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For many years, Hélène Weidmann has been advising private and public companies as well as entrepreneurs. She assists her clients from the incorporation of their business to its sale, with respect to all contractual and regulatory issues that may arise during the business life of their company. Hélène Weidmann has a strong expertise in the fields of commercial transactions, shareholders' disputes and stock exchange regulations. She is active, in particular, in mergers, acquisitions, partnerships, restructuring and corporate governance. She also regularly assists her clients with the drafting and negotiation of all types of commercial contracts. Her personal and professional skills as well as her great interest in the activities of her clients allow her to offer contractual structures adapted to her clients' individual needs and tailored to secure their interests. In the field of stock exchange regulations, Hélène Weidmann regularly assists both issuers with their ongoing listing duties (ad hoc publicity, corporate governance, financial reporting, management transactions and regular reporting obligations) and their shareholders in particular with respect to the disclosures of significant shareholdings.

EXPERTISE

Commercial and Contracts | Corporate and M&A | Banking, Finance and Capital Markets | Insolvency, Corporate Recovery and Restructuring | Private Equity and Venture Capital | Real Estate and Construction

LANGUAGES

French, English, German, Italian

CAREER

SINCE 2019	Partner at BianchiSchwald
2016 - 2019	Partner at Reymond & Associés, Lausanne
2008 - 2016	Associate at Lenz & Staehelin, Lausanne and Zurich
2007 - 2008	Associate at Burnand & Associés, Lausanne
2006 - 2007	LL.M. New York University School of Law
2005	Admitted to the Bars of canton of Vaud and Geneva
2003 - 2005	Trainee at the law firm Keppeler & Associés, Geneva
2003	Licentiatus iuris, University of Lausanne (UNIL)
1999 - 2003	Universities of Lausanne (UNIL) and Zurich

MEMBERSHIPS

- Vaud Bar Association (OVA)
- Swiss Bar Association (FSA)
- Cercle Suisse des Administratrices (CSDA)
- Centre du droit de l'entreprise de l'Université de Lausanne (CEDIDAC)
- Women's Business Society (WBS)
- Geneva association of business law (AGDA)

OTHER ACTIVITIES | PRO BONO

- Member of the Vaud Bar Exam Commission

SELECTED PUBLICATIONS | SPEAKING ENGAGEMENTS

April 2021

- Legal @ M&A for Tech CEOs
  with Thomas Schmid, virtual seminar organised with Corum

February 2021

- Mise à jour concernant les mesures fédérales Covid-19 : le Conseil fédéral impose un nouveau confinement et prend des mesures supplémentaires pour soutenir l'économie
  with Philippe Vladimir Boss and Mathieu Simona, Newsletter BianchiSchwald

July 2020

- Révision du droit suisse des sociétés
  with Thomas Goossens, Manuel Bianchi della Porta, Thierry Amy and Norbert Schenk, Newsletter BianchiSchwald

April 2020

- Mesures en cas d'insolvabilité et extension supplémentaire du droit au chômage partiel et aux indemnités pour perte de gain
  with Mathieu Simona, Newsletter BianchiSchwald

March 2020

- Covid-19 : mesures du Conseil fédéral en matière d'assemblées de sociétés
  with Thomas Goossens and Daima Vuilleumier, in Indices, L'AGEFI, p. 18

September 2018

- Presentation on Board of director's responsibilities
  Training course for board members organized by Romandie Formation at the Centre Patronal, Paudex