



Bogdan Gecić

Partner

EDUCATION

LLM, Law & Economics, Antitrust, Corporate and M&A, Harvard Law School (with Honors) | LLB, Business Law, University of Belgrade Faculty of Law (top 1% of class)

ADMISSIONS

Belgrade Bar Association

PRACTICES

Competition / State Aid | Administrative & Regulatory | Constitutional Litigation | European Law, Trade & Enlargement | Legislative & Government Affairs

Bogdan Gecić (Getzich) is a founding partner at Gecić, Aksić & Stojković Law Firm in Belgrade. His practice focuses on Competition/State Aid, European Law, Trade & Enlargement and Administrative & Regulatory. Other areas of expertise include Government Affairs, Corporate/M&A and Constitutional Litigation.

Bogdan recently advised Etihad Airways on all competition aspects of its strategic partnership with the Government of Serbia. He has particular experience in advising clients on antitrust and state aid matters in the emerging Balkan markets (Bosnia & Herzegovina, Croatia, Macedonia, Montenegro, Serbia), as well as expertise in developing and implementing corporate antitrust compliance programs. He assisted clients in merger filings with EU and national competition authorities, and counseled multinational clients in cases concerning alleged competition abuses. Bogdan completed advanced studies in these fields at Harvard Law School and practiced in Brussels and Belgrade. With respect to antitrust litigation, Bogdan's practice also included cases that dealt with the complex interaction between European administrative law and ECHR (human rights) proceedings. He is also a former associate at Cadwalader, Wickersham & Taft LLP, where he worked on a number of major projects as a member of the firm's Brussels competition team, including the DB-NYSE attempted tie-up; Aer Lingus-Ryanair's minority share battle; and, as the intervening party for DHL in the UPS-TNT unsuccessful merger.

He published extensively on EU and Balkan competition law matters. Bogdan is distinguished as one of the nominees in the global 2013 Antitrust Writing Awards competition held in Washington, DC.

Bogdan graduated from the University of Belgrade with a degree in Law (Top 1% of class) and earned his LL.M. from Harvard Law School (with Honors and the Dean's Scholar Prize in "Leadership in Law Firms"). He is a co-founder and the first Vice President of Harvard Club of Serbia and a guest lecturer at the University of Belgrade, Faculty of Law. Bogdan is a member of the Bar in Belgrade, Serbia. He is fluent in English, Bosnian, Croatian, Montenegrin and Serbian.