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Between regulation and innovation – with curiosity, clarity and the necessary dash of perseverance for goal-oriented solutions.

Stephanie Schmid is a solicitor specialising in banking and FinTech. She advises national and international companies, particularly on issues relating to financial market law, regulatory law and data protection law.

Before joining Kellerhals Carrard, she worked for several years at SIX Exchange Regulation AG, most recently as Deputy Head of the Disclosure & Prospectus Office. In this role, she dealt extensively with prospectus and disclosure law. Prior to that, she worked in the Regulatory and Enforcement & Compliance teams, where she dealt with regulatory issues and aspects of trade surveillance. She began her career as a court clerk at the district court.

Expertise

Banking, Finance and Fintech

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Intellectual Property Law, Technology Law, Digitalisation, and Communication

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

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Career

- Since 2025: Associate at Kellerhals Carrard in Zurich

- 2022–2025: Legal Counsel, Senior Legal Counsel and Deputy Head of Disclosure & Prospectus Office at SIX Exchange Regulation AG

- 2018–2022: Court clerk at the District Court of Zofingen

- 2015–2017: Legal intern and court clerk at the District Court of Aarau

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Memberships

- Zürcher Anwaltsverband (ZAV)
- Schweizer Anwaltsverband (SAV)
- Ius Alumni Universität Zürich

Education

- 2022: CAS Litigation – Civil Litigation IPR-HSG

- 2018: Bar admission in the Canton of Aargau

- 2015: MLaw, University of Zurich and Keio University Law School, Tokyo, Japan

- 2013: BLaw, University of Zurich

Languages

German, English

Publications & Presentations

Geldwäschebekämpfungoder Aufsicht? Zur normativen Abgrenzung der travel rule nach Art. 10 GwV-FINMA, der Stablecoin-Praxis der FINMA und dem neuen Vernehmlassungsvorschlag im Schweizer Recht In: Elektronische Wertpapiere und Wertrechte, Reform und Realität im deutschsprachigen Raum, Herausgegeben von Sebastian Omlor, Matthias Lehmann und Rolf Sethe, S. 161-174	Cornelia Stengel Stephanie Schmid	2026