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MA in Law and Administration, Faculty of Law and Administration,
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MA in English Philology, Institute of Applied Linguistics, University
of Warsaw

Former Erasmus exchange student, Faculty of Law, Universität
Regensburg, Germany

Completed a two-year course of English and European law at the British
Law Centre and a one-year course of American law at the Center for
American Law Studies, University of Warsaw

Languages

- English (vast experience in working for foreign clients as well as in legal translation)

Experience

Zuzanna Szmelter provides day to day legal advice to business clients, in particular those operating in construction and infrastructure sector, develops claims and dispute resolution strategies and represents clients before courts and arbitral tribunals. Zuzanna has been involved in preparing for and handling large-scale and complex litigation and arbitration proceedings since 2005.

Prior to joining KRWLEGAL team Zuzanna worked as an in-house attorney for one of the largest public companies nationwide operating in the construction and infrastructure sector where for over six years she managed a team of attorneys handling litigation and procurement litigation. Before that, Zuzanna worked for over eleven years as an attorney trainee and later as an attorney for one of the most prestigious law firms nationwide.

Zuzanna has also personally handled numerous claims and disputes pertaining to industrial, construction and infrastructure projects, commercial contracts, real estate, industrial property, corporate, unfair competition, public procurement, aviation, recognition of foreign judgments and arbitral awards, liability of board directors, labour and employment, personal interests protection and others. Zuzanna has participated in internal investigations relating to acts to the detriment of the company, abuse of power, fraud, corruption and others.

Zuzanna has graduated cum laude from University of Warsaw Department of Law and Administration where she successfully defended her MA thesis „Mistake in English and American Common Law”. She has also graduated from University of Warsaw Institute of Applied Linguistics where she successfully defended her MA thesis „Legal Translation Problems Resulting from Differences between Legal Traditions”. She has also completed a two-year course for conference interpreters. Zuzanna was admitted to the bar in 2008.



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