

# Céline Schmid

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## My legal expertise and far-sightedness enable me to guide my clients pragmatically towards success.

Céline Schmid specializes in Employment Law, Contract Law and M&A transactions. As a member of the Startup Desk team, she also advises and assists Swiss and international companies from all sectors on employee participation programs and migration law matters.

In addition, Céline Schmid has comprehensive experience in all areas of Real Estate and Tenancy Law, both in contentious and non-contentious matters.

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# Expertise

Employment and Social Security Law →

Company & Corporate Law / M&A →

Startup & Venture Capital Desk →

## Career

- Since 2026
  Counsel, Kellerhals Carrard Zurich
- 2024-2025
  Senior Associate, Kellerhals Carrard Zurich
- 2022-2023
  Associate, Kellerhals Carrard Zurich
- 2019-2021
  Associate, Schellenberg Wittmer SA Zurich
- 2018
  Law clerk, Civil District Court Basel-Landschaft West Arlesheim
- 2016-2017
  Trainee in a law firm and at the Civil District Court Basel-Landschaft West
- 2011-2015
  legal employee in the legal Department of the Homeowners' Association of Basel-City

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## Memberships

- Swiss Bar Association (SBA)
- Zurich Bar Association (ZBA)
- Basel Lawyers' Association

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## Education

- 2025
  Certified Specialist SBA Employment Law
- 2022
  LL.M., University of San Diego School of Law
- 2018
  Bar exam, Canton of Basel-Landschaft
- 2015
  MLaw, University of Basel
- 2014
  BLaw, University of Basel

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## Other Activities

- Since 2026: Lecturer at the University of Applied Sciences Northwestern Switzerland
- Since 2025: Member of the editorial team at legalis brief – Specialist Labour Law Service

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## Languages

German, English, French

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