

German Desk in Italy

Germany has historically been Italy's most important trading partner and a major source of foreign investment. German companies made up 20 per cent of all foreign investment in Italy in 2017 and trade between these two countries increased by 7% compared to 2016. Some 2,200 German companies do business in Italy, while 2,600 Italian companies operate in Germany.

Whether you are from Germany, Austria, Switzerland or any other German-speaking community around the globe, our German desk in Italy can help you.

By partnering with us, you gain access to a team of German-speaking lawyers who supports you with a 360° tailor made legal assistance in a wide array of practice areas and sectors thanks to the active collaboration with the other practices of the Firm. We know your culture as well as your business customs and we use the knowledge of the local market to build effective bridges and provide you with an added competitive advantage. We work closely with Denton's Munich office, which already has an Italian Desk, and with Berlin, Frankfurt and Dusseldorf, where a new Dentons office has recently opened. This is why we are the perfect partner for German companies that invest and operate in Italy.

In addition, our team can also help Italian clients understand German legal systems and way of doing business in order to improve their chances of success in Germany, which is becoming a much more important financial centre for the Eurozone after Brexit.

The German Desk is led by Carsten Steinhauer (Partner), together with Christian Fabricatore (Counsel). Carsten has more than 20 years of experience in cross-border assistance to German companies operating in Italy and counts among his clients important German industrial companies, financial institutions, insurance companies and investment funds.

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