

Piotr Szafarz

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Overview

Piotr Szafarz is a partner in Dentons' Warsaw office and head of Real Estate practice team in Poland. Piotr has specialized in real estate since 1995 with a main focus on development, investment and finance work in all aspects of retail and logistics projects. During his career he has been involved in a number of institutional acquisitions, including the largest retail transactions in the CEE region.

Experience

- **Apsys:** Advising on several shopping centre projects.
- **SEGRO** (formerly, Slough Estates): Advising on logistics developments in Poland.
- **GE Real Estate:** Advising on a number of significant acquisitions.
- **Accor:** Advising on refinancing of several hotels in Poland.
- **Colgate-Palmolive:** Advising on setting up a factory in a special economic zone in Poland.
- **Bouygues:** Advising on a number of developments.

Recognition

- *Chambers Europe* 2019: ranked in Real Estate in Poland (Band 1).
- *Who's Who Legal* 2019: recommended as an expert in in Real Estate in Poland.

Activities and Affiliations

Prior and Present Employment

- Partner, Dentons (formerly Salans), Warsaw, 2010 to date
- Partner, Clifford Chance, Warsaw, 2006–2010
- Legal advisor, then Partner, 2001, CMS Cameron McKenna, Warsaw, 1999–2006
- Legal advisor, then Partner, 1999, Jeantet et Associés, Warsaw, 1994–1999

Areas of focus

Practices

- Real Estate

Industry sectors

- Retail
- Construction

Region

- Europe
- Central and Eastern Europe

Education

- University of Warsaw, 1994, Master of Laws
- University of Grenoble, 1993, Diplôme, de droit français

Admissions and qualifications

- Attorney-at-law, Poland, 1997

Languages

- English
- French
- Polish