

PRESS RELEASE

The partners of ADVANT Altana are pleased to announce the appointment as partners of: Benjamin Dors, Cécile Ferouelle and Gildas Robert

PARIS, December 6th, 2022 - ADVANT Altana continues its development by promoting three of its counsels, **Benjamin Dors, Cécile Ferouelle and Gildas Robert**, to the rank of partner as of January 1st, 2023.

With these promotions, ADVANT Altana intends to continue its internal and external growth and to promote its most talented collaborators as a part of a sustainable offer in the key sectors of business law.

About ADVANT Altana

ADVANT Altana is a multi-practices law firm founded in 2009, with 85 lawyers and legal advisors, including 24 partners. ADVANT Altana's teams assist French and foreign companies, as well as their managers, in handling high-stakes technical and/or strategic matters, particularly in highly regulated sectors: Banking-Insurance, Construction, Renewable Energies, Life Sciences, TMT (Technologies - Media - Telecommunications). In September 2021, ADVANT Altana has co-created ADVANT, with the German firm ADVANT Beiten and the Italian ADVANT Nctm, to be the "European advantage" for its teams and clients.

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Benjamin Dors, partner in international litigation. He advises on complex business law disputes, involving both civil and commercial issues and aspects of business criminal law. Having developed a specific expertise in international litigation, he represents

French and foreign companies, as well as their executives, in multi-jurisdictional litigation before the courts and arbitral tribunals. Admitted to the Paris (2012) and New York (2011) Bars, he holds a master's degree in International Business Law (University of Montpellier I) and an LL.M. (University of Florida - G. Levin College of Law). After starting his career in the United States at Zuckerman Spaeder LLP, then in France at Bersay & Associés and Veil Jourde, Benjamin joined ADVANT Altana in 2018, before being appointed Counsel in January 2020.

Cécile Ferouelle, partner in urban planning law. She is particularly involved in assisting developers and hotel groups at all stages of the development of complex real estate operations, particularly due to the sensitivity of the sites, both in advisory and litigation matters. She joined the firm in 2011 when she was sworn in. The firm's partners appointed her as Counsel in January 2020.

Cécile holds a professional master's degree in public litigation law (University of Versailles Saint-Quentin-en-Yvelines). Her appointment as a partner reflects the desire of ADVANT Altana's partners to accelerate the development of urban planning law, in order to meet the growing needs of their clients on all issues and challenges inherent in construction law.

Gildas Robert, partner in white-collar crime. He is mainly involved in litigation in criminal labor law and criminal financial law cases. He assists French and foreign clients, mainly industrial companies, at all stages of the proceedings and in the context of their crisis management and communication. He also has specific expertise in environmental criminal law and in criminal issues related to human rights for companies. Admitted to the Paris Bar in 2012, Gildas is a graduate of the ESSEC Grande Ecole program and holds a master's degree in criminal financial law (University of Cergy-Pontoise). After a first collaboration with Gide, he joined ADVANT Altana in 2013 and was appointed Counsel in January 2021.