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THE FIRM

Dillon Eustace was established in 1992 and is one of Ireland's leading law firms focusing on financial services, banking and capital markets, corporate and M&A, litigation and dispute resolution, real estate, and taxation. Headquartered in Dublin the firm's international practice has seen it establish offices in Tokyo, New York and the Cayman Islands. In tandem with international development the firm has expanded significantly, particularly in recent years, in the domestic Irish market.

AREAS OF PRACTICE

The firm advises across a wide range of practice areas and disciplines. It is a market leader in a number of its key chosen fields including financial services, banking and capital markets, financial and insurance litigation and regulated and international mergers and acquisitions. In recent years the firm has been involved in many of the most significant transactions forming part of Ireland's deleveraging and distressed asset disposal processes. It has acted for buyers of in excess of €20bn worth of distressed Irish assets and in some of the most high-profile commercial transactions including the sale by the State of shares in Bank of Ireland and a number of high profile corporate inversion transactions.

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**LANGUAGES
SPOKEN**

French
German
Italian

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90+

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Banking and finance

Tier 2

Dillon Eustace *'provides a top-quality offering and is always committed to getting the deal done efficiently'*. Its client list includes international financial institutions, domestic banks and alternative lenders, and government agencies; Nama is a longstanding client. **John-Hugh Colleran** is *'pragmatic and relationship driven, with very strong interpersonal skills'*; **Keith Robinson** is *'very approachable and solutions focused'*; and the *'consistently excellent'* and *'technically very strong'* **Kate Curneen** is noted for her expertise in property finance. **Conor Houlihan** moved to **DLA Piper**.

Next generation lawyers

Kate Curneen

Capital markets

Tier 2

“**Dillon Eustace** is praised for its ability to *‘support clients even in difficult times’*. Highlights included advising American International Group as issuer on the listing of €1bn-worth of 1.875% notes on the Irish Stock Exchange, and assisting with the structuring and establishment of debt issuance vehicle Celtic Investment Opportunities Fund Lending to finance Irish real estate acquisitions. **Conor Keaveny** stands out for his *‘attention to detail and good understanding of the context of projects’*. **Conor Houlihan** moved to **DLA Piper**.”

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Commercial, corporate and M&A

Tier 3

“**Dillon Eustace** has notable strength in the healthcare sector; practice head **Lorcan Tiernan** and senior associate **Catherine Hicks** advised a leading primary care provider on the disposal of its 50% interest in a group of clinics, and Tiernan also acted for Beechfield Nursing Home Group on the €33m sale of three nursing homes. Media and real estate are also sector specialisms. **Adrian Benson**, who advised Dundalk Town FC on its sale to US-based consortium Peak6, is another key contact.

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Next generation lawyers

Catherine Hicks

Dispute resolution

Tier 3

“**Kieran Cowhey** leads the team at **Dillon Eustace**, which has been particularly active in financial services litigation and shareholder disputes. **Peter Bredin** successfully secured an €8.7m judgment for Seaconview fund against a guarantor of loans. **John O’Riordan** and **John Doyle** are also key contacts. Other clients include the National Asset Management Agency, Allied Irish Banks and the Motor Insurers’ Bureau of Ireland.

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Insolvency and corporate restructuring

Tier 2

At **Dillon Eustace**, department head **Jamie Ensor** is particularly adept at dealing with liquidations, including a remarkable one where he first acted for a large Asian company on the successful winding up of an Irish registered company, and then for the court-appointed receiver in the cross-border asset recovery involving the obtaining of freezing orders. Other work includes examinerships and receiverships.

Leading individuals

Jamie Ensor

Insurance

Tier 2

At **Dillon Eustace**, contentious head **Kieran Cowhey** is particularly adept at handling aviation and product liability matters, but his caseload extends to advising insurers on professional indemnity for solicitors, accountants, construction experts and insurance brokers, as well as advising Irish banks on D&O insurance coverage issues. **John O’Riordan** acted for RSA Insurance Group in several High Court cases resulting from a fire in a restaurant, which were settled on favourable terms. **Andrew Bates** handles insurance regulatory work.

