

A UNIQUE LAW FIRM

Gide is a premier international law firm and the first to have originated in France. Founded in Paris in 1920, Gide now operates from 15 offices worldwide. The firm has 600 lawyers, including some one hundred partners, drawn from 35 different nationalities. They are members of over 40 bars, including those of the countries in which we have a physical presence (Solicitors England & Wales, Hong Kong & New York Bars, etc.).

Local Knowledge & International Capability

In each of our offices in Europe, Asia, North America, Africa and the Middle East, Gide puts its comprehensive knowledge of local markets, its regional expertise and the resources of an international law firm to the service of its clients. The firm is regularly referenced in international legal guides and league tables.

- 4 offices in leading business capitals and over 420 lawyers
- 3 offices in Central and Eastern Europe and 80 lawyers
- 4 offices in Asia and some 50 lawyers
- 4 offices in North Africa and the Middle East and over 40 lawyers

From our core international centres in Paris, London, Brussels and New York, we are able to offer our clients access to French, English, EU and US law. The leading international status of many of our lawyers allows us to play a major role in constructing the law as well as advising upon it.

Our international presence also extends to Central and Eastern Europe (Istanbul, Moscow and Warsaw), Asia (Beijing, Hong Kong, Shanghai and Ho Chi Minh City), North Africa and the Middle East (Algiers, Casablanca, Tehran and Tunis), where our lawyers routinely offer a service that is both global and local.

Our commitment to the worldwide business community is reflected in our client base, which comprises international or overseas-based private or publicly quoted organisations. We advise foreign investors, banks, international institutions, public authorities and leading local business groups on all the legal issues raised in the course of their investments and commercial and financial transactions.

In a Class of our Own

Gide offers a rare if not unique combination in today's legal marketplace:

- a firm at the leading edge of the practice of civil and common law,
- comprising lawyers drawn from 35 nationalities, admitted to more than 40 bars, all dedicated to best serve their clients in one single firm,
- within a true partnership ethos, thus building a strong internal culture of trust and collegiality.

« French powerhouse Gide Loyrette Nouel AARPI continues to excel in both legal prowess and outstanding client service. Offering clients extensive coverage of the French legal landscape, the firm has recently achieved further market recognition for its services in financial regulation. A strong choice for high value transactions, it continues to offer top-tier practices in a diverse range of areas, including banking & finance, venture capital, intellectual property, real estate and public law. »

Chambers Europe Awards 2017: France Law Firm of the Year

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A Distinctive International Strategy

Building on the leading market position we have retained for decades in France where our origins lie, our expansion across the globe is the result of a carefully defined business model, focused on being present:

- at the source of European law (Brussels);
- in selected financial centres (London, New York, Hong Kong);
- in the main Eastern European countries;
- in major countries entering the market economy (China, Russia);
- in rapidly emerging economies (North Africa).

As such, and despite a significant increase in competition over the years, Gide is the only law firm in Continental Europe to rank No. 1 in its historical base, and to reach across four continents.

Our **Firmwide Practice Groups** combine local knowledge with global best practice and link our offices in servicing our clients worldwide in areas such as:

- Banking & Finance
- Competition & International Trade
- Dispute Resolution
- Employment
- Insurance, Industrial Risk & Transport
- Intellectual Property, Telecommunications
Media & Technology
- Mergers & Acquisitions / Corporate
- Projects (Finance & Infrastructure)
- Public Law & Environment
- Real Estate Transactions & Financing
- Restructuring
- Tax

In any location where we do not have an office, we maintain close relationships with the best law firms in the region.

Gide is also a member of Lex Mundi, an international network of over 160 other independent firms, each ranking best in its local jurisdiction. Together, we provide full multi-jurisdictional integrated advice.

This optimum model offers our clients the most efficient and consistently high quality service they are entitled to expect.

« Gide Loyrette Nouel has a longstanding tradition of excellence. The firm can trace its roots back to 1920 when Pierre Gide opened his firm in Paris. Over the years, the firm has expanded and now has 600 lawyers working from 15 offices worldwide. [...] Gide is represented across 21 practice areas in this guide, demonstrating the high regard in which its lawyers are held across a wide range of legal practices. »

Who's Who Legal Awards 2016: France Law Firm of the Year

« This renowned French firm boasts an impressive number of top-tier rankings across a wide range of practice areas including banking and finance, capital markets, IP and real estate. It also has a flourishing venture capital practice. »

Chambers Europe Awards 2014: France Law Firm of the Year



France Law Firm of the Year

Chambers Europe Awards
2010, 2011, 2014 & 2017
I.F.L.R. Europe Awards 2010 & 2013
Who's Who Legal Awards 2006-2017
ILASA 2011 - Décideurs

National Firm of the Year for Algeria

I.F.L.R. MENA Awards 2013

**Grand Prix Infrastructure
Refinancing | France**

Magazine des Affaires 2017

Grand Prix Infrastructure | Africa

Magazine des Affaires 2014, 2015
& 2016

China Business Law Awards Winner

China Business Law Journal
2013, 2015 & 2016

**Grand Prix Infrastructure
Brownfield | France**

Magazine des Affaires 2016

**Grand Prix Infrastructure
Greenfield | France**

Magazine des Affaires 2016

**Gold Trophy in Urban Planning &
Development Law**

Trophées du Droit 2015 - Décideurs

Turkey Tax Firm of the Year

International Tax Review
European Awards 2015

Gold Trophy in Antitrust

Trophées du Droit 2014 - Décideurs

French Tax Firm of the Year

International Tax Review
European Awards 2011

Best European Law Firm of the Year

ILASA 2010 - Décideurs

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