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Dedicated attorney specializing in private equity, M&A, venture capital, and start-ups. Combines negotiation skills, availability, and economic understanding with a pragmatic, solution-oriented approach to implement transactions efficiently and purposefully.

Luana Stämpfli has many years of experience in national and international M&A and private equity transactions as well as in the areas of venture capital and start-ups. Her work also includes corporate reorganizations and restructurings as well as corporate law and general contractual matters, in particular joint ventures, partnerships, and shareholder agreements. She has particular experience in the areas of asset deals, employee participation, and up and cross stream issues.

In the past, she has held various in-house roles and supported transactions on the client side, including during a secondment in London focusing on international M&A in the education sector and as legal counsel at an international venture capital firm in Singapore, where she managed various investments worldwide.

Luana Stämpfli is admitted to practice as an attorney in Switzerland and as a solicitor in England and Wales. She regularly holds workshops for investors and writes for venture capital publications.

Expertise

Company & Corporate Law / M&A



Startup & Venture Capital Desk



Insolvency and Restructuring



White-collar crime, mutual legal assistance, internal investigations, crisis management, and compliance



Career

- Since 2025
Partner, Kellerhals Carrard Zurich
- February–August 2024
Secondment at Cognita
- 2021–2025
Associate, Bär & Karrer AG, Zurich
- 2019–2021
Legal Counsel, Arbor Ventures, Singapore
- 2016–2017
Auditor, Bülach District Court
- 2015–2016
Trainee lawyer, Meyerlustenberger Lachenal AG, Zurich

Memberships

- Swiss Bar Association (SAV)
 - Zurich Bar Association (ZAV)
 - HSG Alumni
 - The Swiss Law & Economics Students' Society (SLESS)
 - Solicitor (England and Wales)
 - The Law Society of England and Wales
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Education

- 2024
UK Solicitor Exam, London
 - 2020
Data: Law, Policy and Regulation online certificate course, London School of Economics and Political Science (LSE)
 - 2020
VC University Online, University of California Berkeley Law
 - 2019
Swiss Bar exam, Canton of Zurich
 - 2014
CFA: Chartered Financial Analyst Exam 1
 - 2013 – 2016
M.A. HSG in Law and Economics, University of St. Gallen
 - 2009 – 2012
BLaw, University of Zurich
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Other Activities

- Speaker at the ISIS seminar (Startups – Tax and fiscal challenges (1/2))
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Languages

German, English, Portuguese