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Investment funds

Tier 1

The '*down-to-earth, practical and knowledgeable*' team at **Dillon Eustace** has '*huge experience in the investment funds industry*'. Key areas of work include advising credit managers on establishing Irish-regulated investment funds, and acting for managers buying Irish real estate via QIAIFs. **Etain de Valera** advised Tennenbaum Capital on establishing an Irish loan origination fund, and **Cillian Bredin** acted for Legal & General Investment Management on the establishment of a fund management operation in Ireland. **Donnacha O'Connor**, who took over as practice head from **Andrew Bates**, assisted Roundshield Capital Partners with setting up an Icaav sub-fund to invest in Irish social housing. **Brian Kelliher**, the '*outstanding*' **Brian Higgins** and senior associate **Grace O'Connor** are also noted.

Leading individuals

Andrew Bates

Donnacha O'Connor

Next generation lawyers

Cillian Bredin

Grace O'Connor

Media and entertainment

Tier 3

“**Dillon Eustace** handles defamation, privacy and contempt claims, as well as providing pre-publication advice to national daily and Sunday newspapers. The team is also expanding its expertise in relation to publication on the internet and social media. **John Doyle**, **David Kavanagh** and **John O’Riordan** are the key contacts.”

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Real estate

Tier 2

Dillon Eustace's *'highly engaged'* team has expertise in a broad range of commercial property matters, including landlord and tenant issues, loan book acquisition, and the sale and purchase of commercial, investment and residential properties. Recent work highlights include **Louise Wright** acting for SW3 Capital and Tristan Capital Partners on the site acquisition, forward funding, development and letting strategy agreement for the Exo building, Dublin's largest office building, as well as on the acquisition of three apartment blocks. **Kelly O'Hara** leads the practice and other key figures include name partner **Paul Eustace** and senior associate **Brendan Cunnane**, who arrived from Nama in January 2018 to strengthen the team.

Next generation lawyers

Brendan Cunnane

Transport

Tier 3

Maritime and admiralty law specialist **Paul Gill** leads the team at **Dillon Eustace**, which acts primarily for shipowners and handles insurance interests concerning salvage cases, personal injury claims, collision cases and wrongful arrests. The team also has a presence in the aviation sector, advising airlines and aviation insurers. **David Kavanaugh** is also noted.

Leading individuals

Paul Gill

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ANDREW BATES

WORK DEPARTMENT

Asset Management and Investment Funds, Insurance

POSITION

Partner and Head of Financial Services

CAREER

Andrew is the Head of the Financial Services Department where he works primarily on asset management, investment funds and insurance regulatory matters. He has been recognized as a leading lawyer in these practice areas by Chambers, by the Legal 500, by IFLR and others. He is the author of several publications including Guides on UCITS, on Hedge Funds and on Private Equity Funds as well as on MiFID and cross border insurance regulation and is a regular speaker on financial services related topics at domestic and international events.

MEMBER

Andrew is a former Council Member of the Irish Funds Industry Association and is a member of the Investment Funds division of the IBA. He also sits on the boards of several investment fund platforms and asset managers.

EDUCATION

University College Dublin and the Law Society of Ireland



ADRIAN BENSON

WORK DEPARTMENT

Corporate and M&A, Insolvency and Corporate Recovery

POSITION

Partner, Corporate and M&A Department

CAREER

Adrian joined Dillon Eustace in January 2005 and was appointed a partner in 2006. Adrian has extensive experience advising on a wide range of corporate transactions and commercial arrangements across a wide range of industries including mergers and acquisitions, corporate re-organisations, shareholders agreements and disputes, joint ventures, private equity and corporate governance.

MEMBER

Law Society of Ireland; Dublin Solicitors' Bar Association (DSBA); AIJA (Association Internationale des Jeunes Avocats). Adrian was a former committee member of the Business & Commercial Law Committee of the Dublin Solicitors Bar Association.

EDUCATION

1995 Bachelor of Business and Legal Studies (BBL), University College Dublin 1999
Qualified as Irish Solicitor, The Law Society of Ireland

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CILLIAN BREDIN

WORK DEPARTMENT

Asset Management and Investment Funds

POSITION

Partner, Asset Management and Investment Funds

CAREER

Cillian is a specialist in investment funds, advising clients on a wide range of legal and regulatory matters. His clients include privately-owned and institutional investment managers representing a wide range of asset classes. His experience includes advising on establishing Alternative Investment Funds Managers Directive (AIFMD)-compliant Qualifying Alternative Investor Funds (QIAIFs) as well as UCITS products. He has also advised on the establishment of Irish Collective Investment Asset-management Vehicles (ICAVs).

