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Corporate and M&A

Family Business

Jennifer Soria Diaz is a principal associate in the Corporate/Commercial Law department and has practiced at the Firm since 2004. Specialized in Corporate/Commercial Law, specifically advising commercial companies and cooperatives on corporate restructuring processes (mergers, spin-offs, etc.) at both domestic and international level, acquisitions, joint ventures, commercial contracts and corporate law, being member of several Boards of Directors as Vicesecretary non director. She is also specialized in Cooperative Law providing recurring advice on Cooperative Law to several cooperative groups, in Mediation in Civil and Commercial Matters and Compliance.

Experience

Jennifer Soria Diaz is a principal associate in the Corporate/Commercial Law department since 2014.

She provides services in Corporate/Commercial Law, advising commercial companies and cooperatives groups. Regarding M&A services she has participated in sale and purchase transactions, as well as in business reorganizations of commercial companies and cooperatives at both domestic and international level (cross-border mergers).

Regarding cooperative law, Jennifer provides, among others, recurrent services for the Secretary of the Board of Directors, advice on the incorporation and operation of its corporate bodies, regulatory amendments, cooperative business restructuring (transformation, spin-off, merger, conversion into or from cooperatives, incorporation and supression of Sections, etc.), inter-cooperative relations (of the cooperative with the Corporation or second degree cooperative to which it is adhered, of the cooperative with its members, etc.). Likewise, she has provided advice in the elaboration of proposals and amendments to regulations with an impact on the Social Economy sector.

Excelent command of Spanish and English.

Academic background

- Degree in Law, Universidad del País Vasco.
- Master's Degree in Legal Counseling for Businesses (LLM), Centro de Estudios Garrigues (Madrid).
- Fundamentals of American Law and the Common Law Methodology course (Centro de Estudios Garrigues in collaboration with the European Legal Studies Center of Columbia Law).
- Course on Mediation in Civil and Commercial Matters.
- Executive Program in Women's Leadership (IESE).
- Specialisation programme in Compliance at the Instituto de Estudios Bursátiles (IEB).
- CESCOM® Compliance Certification.
- Internationally Certified Compliance Professional, recognised by the International Federation of Compliance Associations (IFCA).

Teaching activity

Regular speaker at seminars organized by the Asociación de Empresas de Gipuzkoa (Adegi) about commercial and contractual aspects.

Recurrent collaboration in various entrepreneurship and industrial acceleration programs (Debegesa).

Memberships

- Gipuzkoa Bar Association.
- Basque Association of Mediation.
- Several Boards of Directors as Secretary non director.
- ASPEGI (Asociación de Profesionales y Empresarias de Gipuzkoa).

Distinctions

Finalist of the IV edition "Premio Jóvenes Juristas" issued by Universidad de Navarra - Fundación Garrigues (2004).

Award of scholarship for the course Fundamentals of American Law and the Common Law Methodology course - 2009/2010 (Centro de Estudios Garrigues in collaboration with the European Legal Studies Center of Columbia Law).