What's new at Kochański & Partners?

#1 Successes and awards

Kochański & Partners: The Lawyer European Awards 2024

Kochański & Partners is the only Polish law firm nominated in the European Litigation Team of the Year category. For its consistent defence of the media and freedom of speech.

The nomination is the result of many years of cooperation with Ringier Axel Springer Polska, the largest press publisher in Poland. The law firm has successfully fended off thousands of SLAPP lawsuits, protecting journalists who write about abuses of power and helping to shape a favourable case law for editors.

Tomasz Szambelan Rising Star in IP Stars ranking

Tomasz Szambelan is once again one of the elite Rising Stars. It is a recognition of the best young and talented IP and trademark lawyers.

He and his IP team work (and win cases) for global players in the FMCG, pharmaceutical and IT industries, as well as advise on the most strategic transactional and infrastructure projects involving IP. Tomasz is also an EUIPO professional representative and an accredited IP Scan provider.

Nominations for Kochański & Partners real estate team

The Kochański & Partners real estate team has reached the semi-finals of the prestigious Europa Property CEE Investment Awards, which recognises the best real estate professionals and investors in the CEE region.

For another year in a row, they are also among the nominees in the Law firm of the year category in the prestigious real estate industry competition – Eurobuild Awards.

Paweł Cholewiński, Malwina Jagiełło, Weronika Duda, Paulina Majewska, Julia Majewska work intensively on sale & leaseback transactions and leases, participating in real estate contracts worth hundreds of millions of euros and greenfield transactions.

Recognition by IFRL1000 2024

In this year's edition of the IFLR1000 ranking, experts from Kochański & Partners were again among the best advisors in the M&A, banking and energy and infrastructure projects (project development) categories.

And attorney Rafal Rapala can once again boast an individual recommendation in the M&A category.

Cooperation with the 'Farmacja Polska' Chamber of Commerce

Kochański & Partners has joined the small group of law firms cooperating with the 'Farmacja Polska' Chamber of Commerce. Active cooperation with industry associations enables the firm to understand

the challenges entrepreneurs are facing today, and to offer them specific solutions. The long-established Chamber unites both manufacturers, importers and distributors of medicinal products.

Katarzyna Sabiłło, head of the Pharmaceutical and Life Sciences Law Practice, emphasises the importance of President Irena Rej's trust and invitation for cooperation. She believes that we will not only effectively support the Chamber's activities, but also bring significant added value.

 # 2 Events – we invite you to meet our experts

20 November| 10:00-12:00 | Free hybrid event

Property Tax Revolution 2025 – Practical Aspects of Change

On 1 January 2025, new regulations will come into force that will fundamentally change the rules of property taxation in Poland.

This is a real revolution that will affect both the method of calculation and the amount of property tax.

Experts from Kochański & Partners will:

- Present the detailed scope of the proposed changes
- Discuss the practical difficulties associated with the new rules
- Identify areas requiring special attention
- Answer questions from the audience
- Provide recommendations on how to prepare for the new regulations

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26 November | 10:00-12:00 | Free hybrid event

4 years of the 'małpka' levy – a drop in revenue, inspections by the authorities and the most common settlement errors

Even the leading players in the Polish alcohol market have difficulties in correctly settling the 'małpka' levy on small bottles of alcohol. And this often leads to lengthy tax disputes. One of the most common problems is the misidentification of the responsible party in the supply chain, especially wholesalers and distributors.

During the meeting, experts from Kochański & Partners will present practical problems that may arise in the settlement of this levy and discuss a set of good practices that they have prepared to protect the interests of taxpayers and minimise the risk of errors.

Implementing such solutions will enable businesses to be adequately prepared to face a potential tax inspection or dispute.

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