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Best Lawyers Announces 2023 Edition of The Best Lawyers in Italy™

AUGUSTA, Ga., 23 June 2022 — Best Lawyers[®], the oldest and most respected guide to the legal profession globally, is pleased to announce the release of the ninth edition of *The Best Lawyers in Italy*[™] which recognizes the professional excellence of 994 lawyers.

"Best Lawyers has proudly recognized outstanding lawyers in Italy since 2009," said CEO of Best Lawyers Phillip Greer. "Identified as talented and deserving by their peers, it is a privilege to present them these awards."

Best Lawyers lists have used a Purely Peer Review[™] methodology for more than 40 years and are the preeminent guide to the legal profession. The methodology is designed to capture, as accurately as possible, the consensus opinion of leading lawyers about the professional abilities of their colleagues within the same geographical area and legal practice area. Lawyers are the best resource to provide feedback on the caliber of work performed by their peers.

The more than 990 lawyers recognized in the 2023 edition of *The Best Lawyers in Italy* practice across 50 specialties. Lawyers who are nominated for consideration are voted on by currently recognized Best Lawyers working in the same practice area and located in the same geographic region. For research purposes, smaller and more rural cities located within a reasonable distance to larger cities are combined into single geographical regions called "metro areas" to help collect as much feedback and data as possible. Milan is the metro area with the largest number of listed lawyers in Italy.

Our awards and recognitions are based purely on the feedback we receive from these top lawyers. Lawyers are not required nor allowed to pay a fee to be listed; therefore, inclusion in Best Lawyers is considered a singular honor. Those who receive high peer reviews undergo a thorough verification process to make sure they are currently still in private practice. Only then can Best Lawyers recognize these top lawyers.

In addition to historic individual lawyer recognition, 46 lawyers were recognized as "Lawyer of the Year" honorees and eight firms earned a "Law Firm of the Year" award. "Lawyer of the Year" awards are bestowed to only lawyers with the highest overall peer-feedback for a specific practice area and geographic region.

"Lawyer of the Year" Honorees Carlo Pavesi Catia Tomasotti

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Award Specialty Area

Corporate Law Energy Law Leveraged Buyouts Practice Energy Law Damiano Lipani Davide Cacchioli Enrico Vergani Federico Sutti Ferdinando Emanuele Filippo Brunetti Filippo Modulo Francesco Graziadei Francesco Novelli Furio Samela Gabriella Covino Giulio Andreani Giuseppe De Palma Giuseppe Scassellati-Sforzolini Gualtiero Luca Dragotti **Guglielmo Maisto** Leonardo Cammarata Lorenzo Attolico Lorenzo Piccardi Loris Tosi Luca G. Radicati di Brozolo Massimiliano Mostardini Matteo Orsingher Maurizio Traverso Paola La Licata Patrizio Messina Piero Fattori **Stefano Parlatore** Stefano Sennhauser Stefano Zunarelli

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"Law Firm of the Year" awards are country and practice area specific. They are determined based on a handful of factors, including feedback from lawyers recognized by Best Lawyers on individual lawyer and firm-wide work, the size and coverage of the firm in a specific practice area, historical analysis of the firm's "Lawyer of the Year" awards in this area and research surrounding the firm's overall scope and areas of expertise.

"Law Firm of the Year" Recipient

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