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Dr Alexander Kus

Specialist lawyer for public procurement law,
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Alexander advises principals and contractors on all questions of procurement law, national and international construction law and the law of architects and engineers. Furthermore, he advises them on related contentious disputes before courts as well as before review tribunals. A further key practice area is the "Compliance Advice" that he provides in the event of threatened order blocks as well as the leadership of negotiation proceedings in major construction projects.

What others say

„ Cited as ‘often recommended’ for public procurement law “

JUVE Handbook 2024/25

„ Recommended lawyer for public procurement law “

Legal 500 Germany 2021

„ One of the most recommended lawyers for construction law and public commercial law “

Handelsblatt/Best Lawyers® 'Germany's Best Lawyers 2025'

„ Leading lawyer for procurement law 2024 “

WirtschaftsWoche Top-Kanzleien 2024

Recent work

- Various competitive dialogue procedures, e.g. I-Reihe Ruhr University Bochum, Campus Melaten Aachen
- Klinikum Oldenburg: "GEKO 2030" (project value c. EUR 130 million), public procurement law and construction law
- City of Cologne Mülheimer Brücke (project value c. EUR 130 million), public procurement law
- Klinikum Lippe, new construction and extension (project value c. EUR 130 million), public procurement law
- Seestadt Mönchengladbach, concession procurement proceedings
- Rheinbrücke Leverkusen (project value c. EUR 750 million), Vergaberecht

Curriculum vitae

- Studied law at the Christian Albrechts University Kiel, 1980 to 1986
- PhD on commercial ethics and their influence on private law, with a scholarship, 1986 to 1988
- Research assistant in public law at the Christian Albrechts University Kiel (Professor Dr. Robert Alexy), 1987 to 1988
- Legal clerkship at the Higher Regional Court Schleswig Holstein, 1988 to 1992
- Lawyer since 1992, at Kapellmann since 1993

Further qualifications and memberships

- Specialist lawyer for public procurement law since 2016
- Member of the Working Group on Public Procurement Law within the German Lawyers' Association (ARGE Vergaberecht beim Deutschen Anwaltverein (DAV))
- Member of the Association of German Specialist Lawyers in Public Procurement Law (Verband der Fachanwälte für Vergaberecht e.V.)
- Seminars in private, national and international construction law and public procurement law
- Contributor to the journal VergabeR, Werner-Verlag
- Co-editor and author of commentary on procurement law and the German Restrictive Practices Act, Kulartz/Kus/Portz/Prieß, "VgV-Vergaberecht", Kulartz/Kus/Marx/Portz/Prieß, "VOL/A-Vergaberecht" and "VOB/A-Vergaberecht" Kulartz/Marx/Portz/Prieß and the practice handbook "Einführung in die VOB/A" Kus/Verfürth
- Author of the annex "Public procurement law" to sections 631 et seq. German Civil Code (BGB) in the BGB-Großkommentar published by Nomos-Verlages "Dauner-Lieb/Langen"

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- **> Procurement law**

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- **> Corporate compliance**

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