering Directive (AMLD5) into Belgian law. AMLD5 should have been implemented in Belgian law five months ago; the transposition deadline lapsed on 10 January 2020.

Journal articles

- Vandebussche, W., Van de Looverbosch, M. (2020). Het nieuwe ondernemingsbewijsrecht. DAOR: Le Droit des Affaires / het Ondernemingsrecht, (133), 14-29
- Van de Looverbosch, M. (2018). Crypto-effecten: Tussen droom en daad. TRV/RPS, 18 (3), 193-207
- Houben, R., Van de Looverbosch, M. (2017). Belgian Act on In Rem Security Interests in Movable Assets. International Company and Commercial Law Review, 28 (10), N67-N69

Book chapters

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- Berger, P., Liebaert, S., Van de Looverbosch, M. (2019). Belgium. In: T. Frick (Eds.), The Financial Technology Law Review. Second Edition, Chapt. 4, (35-48). (The Law Reviews). London: Law Business Research Ltd

Internet publications

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- Van de Looverbosch, M. (2020). Bitcoin Case Law: Recent Judgements from France and England
- Van de Looverbosch, M. (2020). FinTech, Governance and Sustainability: Legal Obstacles and Regulatory Challenges
- Van de Looverbosch, M. (2020). Verkrijging te goeder trouw van financiële activa
- Van de Looverbosch, M. (2019). Cash pooling: 7 tips om bestuurdersaansprakelijkheid te vermijden
- Van de Looverbosch, M. (2019). Cash pooling voor beginners
- Van de Looverbosch, M. (2019). Trigonometry For Lawyers
- Van de Looverbosch, M. (2019). ECB Uncovers Philosopher's Stone
- Van de Looverbosch, M. (2019). Luxembourg joins Cryptosecurities Club
- Van de Looverbosch, M. (2019). Taming the Intangible: MtGox Judgment Translated into English
- Van de Looverbosch, M. (2018). Het hervormde ondernemingsbewijsrecht
- Van de Looverbosch, M. (2018). Launch of CryptoSecurities.eu research project
- Van de Looverbosch, M. (2018). Classifying Cryptosecurities
- Van de Looverbosch, M. (2018). Crypto-effecten: van badmeester tot bouwmeester
- Van de Looverbosch, M. (2018). DEEP Securities

Book Reviews

- Van de Looverbosch, M. (2020). Blockchains, Smart Contracts, Decentralised Autonomous Organisations and the Law (book review). Tijdschrift voor Privaatrecht

Events

- Van de Looverbosch, M. (2020). Transfer of Ownership of Crypto-assets. Presented at the FinTech, Governance and Sustainability: Legal Obstacles and Regulatory Challenges, Leuven, 08 Apr 2020
- Van de Looverbosch, M. (2020). Transfer of Ownership of Crypto-assets. Presented at FinTech, Governance and Sustainability: Legal Obstacles and Regulatory Challenges, London, 29 May 2020
- Van de Looverbosch, M. (2020). Bezit, geld, titel: verkrijging te goeder trouw van financiële activa. Presented at the Eerste doctoraatsseminarie Marc Van de Looverbosch, Leuven, 31 Mar 2020
- Van de Looverbosch, M. (2020). Bezit, geld, titel: verkrijging te goeder trouw van financiële activa. Presented at the Eerste doctoraatsseminarie Marc Van de Looverbosch, Leuven, 25 Mar 2020
- Van de Looverbosch, M. (2020). Virtual currencies under AMLD5. Presented at 5th AMLD: Impacts and Opportunities. Brussels, Belgium, 20 February 2020
- Vandebussche, W., Van de Looverbosch, M. (2018). Het nieuwe ondernemingsbewijsrecht. Presented at the Het nieuwe ondernemingsrecht, Tiensestraat 41, 3000 Leuven, Belgium