Cillian's international experience includes secondments to the legal department of a large major US asset manager client based in London and to the Dillon Eustace Cayman Islands office. He has lectured on investment fund matters at the Law Society of Ireland.

EDUCATION

Trinity College Dublin, Law Society of Ireland



PETER BREDIN

WORK DEPARTMENT

Litigation and Dispute Resolution, Financial Litigation, Regulatory Investigations

POSITION

Partner, Litigation and Dispute Resolution

CAREER

Peter advises clients in disputes arising from financial services, business relations, professional duties, fraud, insurance coverage (including Directors & Officers policies), and publication. He has acted for State bodies, financial institutions, companies and individuals in court proceedings, arbitration and mediation. He advises on inquiries and investigations and is a member of the firm's Regulatory Investigations team.

MEMBER

Peter is a member of the International Bar Association (IBA), the Commercial Litigation Association of Ireland (CLAI), the Defence Research Institute (DRI) and the Professional Negligence Lawyers' Association (PNLA). He is a regular contributor to publications on the topics of litigation funding, fraud and asset recovery.

EDUCATION

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JOHN-HUGH COLLERAN

WORK DEPARTMENT

Banking and Capital Markets

POSITION

Partner, Banking and Capital Markets

CAREER

John-Hugh advises domestic and international financial institutions and corporate clients on a broad range of banking and finance transactions. His practice covers secured and unsecured financings, bilateral and syndicated lending, security and inter-creditor packages, tax-based lending structures, acquisition finance, general corporate lending and restructures.

He acts for vendors, purchasers and financiers on disposals and acquisitions of distressed assets. John-Hugh is highly experienced in reviewing loan and security documentation for financial institutions and the purchasers and servicers of Irish loan books, and advising them on restructuring, rectification and enforcement and recovery options.

John-Hugh's career experience includes working for an international bank on transactions and new products for its wholesale lending and structured finance teams. His work there included advising on participations in syndicated facilities, large and mid-cap corporate loans and invoice discounting and receivables purchases. The role also involved work on the restructuring and enforcement of a large book of non-performing loans.

MEMBER

John-Hugh lectures and tutors with the Law Society of Ireland and regularly gives presentations to bankers and banking lawyers.

EDUCATION

Trinity College Dublin, The Law Society of Ireland, Also admitted in England and Wales



MARTIN COLMAN

WORK DEPARTMENT

Real Estate, Commercial Property

POSITION

Partner, Real Estate

CAREER

Martin joined Dillon Eustace in March 2017 from one of Ireland's largest law firms. He has acted as lead property advisor in a wide range of commercial property matters and has experience in advising on acquisition, development, sale and leasing of commercial, retail and industrial property. Martin also has significant expertise in property finance and related property matters including residential conveyancing, landlord and tenant matters and the property aspects of liquidations and receiverships. He has extensive experience in acting for State and semi-State bodies. Martin also advises on non-contentious construction law matters and works closely with developers and funding institutions in respect of both commercial and residential projects.

MEMBER

Martin is a member of the Conveyancing Committee of the Dublin Solicitors Bar Association and regularly lectures in the Law Society on their Diploma in Commercial Conveyancing and Certificate in Conveyancing courses.

EDUCATION

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KIERAN COWHEY

WORK DEPARTMENT

Litigation and Dispute Resolution, Insurance, Aviation, Product Liability

POSITION

Partner, Head of Litigation and Dispute Resolution

CAREER

Kieran is a specialist in Commercial Insurance, Commercial and Financial Litigation, Aviation and Product Liability lawyer.

Kieran advises on general commercial and insurance-related matters and has conducted litigation for national and international corporations, banks and financial institutions. In his commercial practice Kieran advises on all areas of commercial and financial litigation. In supporting his insurance clients he acts for international and national insurers on coverage and liability issues in the Irish Courts. He advises insurers on a range of issues and has a strong reputation for his aviation and product liability work.

He is recommended in the Legal 500, Chambers Europe, Chambers Global, Who's Who Legal for Aviation-Contentious, Who's Who Legal for Product Liability Defence and The Best Lawyers in Ireland for Arbitration and Mediation and Litigation.

MEMBER

Kieran is a special advisor to the International Litigation Committee of the ABA Section of International Law, Vice Chair for DRI International and a member of the Federation of Defence and Corporate Counsel (FDCC).

