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Schoenherr is a leading full service law firm in Central and Eastern Europe. About 300 professionals service national and international clients from our offices in Austria, Belgium/EU, and throughout the entire CEE region. Operating in a rapidly evolving environment, we are a dynamic and innovative firm with an effective blend of experienced lawyers and young talent. As one of the first international law firms to move into CEE, we have grown to be one of the largest firms in the region. Our offices and country desks provide comprehensive coverage of CEE, allowing us to offer solutions that perfectly fit the given industry, jurisdiction and company.

team new technologies

Intelligent devices, apps, cloud computing, domain names, social media, big data and outsourced it-services – modern technologies rarely follow traditional legal sectors. In order to meet the demands of tomorrow's technologies today, the newTech team combines the strength of leading experts in ip, it, privacy, and telecommunications law. The newTech team provides true one-stop-shop legal services in the world of new technologies and the tmt sector. Our combined know-how ensures an optimised understanding of our client's needs, and trans-sectoral, full coverage legal advice right from the start.

outsourcing & cloud services

Whether it is traditional it-outsourcing, or utilising modern cloud services, cost saving should not be put at risk by using inferior legal documentation. Interlocking your effective project management with our experienced legal experts at an early stage, will not only help with meeting your project deadlines, but will also ensure that you have a sound legal basis for the technology you will be using.

social media & internet of things

Social media often comes with a multitude of pitfalls since it is at the intersection of interactive web applications, rapidly developing technologies, and, at times, outdated legal frameworks. From setting up a company profile on a social media platform to making use of user-generated content and personal data; or from data secrecy and liability restrictions, to guiding your employees in respect of these matters – entering the world of social media requires competent and to-the-point legal advice. The rapidly evolving internet of things constantly faces an underdeveloped regulatory environment. This triggers not only legal uncertainty but also potentially unpredictable regulatory enforcement. Relying on our expertise means safeguarding your company from the risks of not being properly acquainted with the legal aspects of this environment.

software & licensing

Whether ordering tailor-made trading software, migrating a hospital to a new medical it system, offering apps to end-users, or undergoing licence audits: your it departments should not be left alone when doing so. Let us take care of the legal aspects for you, giving your experts the chance to focus on the business side of matters.

privacy

The world as we know it is a global network – within seconds masses of data are shipped across continents. Whether social media platforms or corporate wide databases – our data has become a precious trading commodity. Turning on your computer means facing data protection. Correspondingly, data protection law has become a swift legal climber. We are not only on the pulse of national data protection regulations, but also of the current creation of new European data protection law. Calling us in for assistance means accomplishing crucial data protection.



The lawyers are very thoughtful and considerate, and provide solutions

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services

- autonomous systems
- app-development
- big data
- cloud computing
- internet of things
- data protection & data security
- domain names
- e-commerce
- new gTLDs
- global anti-piracy
- interactive web applications
- outsourcing
- general terms & conditions
- global network communication
- online gaming
- social media platforms
- software licensing
- user-generated content
- web-based services
- webshops
- website development

There is a growing list of new products and services offered in digital society. The newTech team provides legal backup across the board.

awards

2017 cee legal matters deal of the year in austria

2017 mergermarket european m&a awards
austrian legal adviser of the year

2017 iflr european awards
austrian law firm of the year

2017 iflr european awards
restructuring deal of the year: HETA

2016 juve awards
austrian law firm of the year

2016 the lawyer european awards
eastern european and the balkans law firm of the year

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new media & telecom

"Classic" telecommunication and new media communication have merged. Legal advice in telecommunications increasingly focuses on web-based services. No matter whether it is about clearing the name for your newest app, chasing domain grabbers, assessing joint document use services, dealing with cookie restrictions, or reviewing your web presence, our newTech team provides competent advice on today's and tomorrow's telecommunication services.

domain names

The domain name world is changing. New gTLDs (.bike, .clothing, .today, etc) bring with them numerous new opportunities for registering internet domain names and thus also new challenges for brand owners. We advise on the services offered by the Trademark Clearinghouse, develop strategies for how best to benefit from the specific procedures implemented for the protection of brands, and regularly represent clients in domain name disputes.

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