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Stella is a senior associate in the corporate team.

Her practice focuses on sports and media, advising athletes, agents, coaches, clubs, leagues and companies active in the sports industry on a wide range of sports law matters, including assisting on both contractual and regulatory issues as well as representing in international sports arbitration proceedings.

In addition, Stella advises domestic and foreign clients on international commercial agreements e.g. supply, distribution, agency, consultancy, licence and e-commerce.

Stella is a member of the Federal Tribunal of the Italian Athletics Federation (FIDAL) and, a member of the Federal Tribunal of the Italian Ice Sports Federation (FISG).

She is also a member of the the Olympialex Review Editorial Board as well as member of the "Sport&Business" Commission" and "Lombardia Commission" of the Italian Sports Lawyer Association.

Stella has authored numerous publications on sports law related issues and is frequently invited to speak at sports law conferences.

Track record

International football transfers

Advised on international transfers of several football players and coaches.

Football coach

Advised a football coach in an international arbitration proceeding against a foreign football club and subsequent enforcement of the award.

Sports law study

Advised as a national expert in favour of the institute that successfully tendered for a sports-law study launched by the European commission.

Italian first division club

Advised an Italian first division football club in an international arbitration proceeding against an English first division football club.

Talks

- '*Gli investimenti dei fondi di private equity nel calcio*', Sport Digital Days, Milan, March 2021
- '*Novità, riflessioni ed esperienze in materia di doping - il doping tecnologico*', Milan Bar Association, November 2020.
- '*Sport and arbitration: a marriage for love or of convenience?*', CEA VII Annual Cyber Seminar 2020, October 2020).
- '*The bankruptcy of the Mens Sana Siena basketball club - sustainability of basketball and professional sports*', Professional Lawyer Association, Milan, January 2020.
- '*The rules out of the pitch - law economics and common practice of sport*', Milan Bar Association, October 2019,
- '*La lex sportiva - Internationality of law and sport*', Cuneo Bar Association, May 2019.
- '*The reform on the Italian Football Agents Regulations*', Italian Young Lawyers Association, Monza, April 2019.
- '*The amendments to the FIFA RSTP of June 2018*' Albanese Football Federation, Tirana, January 2019.

External publications

'*The new Italian legal framework for non-Italian sports agents*' (Withers sport blog, December 2020)

'*UEFA Adopts Temporary Emergency Measures For Financial Fair Play*' (Withers sport blog, July 2020)

'*How Italy is tackling ambush marketing ahead of UEFA Euro 2021 & 2026 Winter Olympics*' (LawnSport - 30 April 2020)

'*Some takeaways from the AC Milan v. UEFA case*' (January 2019)

Admissions

Italy, 2010

Education

Languages

English
French
Italian

Memberships

Bar of Padua
Union Internationale des Avocats
Board Member of the Lombardia Committee of the Italian Sports Lawyers Association

Key dates

Year joined: 2014

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