EDUCATION

University College Dublin, The Law Society of Ireland



KATE CURNEEN

WORK DEPARTMENT

Banking and Capital Markets

POSITION

Partner, Banking and Capital Markets.

CAREER

Kate is an experienced adviser on debt finance. Her practice covers structured finance, corporate and asset-based lending, debt capital markets, and aircraft leasing.

In recent years she has worked extensively on distressed and non-performing loan portfolios, advising vendors, purchasers and financiers on a range of restructuring, workout and refinancing scenarios.

Kate advises clients on regulatory matters, including: consumer and SME lending; authorisation and compliance issues; passporting; credit servicing; and arrears resolution. In 2015 she contributed to the Irish Debt Securities Association's response to Ireland's new credit servicing legislation.

Kate has spoken at industry events and is a regular contributor on banking and finance law to local and international industry journals, including The Financial Times, Finance Dublin, The Airfinance Journal, Alternative Credit Intelligence and HFM Week. Topics covered include: SME and consumer lending, enforcement of security, credit servicing, capital markets and aircraft finance and leasing.

MEMBER

Kate is a council member of the Ireland Japan Association

EDUCATION

University College Dublin, Law Society of Ireland. She also holds a diploma in Aviation Finance and Leasing from the Law Society of

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JOHN DOYLE

WORK DEPARTMENT

Litigation and Dispute Resolution

POSITION

Partner. Specialist areas: Employment / Labour law. Commercial Litigation, Arbitration and Mediation.

CAREER

Trained at Cawley Sheerin Wynne, Dublin. Qualified in 1992. Commenced with present firm, Dillon Eustace in 1992 and became a Partner in 1997.

LANGUAGES

English

MEMBER

Law Society of Ireland. American Bar Association. European Employment Lawyers' Association. Hon Secretary of Arbitration Ireland, former Hon Secretary of the Irish Commercial Mediation Association

EDUCATION

College of Commerce, Rathmines B.Sc (Mgmt.) Trinity College Dublin



JAMIE ENSOR

WORK DEPARTMENT

Corporate Recovery and Insolvency

POSITION

Partner. Acts for insolvency practitioners, companies, creditors, shareholders and company directors in all aspects of insolvency and corporate recovery including examinerships, receiverships, liquidations and bankruptcies. Particular expertise acting for domestic banks, NAMA and many foreign banks in relation to their security enforcement and distressed asset recovery. More recently acting for large distressed asset funds active in the Irish market in relation to their enforcement options and remedies. Extensive experience in acting in the wide range of litigation before the superior courts arising from insolvency appointments.

CAREER

Joined Dillon Eustace from Eugene F. Collins in 2013 and became a partner in 2014

MEMBER

Law Society of Ireland, Dublin Solicitors Bar Association, Irish Society of Insolvency Practitioners (member of the website sub-committee), Law Society of England and Wales. American Bar Association (International) – Steering Group for the International Secured Transactions & Insolvency Committee

EDUCATION

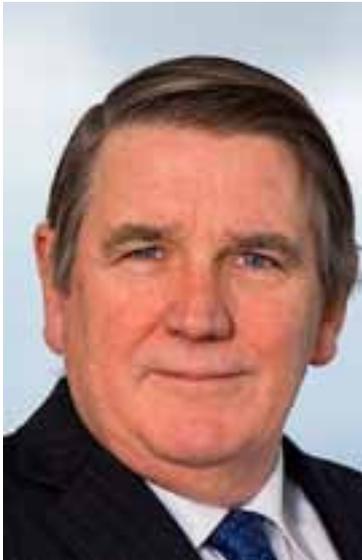
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PAUL EUSTACE

WORK DEPARTMENT

Real Estate, Commercial Property

POSITION

Partner, Real Estate

CAREER

Paul was a founding partner of Dillon Eustace in 1992 and is a partner in the Real Estate team. He has worked in commercial property for most of his professional life.

Paul advises developers of commercial and residential developments and has acted for many financial institutions on secured lending transactions over a wide variety of commercial property. He is an expert in landlord and tenant law and acts for both landlords and tenants.

