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Practice: M&A & Corporate Governance

Industry: Real Estate; Industrial

Rita joined the Firm as a Partner in 2026. Prior to joining the Firm, she spent more than 26 years practising at leading U.S. law firms.

Rita has extensive experience in mergers and acquisitions, general corporate matters and commercial transactions. For more than a decade, her practice has focused on the real estate sector, with particular emphasis on the hospitality, living, retail and office asset classes. She also has significant experience in the construction industry, having advised on numerous development and redevelopment projects.

She advises primarily international clients on the structuring and negotiation of M&A transactions, real estate acquisitions and disposals, construction and services agreements, lease agreements and hospitality-related transactions. Her experience spans the entire real estate investment lifecycle, from acquisition and development through to asset management and exit.

Internationally, Rita is recognised by Thomson Reuters as a Stand-out Lawyer. She is also ranked by The Legal 500 as a Recommended Lawyer in Real Estate and Construction, having previously been recognised as a Next Generation Partner in the same practice area.

Membership in Professional Associations

Member of the Milan Bar Association, 2002;
Member of the New York Bar, 2003.

Education

Law Degree (cum laude), University of Milan, 1998;
LL.M. in Corporate Law, New York University School of Law, Fulbright Scholar, 2003.

Languages

Italian, English and French.

Academic Activities and other information

Rita is a regular speaker at national and international conferences and seminars on real estate and construction law. She also serves as a speaker and moderator at industry events focusing on the real estate and hospitality sectors.

Articles and publications

Rita is the author of articles and publications on key developments in the real estate and construction sectors, including contributions published on Lexology. Her publications cover digital transformation, technological innovation in the real estate and construction industries, proptech, document management, and the sustainable development of real estate assets.