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PRACTICE GROUPS

- › **Construction and architects' law**
- › **Insurance law**

SECTOR GROUPS

- › **Airports**

EXPERTISE

- Plant engineering law
- Construction contracts
- Insurance law
- Real estate law

Dr von Rintelen advises on all questions concerning the construction and operation of attachment and real estate, from planning contracts, competitions and tenders for financing and construction contract drafting to insurance, contracting, lease contracts and finally sale. As a former appeal lawyer (Berufungsanwalt), he has substantial experience in conducting legal proceedings. A further key practice area is the provision of advice on major damage claims, in particular the enforcement of claims arising from insurance contracts.

What others say

„ Recommended lawyer for construction law and for project development “

Legal 500 Germany 2021

„ Lawyer of the year for construction law (Hamburg) “

Handelsblatt/Best Lawyers® "Germany's Best Lawyers 2019"

„ One of the most frequently recommended lawyers for construction law “

Handelsblatt/Best Lawyers® "Germany's Best Lawyers 2020"

Recent work

- Project advice on airport terminal new builds in Düsseldorf and Budapest as well as Berlin (contracting, insurance law)
- Project advice here only for offshore wind park projects with investments up to €1.2bn
- Advising public principals on individual project procurements e.g. schools, hospitals, broadcasting house etc.
- General contractor or general developer projects for principals and contractors including leasing and PPP
- Contract and Corporate law advice as well as due diligence on real estate transactions (asset deals, share deals, portfolio sales)
- Complex construction- and insurance processes/arbitral proceedings up to by € 500m

Curriculum vitae

- Studied law at the Universities of Passau and Bonn, 1981 to 1986
- Research assistant at the University of Bonn in insolvency law (Prof. Dr Walter Gerhard), 1987
- PhD in Collateral security law, 1990 to 1994
- Lawyer (Rechtsanwalt) since 1990, at Kapellmann since 1995, partner since 2000

Further qualifications and memberships

- Co-Author of three standard works on private construction law
- Co-Author of major commentaries and the insurance law handbook for engineering insurance, public liability insurance, architects' liability insurance and insurance procedures
- Author of numerous essays and annotations
- Seminars on contract procurement in the utilities sector, contract drafting in construction law, liability and insurance in construction, contracting, lecturer at specialised lawyer training courses
- Specialised lawyer for construction law and architects' law since its introduction
- Member of Forum Contracting