EDUCATION

University College Dublin, The Law Society of Ireland



CONOR KEAVENY

WORK DEPARTMENT

Banking & Capital Markets

POSITION

Conor is a Partner in Dillon Eustace's Banking & Capital Markets group. He acts on a wide range of banking transactions for both financial institutions and corporates, both Irish and foreign. Conor's lending experience extends to bi-lateral, club and syndicated lending arrangements, both secured and unsecured. He has a great deal of experience of acting for sellers, purchasers and financiers of loan portfolios. Conor has also advised extensively in the area of aircraft finance, including acting for aircraft lessors and financiers.

CAREER

Conor joined McCann FitzGerald as a trainee solicitor in March 1996, where his training period was largely spent in the Banking Department, including two periods in that firm's London office. On qualification in December 1998, Conor continued working in the Banking Department with a focus on asset finance, structured finance, public private partnerships and general banking. He was seconded to AerFi Group (now AerCap) for most of 2000. Conor joined the Banking Department of William Fry as an Associate in September 2004 in a general banking role, with a particular focus on secured property lending. In early 2006, Conor was seconded on a part-time basis to BNP Paribas, Dublin Branch. Conor joined Dillon Eustace in September 2006 and was made partner in August 2007. In late 2007, Conor was seconded on a part-time basis to Bank of Ireland Corporate Banking.

MEMBER

The Law Society of Ireland Irish Taxation Institute

EDUCATION

Trinity College Dublin: LL.B. The Law Society of Ireland: Solicitor Irish Taxation Institute: Associate

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BRIAN KELLIHER

WORK DEPARTMENT

Asset Management and Investment Funds, Financial Services

POSITION

Brian is a partner in Dillon Eustace where he specialises in Asset Management & Investment Funds, Investment Services and Regulatory & Compliance. In relation to investment funds, Brian advises on product design, authorisation, contract negotiation, marketing, migration and all applicable regulatory and compliance matters relating to all fund product types from traditional UCITS, ETFs, money market funds and alternative UCITS to the full spectrum of Alternative Investment Funds (AIFs).

CAREER

Brian joined Dillon Eustace in 1994 and has been a partner in Dillon Eustace since 2000. Brian is a former chairman and member of the Legal and Regulatory Committee of the Irish Funds Industry Association.

MEMBER

Member of the Incorporated Law Society of Ireland and a member of the Irish Funds Industry Association (IFIA) UK Distribution Working Group. Brian is also a member of the Company Law Review Group (an Irish statutory body established to advise the Minister for Jobs, Enterprise and Innovation on matters concerning company law).

EDUCATION

University College Cork (1985-1988) where Brian obtained a Bachelor of Civil Law Degree. Brian is qualified as a solicitor to practice in Ireland since 1994 and is also qualified as a solicitor to practice in England and Wales.



DONNACHA O'CONNOR

WORK DEPARTMENT

Asset Management and Investment Funds, Financial Services

POSITION

Partner, Head of Asset Management and Investment Funds

CAREER

He specialises in advice on regulatory and structural issues relating to the establishment and management of all types of investment fund structures.

Donnacha has over 20 years' experience in structuring, establishing and advising Irish regulated investment funds and in providing regulatory advice to financial services firms operating in Ireland. His clients include privately-owned and institutional investment managers representing a wide range of asset classes – including fixed income, equity, credit, hedge, managed futures, real estate, private equity, commodities and insurance linked securities.

Donnacha advises regulated financial services and market infrastructure firms – including market makers, multilateral trading facilities, order routers, prime brokers, derivative dealers, investment managers, Alternative Investment Fund Managers, UCITS management companies, investment advisers, fund administrators and fund depositaries.

Donnacha has held in-house counsel posts at a hedge fund manager in Paris and a securities services firm in Dublin.

EDUCATION

University College Dublin, The Law Society of Ireland, Attorney, New York State Bar

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KELLY O'HARA

WORK DEPARTMENT

Real Estate

POSITION

Partner, Head of Real Estate

CAREER

Her practice area covers a broad range of commercial property matters.

Kelly joined Dillon Eustace in July 2017 as head of the Real Estate team. Prior to that, she was a senior legal adviser in the National Asset Management Agency (NAMA), specialising in asset sales, development projects and complex conveyancing matters arising in the deleveraging of NAMA's loan portfolios. Kelly also advised on enforcement of security, loan sales, commercial lending and loan restructurings.

