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Paris Bar (2005)
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PUBLIC LAW - ENERGY LAW

Sylvain Bergès has recognised expertise in the areas of public law and energy law, both as a litigator and an advisor. He is regularly involved in project financing and M&A transactions concerning the renewable energies sector in particular. He has advised significant industrial groups on complex public law issues (public procurement, public property law, structuring of public participation in sectors open to competition, etc.) and during the development phase of renewable energy production projects.

Most recently, Sylvain has notably advised RWE, BKW, Teréga and Samfi-Invest.

AREAS OF EXPERTISE

- Public law
- Energy law
- Projects

CAREER PRIOR TO JOINING

- Paul Hastings LLP
- Gide Loyrette Nouel

EDUCATION

- Sciences Po Paris – Diploma in law governing economic activities
- University degree (DU) in comparative law - Université Paris II (Panthéon Assas)
- Post graduate degree (DEA) in law governing public involvement in the economy Université de Paris II (Panthéon-Assas)

LANGUAGES

French / English / Spanish

OTHER

- Lecturer in energy law, Institut Français du Pétrole et des Energies Nouvelles (since 2014)
- Co-author of the Code de l'énergie, LexisNexis, commented edition of the French Energy Code (2013 and 2017)
- Hydroélectricité : la confluence des droits, in RFDA review June 2017
- Audit énergétique des entreprises : deux textes réglementaires pour permettre la mise en œuvre de ce nouvel outil, in Energie-Environnement-Infrastructures review February 2015
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- How France shares the nuclear rent: a presentation of the NOME Act, The Journal of World Energy Law & Business (Oxford) 16 August 2012
- Wind, water, sun and atom, in appendix of "The 2010 guide to Energy and project finance" of International Financial Law Review, September 2010
- Contrats d'obligation d'achat, compétence juridictionnelle et loi interprétative, in Les Petites Affiches 29 September 2010
- La gestion des flux physiques et financiers au titre du contrat de stockage de gaz naturel, in JCP E 30 September 2010