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Christina Tenbrock, attorney-at-law since 2011, specializes in trademark and unfair competition law as well as patent law. She represents national and international clients in cross-border infringement proceedings and regularly conducts opposition and nullity proceedings before the DPMA, the BPatG and the EUIPO. A further focus of her work lies in the Drug Advertising Law (HWG), the Medicinal Products Act (AMG) and the Medical Device Act (MPG). Out of court, she advises clients on marketing campaigns and product launches, on border seizure proceedings and on various contractual issues (e.g. delimitation agreements, joint marketing agreements and license agreements).

During her legal clerkship (Referndariat) with the Higher Regional Court Düsseldorf, she worked for various international law firms specializing in intellectual property law, for a global pharmaceutical company and at the German Embassy in London. After completing her second state examination, she continued her specialization in patent law, trademark law and unfair competition law with a master's degree (LL.M.) in intellectual property law at the Heinrich Heine University in Düsseldorf.

DOSSIERS SIGNIFICATIFS

- Extensive advice and representation of a global manufacturer of original pharmaceutical preparations in the field of trademarks and unfair competition; in particular enforcement of non-traditional trademarks (color trademarks and 3D trademarks) in multinational litigation.
- Representation of a medical device manufacturer in the field of competition law, drug advertising law and medical device law.
- Enforcement of claims for damages due to patent infringement by premature entry of generic drugs for a French pharmaceutical company; advice on the enforcement of legal data protection under the German Medicinal Product Act (AMG).
- Advice and strategic positioning of a South Korean automobile manufacturer with regard to the defence of one of the company's most highly valued trademarks, including counter-attacks before the EUIPO / DPMA.
- Advising the leading manufacturer of small electrical appliances and household goods in the context of a patent dispute with a competitor; strategic positioning with regard to an upcoming trade fair appearance.

AFFILIATIONS PROFESSIONNELLES

- German Association for the Protection of Intellectual Property (GRUR)
- Intellectual Property Owners Association (IPO)
- Association of Intellectual Property Experts (VPP)
- International Trademark Association (INTA)
- Pharmaceutical Trade Marks Group (PTMG)

CE QUE DISENT LES AUTRES

- Christina Tenbrock won the Lawyer Monthly 2018 Women in Law Awards for Intellectual Property (Germany)
- Managing Intellectual Property – IP Stars (Trade Mark, Germany):

Rising Star 2019

Rising Star 2018

Langues

Allemand, Anglais, Espanol

Admission

2011 Düsseldorf

Formation

LL.M. in intellectual property law, Heinrich Heine University Düsseldorf (2011)

Higher Regional Court of Düsseldorf (Law, 2011)

University of Cologne (Law, 2008)

Universidad Carlos III Madrid, Spain (Law, 2004/2005)

University of Trier (Law, 2002)