Before joining NAMA, Kelly was a partner in the commercial property department of one of Ireland's largest law firms. She has acted for a broad range of corporate, institutional, multinational and private clients on sales and purchases, landlord and tenant law, negotiation of commercial leases, estate management issues and property development, with particular expertise in advising national and international retailers on expansion in Ireland. Kelly has extensive experience in advising on the property aspects of mergers and acquisitions, restructurings and property-based lending.



DERBHIL O'RIORDAN

WORK DEPARTMENT

Financial Services, Asset Management and Investment Funds, Derivatives

POSITION

Partner working in Financial Services, Asset Management and Investment Funds and Derivatives

CAREER

Derbhil joined Dillon Eustace in 2003 and became a partner in 2010. Derbhil's practice covers both the hedge fund and private equity space and her legal expertise lies in establishing, structuring and operation of Cayman and Irish structures. Recent deal highlights include establishment of a multi-tiered, cross-jurisdictional private equity structure allowing EU investors access to Cayman loan origination funds, establishment of UCITS CTA funds using automated trading systems and ongoing advices to Cayman AIFs on accessing European capital. Derbhil publishes frequently on the impacts of on-shore regulation on off-shore jurisdictions, such as AIFMD in Cayman.

EDUCATION

Bachelor of Civil Law Degree from University College Cork (2000) , LLM (Law and Computers) Queens University Belfast (2001), Law Society of Northern Ireland (2003), Law Society of Ireland (2003), Law Society of England and Wales (2010) and Law Society of Cayman Islands (2013)

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JOHN O'RIORDAN

WORK DEPARTMENT

Litigation and Dispute Resolution, Insurance, Financial Litigation. Regulatory Investigations

POSITION

Partner, Litigation and Dispute Resolution

CAREER

John is a specialist in commercial litigation, regulatory investigations and maritime and transport law. His clients include national and international corporations, banks and financial institutions, insurers, individuals, hauliers, freight forwarders and shipping companies. He is highly experienced in all types of High Court proceedings and regularly represents clients before the Irish Commercial Court. John acts in a variety of contractual and tortious disputes and represents clients in arbitration and mediation.

John's specialist expertise includes: financial services and banking litigation; shareholder disputes; mis-selling claims; advising clients through the Central Bank administrative sanctions procedure; appearing before the Irish Financial Services Appeals Tribunal; enforcing foreign arbitral awards; and property and vessel damage claims.

MEMBER

John is a member of the International Bar Association and the Commercial Litigation Association of Ireland. He is a regular contributor to local and international publications and has spoken at international conferences in the area of commercial litigation.

EDUCATION

University College Dublin, The Law Society of Ireland, Also admitted in: England and Wales



LORCAN TIERNAN

WORK DEPARTMENT

Corporate and M&A, Insolvency and Corporate Recovery, and Financial Services.

POSITION

Partner, Head of Corporate and M&A Department.

CAREER

Lorcan became a partner of Dillon Eustace in 2000 and Head of its Corporate and Commercial Department in 2004. His main areas of practice are mergers and acquisitions, corporate finance, corporate insolvency and financial services.

MEMBER

Lorcan is a member of the International Bar Association and is currently Co-Chair of the ABA's International Financial Products and Services Committee and a member of the Irish Law Society's Business Law Committee. He also acts as the ABA's liaison to the Law Society of Ireland. He is a past-Chairman of the IFIA's Alternative Investment Committee as well as a past member of FEFSI's Hedge Funds Working Group. He is an alternate director of the Irish Takeover Panel.

EDUCATION

1991 Bachelor of Civil Law (BCL) University College Dublin. 1992 Masters in Law (LLM) University of London. 1995 Qualified as Irish Solicitor, Law Society of Ireland.

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LOUISE WRIGHT

WORK DEPARTMENT

Real Estate, Commercial Property

POSITION

Partner, Real Estate

CAREER

Louise is a highly experienced adviser on domestic and commercial property matters. Her practice covers all aspects of property law, including: the acquisition and disposals of commercial properties, apartment and office blocks; commercial leasing; landlord and tenant; distressed asset purchases; property portfolio sales; and property-related insurance claims.

Louise advises private equity and fund investors on the acquisition of high value commercial properties and has a substantial domestic client base. She supports new and established international clients with their investments in Ireland, liaising with our Financial Services, Tax, Corporate and Litigation teams.

EDUCATION

National University of Ireland, Maynooth, The Law Society of Ireland, Also admitted in England and Wales