

Emerging Companies and Venture Capital

New products and ideas require capital. Cash to grow. You look for an edge on investments and deals. Lawyers on the emerging companies and venture capital team at Hogan Lovells have advised on cutting-edge start-up/venture projects that have set precedents. Our global experience in cross-border transactions attracts clients with international vision.

Our relationship with you covers the lifecycle from start-up, early, middle, and later stage venture capital investments. We also cover the exit, which may be a sale or an IPO or run as a "dual track" exit. We also help with your general corporate needs including M&A, regulatory, and corporate governance. Immersed in technology, including biotech, financial technology, and clean technology, our team guides you through the start-up maze with confidence.

Representative experience

We advised CommerzVentures GmbH, Acton GmbH & Co. Heureka II KG, Capnamic United Venture Fund I GmbH & Co. KG on a venture capital investment in Plan Forward.

We advised Springlane GmbH on its Series C financing round with TriPos, KfW, HV Ventures, Tengemann, and others.

We advised ABS Capital Partners on its US\$20.5m investment in a premier sustainable products brand, Bambeco.

We advised Five Prime Therapeutics on a US\$84.3m public offering of common stock.

Practices

Private Equity

We advised Centogene on its €25m Series A financing.

We advised Claranet on its £90m private equity investment by Tikehau Capital and Partners Group.

We advised Evinced on its US\$17m Series A funding round co-led by M12, Microsoft's venture fund, BGV, Capital One Ventures, and seed investor Engineering Capital.

We advised FlixMobility on its Series F funding round. This transaction is one of the largest equity financing rounds ever completed in Germany.

We advised Globacap on the issuance of ordinary shares onto the public blockchain, the first ever issuance of shares onto the blockchain by a UK company.

We advised Monzo on its £20m crowdfunding round as part of its £105m Series E raise.

We advised Personio GmbH on its US\$125m Series D and US\$75m Series C financing rounds to fund the Munich start-up's international expansion.

We advised Zopa on its £60m pre-IPO fundraising.

Latest thinking and events

Press Releases

Hogan Lovells advises The Mobility House on its Series C1 financing round

Press Releases

Hogan Lovells advises The Mobility House on a €15 million financing agreement

Hogan Lovells Publications

Partners for change: Hogan Lovells and the Dell Women's Entrepreneur Network

Blog Post

Open for business – private equity investment in the Vietnamese retail sector