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BIOGRAPHY PARTNER

Florence Chafiol, partner at August Debouzy, provides both advisory and litigation support to her clients, whether major French and foreign players or new economy companies (Next 40), on all their legal and strategic issues related to innovative technological projects in the digital, artificial intelligence or e-commerce fields.

She has also developed a highly recognized practice on all issues related to personal data in connection with the GDPR, and cybersecurity.

Florence Chafiol also assists her clients in the event of cyber security attacks and personal data breaches that they may experience and throughout the management of the resulting crisis. Finally, she assists her clients who have been the subject of formal notices or have undergone audits with the handling of their pre-litigation and litigation processes with the French Data Protection Authority (CNIL) as well as with their "personal data" disputes before civil and criminal courts.

Florence has been teaching for several years at the DJCE of Montpellier (Corporate Lawyer Diploma) and at the University of Panthéon-Assas, in Paris, in connection with the DPO University Degree. She regularly leads or takes part in conferences and debates pertaining to personal data protection, cybersecurity and artificial intelligence, and publishes articles on these subjects in the general and specialized press.

PRACTICE AREAS

IT and Data Protection
Competition, Retail and Consumer Law
Commercial and International Contracts

HIGHLIGHTS

Tech & Digital
Luxury - Retail
Protection des données personnelles
Data Privacy

EDUCATION

Post-graduate degree (*DESS-DJCE*) in Business Law, Montpellier University, 1995
Post-graduate degree (*Magistère-DJCE*) in Business Law, Montpellier University, 1993-1995
Degree in Contracts, Business Organizations, University of Florida, Gainesville, USA

ADMITTED TO THE BAR

Paris, 1996

LANGUAGES

French | English

TEACHING

Montpellier University DJCE - Business Law
Panthéon-Assas University - DU Délégué à la Protection des Données (DPO)
Paris-Cité University - Business and Management Law Centre
Paris Dauphine University - Master's Degree (*Master 2*) - Business Law

PUBLICATIONS

- › « August Debouzy advises Fisk Alloy on the acquisition of Thermo Technologies' Specialty Wire business », Valéry Denoix de Saint Marc, David Neuwirth, Vincent Brenot, Fabienne Haas, Alexandre Dumortier, Alexandra Berg-Moussa, Thibaut Amourette, Philippe Lorentz, Elie Bétard, François Pochart, Geoffroy Thill, Olivier Attias, Florence Chafiol, Boris Léone-Robin, Charles Maurel, Guillaume Aubatier, Juliette Vachet, Alexandre Mennucci, Alix Kianpour, Vincent Fromholz, Pierre Pérot, Inès Bouzayen, Catherine Mintégui, Ghislain Minaire, Matthieu Le Cacheux, Robin Nini, Jennifer Hinge, Pauline Desplas □ 10/04/26
- › « Les thématiques prioritaires de contrôle de la CNIL pour 2026 », Florence Chafiol, Alexandra Antalis □ 09/04/26
- › « August Debouzy advises Verdosso on the contemplated acquisition of Globecast from Orange », Philippe Lorentz, Coralie Foucault, Elie Bétard, Vincent Brenot, Virginie Devos, Alexandra Berg-Moussa, Thibaut Amourette, Florence Chafiol, Olivier Attias, Boris Léone-Robin, Charlotte Chen, Guillaume Aubatier, Alix Kianpour, Alexandra Antalis, Pierre Pérot, Inès Bouzayen, Etienne Mathey, Dorra Chedli, Elina Alfarmini, Jennifer Hinge, Pauline Desplas, Joël Fernandez, Victoire Le Calvez, Hortense Coulon, Mathilde Saltiel □ 02/04/26
- › « Cookies et autres traceurs, une action de régulation ciblée au niveau national », Florence Chafiol, Alexandra Antalis □ 10/02/26