

# COMINDIS

RECHTSANWÄLTE

## DR INGO KÜHL

PARTNER | RECHTSANWALT

## **KEY FACTS**

Experienced Lawyer with many years professional experience in complex dispute resolution with a strategic and focussed approach

Specialisation in claims and disputes on plant engineering and infrastructure projects (especially EPC & EPCM structures) as well as product liability and commercial law cases

Knows also the inhouse perspective (one year secondment in litigation department of a DAX listed company)

### **PROFESSIONAL CAREER**

## January 2021 to present

Founding Partner of COMINDIS

- Advising on international infrastructure and plant engineering projects in the fields of renewable energies, hydropower, wasteto-energy, nuclear and conventional power generation, hydrogen, raw materials, battery technology, etc.
- Representing clients in international arbitration proceedings, claims, ADR-proceedings and proceedings before ordinary courts

## 2010 to 2020

Lawyer at the international law firm Hogan Lovells International LLP in the area of dispute resolution; since 2008 as Counsel

- Complex national and international dispute resolution litigation and arbitration, with a focus on plant engineering, construction and product liability cases
- Legal and strategic advice on civil law, commercial law and procedural law matters; special focus on plant engineering and infrastructure projects (EPC Structures)

#### 2014 to 2015

Secondment (one year) in the litigation department of Bayer AG, Leverkusen

- Responsible for managing product liability cases worldwide including mass tort cases in the U.S. and class actions in Canada
- Consulting regarding legal disputes ongoing and impending, communications training (e-mails etc.), organisation of so-called legal holds, procedurally relevant document review

#### 2010

Admitted to practice law

## From 2006 to 2007

Research assistant at a law firm focused on medical law and hospital law (parallel to doctoral studies)

#### **DETAILS OF EXPERIENCE**

- Projects: legal and commercial advice for major international projects and service agreements in energy, infrastructure, chemical, oil & gas and environmental industry, e.g. (EPC and EPC/M) plant engineering contracts (under FIDIC, NEC and other models), including risk assessment, drafting and negotiating contracts, claims, consortium and subcontract agreements
- Dispute resolution: complex national and international disputes, in particular plant engineering projects (EPC & EPCM structures), product liability and commercial law cases. Litigation (including mass proceedings), arbitration, independent evidence proceedings and alternative dispute resolution (e.g. mediation and expert determination proceedings)
- Compliance: advising companies in compliance cases, e.g. in the event of subsequently discovered non-compliance of public law regulations, how to deal with unlawfully collected funds and on the introduction of a car sharing system
- Insurance: advising clients / insurers on various insurance law topics and in state court proceedings

### **EDUCATION**

#### 2001 - 2006

Study of Law at the Universities of Jena and Bonn

First State Exam at University of Bonn

#### 2006 - 2008

Ph. d., doctoral thesis on criminal and medical law, Professor Dr Gunnar Duttge

## 2008 - 2010

Legal traineeship at the Higher Regional Court of Bielefeld

Legal traineeship at an international law firm in Frankfurt a.M. in the practice area dispute resolution

Second State Exam

Languages: German (native), English (fluent)

Born on 12 July 1979 in Hildesheim, married, two children

#### **MEMBERSHIPS**

- German Institution of Arbitration (DIS)
- German Lawyers Association (DAV)
- Working Group Construction and Real Estate Law
- DICO German Institute for Compliance

## **PUBLICATIONS**

- Local Content Requirements, RInPrax 2025, 18 pp., Dr Eric Decker and Dr Ingo Kühl
- Geothermal energy Is the sleeping giant awakening?, EnK-Aktuell 2024, 10338, Dr Eric Decker und Dr Ingo Kühl
- Expropriation of movable property in the energy sector and access to documents to secure the energy supply - further draft law to amend the EnSiG, EnK-Aktuell 2022, 01105, Dr Ingo Kühl and Marie Wittrock
- The Efficiency Rule and the Contracting Physician in Criminal Law: An Examination with Special Reference to the Supply of Medicine, Dissertation, Springer Verlag, Göttingen 2013, Dr Ingo Kuehl

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