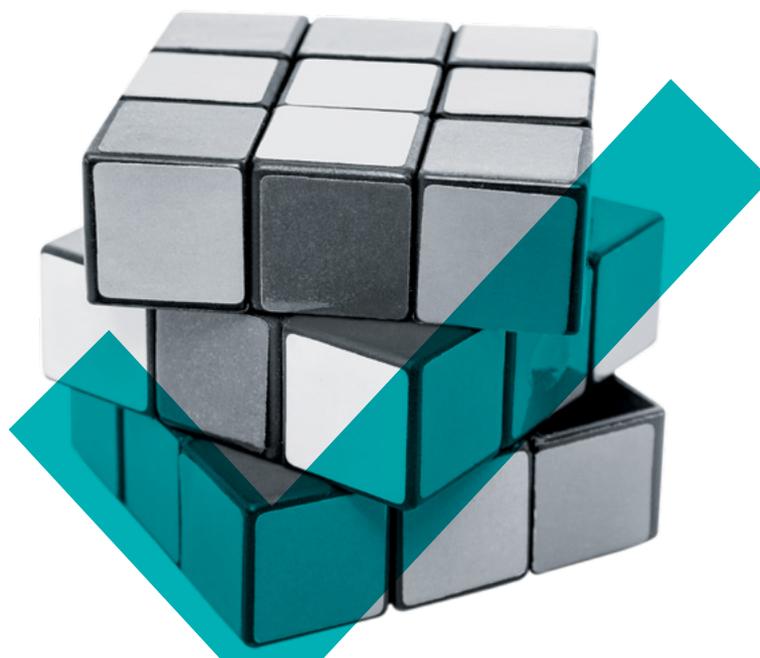


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# Restructuring and Insolvency



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Our Restructuring and Insolvency Group comprises multilingual lawyers versed in both civil law and common law tradition. Many of our specialists have previously held positions with Swiss courts.

The firm is recognised as a leader in restructuring and insolvency, including insolvency-related litigation. Schellenberg Wittmer can consolidate a large, qualified team at short notice in both French-speaking and German-speaking Switzerland. The Swiss Financial Market Supervisory Authority (FINMA) and courts frequently entrust our team with insolvency administration thanks to our excellent track record and reputation. Our team members regularly work within or in collaboration with other practice groups (such as Mergers & Acquisitions, Corporate and Commercial, Banking and Finance, Litigation).

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### Expertise

We advise and represent clients in restructuring and bankruptcy matters. We act as litigators in the Swiss courts and as bankruptcy administrators. Our Restructuring and Insolvency Group offers advice and assistance to our clients in areas including:

- Debt enforcement, bankruptcy and insolvency law
- Corporate restructuring and turnaround
- Acquisition of a distressed business
- Debt collection
- Freezing orders and other provisional measures, and enforcement of such foreign decisions
- Enforcement of foreign judgments and arbitral awards
- Realisation of pledged and seized assets
- Representation of creditors during moratorium, composition and bankruptcy proceedings, including preparation, filing and enforcement of creditor claims
- Bankruptcy-related litigation, such as actions to contest schedules of claims and clawback actions
- Monitoring and administration of a company under moratorium or in composition proceedings
- Monitoring, administration and liquidation of insolvent banks and securities dealers
- Recognition of foreign insolvency decrees and representation of foreign bankruptcy trustees and receivers in Switzerland
- Special administration of the estate of a bankrupt company

Our firm has the expertise and experience to take on the most complex insolvency matters, including those with an international dimension, such as assisting foreign receivers and bankruptcy trustees in expansion of insolvency proceedings into Switzerland.

### Recognitions

The group and leading practitioners are highly ranked among leading law firms across international directories and publications:

- Chambers Europe in Restructuring & Insolvency
- Legal 500 in Corporate Recovery & Insolvency
- WWL Switzerland and in WWL International Restructuring & Insolvency Guides
- Global Restructuring Review 100 (GRR 100)

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