

Camilla Wollan

Partner, Country Managing Partner



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Camilla Wollan works in the finance space and specialises in financial regulation and technology. Her expertise lies in the provision of services within the lending, payment, insurance and securities sectors in the Norwegian market, also comprising the IT systems part. Camilla has, as part of an international law firm, particular focus on cross-border financial services and products within the EU/EEA. She assists IT companies, banks, insurance undertakings and investment firms, payment and e-money institutions, along with startups in Norway, as well as international players with a Norwegian business focus.

Camilla leads DLA Piper's initiative in financial technology and has since 2016 been working on the development of new concepts and digital business models through TheFactory, a Norwegian innovation arena and in other accelerator environments. Camilla has closely followed the development of new sectors such as crowd funding, crypto and digital assets closely through her work. She has extensive experience in the development of new business models within the finance sector.

Camilla has core expertise on the requirements that are imposed on regulated entities, product and service requirements, ICT regulations, outsourcing, compliance, etc. As part of her practice she has been seconded to several banks and has practical experience in the implementation of new regulations and leading large projects for clients. She is, together with Eilin Schjetne, CEO at EedenBull, leader for a networking and expert group for banking services under the JUC umbrella, a professional forum that addresses changes in the finance sector and practical solutions for these.

Credentials

Education	University of Bergen, Cand. jur.	1998
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Memberships	Member of The Norwegian Bar Association Member of steering group in Oslo Blockchain Cluster Leader of Network for the group Future Banks
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Experience

Prior experience	Country Managing Partner, DLA Piper Norway	2024 -
	Partner, DLA Piper Norway	2019 -
	Associate Partner, DLA Piper Norway	2012 - 2019
	Lead Lawyer, DLA Piper Norway	2010 - 2012
	Legal Counsel, SpareBank 1 Markets AS	2009 - 2010
	Lawyer, Nordic Trustee ASA, Oslo	2008 - 2009
	Legal Counsel, Kaupthing Bank	2007 - 2008
	Attorney, Thommessen	2001 - 2007
	Trainee, Storebrand	1999 - 2001

Rankings

The Legal 500, 2024 Camilla is recommended for *Insurance and Banking and finance* by The Legal 500, 2024.



Chambers & Partners Europe, 2024 Camilla Wollan assists fintech and startup companies with financial regulatory compliance topics, as well as application processes with the Norwegian Financial Supervisory Authority. One client says:



"Camilla Wollan has broad experience within the various aspects of Norwegian capital markets and finance legislation."

Chambers FinTech, 2024 Camilla Wollan is attentive, extremely intelligent, and knows her stuff when it comes to FinTech, banking, and regulatory frameworks. She never ceases to impress. A true star of the legal FinTech world.



Ranked in Band 1.

The Legal 500, 2023 Camilla is recommended for *Insurance and Banking and finance* by The Legal 500, 2023.



Chambers FinTech, 2023 Camilla Wollan has a strong reputation in financial regulation. She often works with FinTech startups and advises on new business models and products.



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The Legal 500, 2022 *'Camilla Wollan has great knowledge and insight into the regulatory framework and a practical understanding of the financial sector. She is highly capable and experienced. She provides swift and accurate advice and is highly recommendable.'*



Camilla is recommended for *Insurance and Banking and finance* by The Legal 500, 2022.

Chambers Fintech, 2022	<p>Camilla Wollan has a strong reputation built on her deep expertise in financial regulation. Wollan is dedicated to the Norwegian startup community and acts as a mentor in TheFactory accelerator programme, of which DLA Piper is legal partner. A source notes: "She's very commercial, solution-oriented and has a good strategic mindset." Another interviewee enthuses: "Camilla is a joy to work with. She's very knowledgeable and takes a very pragmatic approach."</p> <p>Ranked in Band 1.</p>	
Chambers & Partners Europe, 2022	<p>Camilla Wollan advises banks and other financial institutions on regulatory issues. "She is dedicated and results-oriented. In short, Camilla gets the job done," a client says.</p> <p>Banking & Finance: Regulatory</p>	
The Legal 500, 2021	<p>Camilla is recommended for <i>Insurance and Banking and finance</i> by The Legal 500, 2021.</p>	
Chambers & Partners Europe, 2021	<p>Camilla Wollan advises banking and financial institutions on regulatory issues, with clients highlighting her notable experience.</p>	
Chambers FinTech, 2021	<p>Camilla Wollan has a strong reputation built on her deep expertise in financial regulation. Wollan is dedicated to the Norwegian startup community and acts as a mentor in TheFactory accelerator programme, of which DLA Piper is legal partner. Sources say: "<i>She is extremely active, and is connected with many accelerators and many of the startups there.</i>"</p>	
The Legal 500, 2020	<p>Recommended for <i>Banking and finance</i> by The Legal 500, 2020.</p>	
Chambers & Partners Europe, 2020	<p>Camilla Wollan advises banking and financial institutions on regulatory issues connected to their business operations, including establishing start-ups and new financial products. One client describes her as an "excellent lawyer who is very quick to respond and has excellent market knowledge."</p>	
Chambers FinTech, 2020	<p>Partner Camilla Wollan has a strong reputation built on her deep expertise in financial regulation. Camilla is dedicated to the Norwegian startup community and acts as a mentor in</p>	

TheFactory accelerator programme, of which DLA Piper is legal partner. Sources praise Camilla for "being curious and wanting to learn," adding that "she has a strong presence in the FinTech community."

Chambers & Partners, 2019 "Up-and-coming Camilla Wollan focuses her practice on regulatory and compliance assistance, and draws praise for her "high technical interest in cryptocurrencies and fintech." Clients include traditional banking institutions and cutting-edge startups."



Chambers & Partners Europe, 2018 "Up-and-coming Camilla Wollan has a focus on regulatory and compliance issues relating to financial transactions. She receives plaudits for her work on complex transactions, with clients praising her responsiveness: "I know that she knows exactly what the matter is about and more importantly, what we need." Another source appreciates her management skills, stating that "she co-ordinates work internally with the team very well" and has "a confident level of oversight."



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