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Education

Postgraduate Diploma, King's College London, 2023

Dr. jur., University of MaYes. nnheim, 2021

Second State Exam, State of Baden-Württemberg, 2016

First State Exam, Eberhard Karls University of Tübingen, 2014

Bar Admissions

Frankfurt am Mair

Languages

English

German

Dr. Fabian D.F. Uebele advises clients on all aspects of EU, German and international competition law, including merger control, cartel investigations, abuse of dominance issues and the Foreign Subsidies Regulation. In recognition of his work, Dr. Uebele has been repeatedly named one of *Best Lawyers*' Ones To Watch.

Dr. Uebele joined Skadden in May 2023. His experience since joining the firm includes advising:

- **Qatar Investment Authority**, as part of a consortium with The Carlyle Group, in its €7.7 billion acquisition of BASF Coatings GmbH
- Downtown Music Holdings LLC in its \$775 million acquisition by Virgin Music Group
- Nokia Corporation in its \$2.3 billion acquisition of Infinera Corporation
- Mars, Incorporated in its \$35.9 billion acquisition of Kellanova
- **Castlelake, L.P.** in its investment as part of a consortium of bidders for a \$1.2 billion debt and equity investment in the reorganized Scandinavian Airlines to be implemented pursuant to a Chapter 11 plan and Swedish reorganization proceeding
- **TSG Consumer Partners** and **Backcountry** on the antitrust aspects of the sale of Bergfreunde GmbH, a Germany-based online retailer of premium outdoor apparel and equipment, to DECATHLON S.E., the world's largest sporting goods retailer
- Hermann Rosen, founder of ROSEN Group, a global leader in inspection and integrity
 management services for energy transmission pipelines, on the antitrust aspects of the
 carve-out of its New Ventures division, the sale of ROSEN Group to Partners Group AG
 and a significant reinvestment by Mr. Rosen in the new ownership structure

Prior to joining Skadden, Dr. Uebele worked in the London and Frankfurt offices of other major international law firms, where he advised:

- The Bank of New York Mellon Corporation on the sale of BNY Alcentra Group Holdings, Inc. to Franklin Resources, Inc.
- Centerbridge Partners LP and Advent International on the acquisition of Aareal Bank AG
- **enercity AG** on a strategic partnership with **Hanwha Q CELLS GmbH** on the acquisition of a majority stake in enercity AG's tech subsidiary LNYCHTECH GmbH
- Foxconn Interconnect Technology Limited on the acquisition of Prettl SWH GmbH
- Hon Hai Precision Industry Co., Ltd. on the acquisition of 50% of ZF Friedrichshafen AG's chassis modules business unit

Selected Publications

Co-author, "The European Commission's Revised Market Definition Notice: A New Approach to Digital Markets," *Skadden Publication*, February 14, 2024

Co-author, "European Competition Laws: A Guide to the EC and Its Member States, Chapter 7: Germany," *Frank L. Fine (ed.)*, August 2023

"Ist weniger mehr? Das OLG Düsseldorf entscheidet zur Transaktionswertschwelle (zugl. Anmerkung zum Beschluss v. 23.11.2022, Kart 11/21 (V) – Meta/ Kustomer)," *NZKart*, February 2023

"Die Interdependenz von Datenschutz- und Kartellrecht: Die Schlussanträge des GA Rantos im Verfahren EuGH – C-252/21 – Meta Platforms," *WRP*, January 2023