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Recognitions
- Lexology Index: Recommended in Commercial Litigation since 2024

Languages
German, English

Selected Publications
- Country Report Switzerland
- Die Schutzschrift in der Praxis
- Klage auf Sachgewährleistung beim Unternehmenskauf (Aktienkauf), Vorsorgliche Massnahmen beim Unternehmenskauf
- Kommentierte Musterklagen zum Gesellschaftsrecht und zum Geistigen Eigentum
- Keine selbständige Prosequierung einer Widerklage gestützt auf die Klagebewilligung für die Hauptklage

Alain Grieder is a Senior Associate in our International Arbitration and Dispute Resolution Group in Singapore. His main areas of practice are international and domestic arbitration and commercial litigation. Alain acts as counsel and arbitrator in arbitral proceedings and represents parties in litigation proceedings before Swiss courts. He has particular experience regarding disputes in the manufacturing, trade, insurance and sports industry.

Expertise
- International Arbitration
- Dispute Resolution
- Restructuring and Insolvency
- Insurance
- Trade and Transport
- Sports
- Energy
- Life Sciences
- Construction
- Blockchain-Technologies & FinTech

Experience
- Has acted as counsel, sole arbitrator, and tribunal secretary in domestic and international commercial arbitration proceedings (in particular, under the ICC and Swiss Rules)
- Has represented clients in various litigation proceedings before Swiss courts including before the Swiss Supreme Court
- Has represented clients in disputes involving sales and distribution agreements, corporate law disputes (including liability of directors and officers and shareholder disputes), insurance contracts, share purchase agreements, joint venture agreements, license agreements, as well as the enforcement of foreign judgments and arbitral awards

Career

2024	Senior Associate at Schellenberg Wittmer in Singapore
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2018	Associate and Senior Associate at a business law firm in Zurich
2016	Associate at a business law firm in Zurich
2012	Research and Teaching Assistant at University of Basel Law School
2010	Trainee Lawyer at business law firm in Basel
2009	Trainee Law Clerk at District Court of Sissach/Gelterkinden

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Education

2024	Registered as a Foreign Lawyer in Singapore
2021	Bar Admission in New York State
2020	Fellow Chartered Institute of Arbitrators (FCIArb)
2020	Certificate of Advanced Studies (CAS) in Law & Management, University of St.Gallen
2018	LL.M., New York University
2015	Dr. iur., University of Basel
2011	Bar Admission in Switzerland
2009	lic. iur., University of Basel

Additional Professional Activities

- Member of several professional institutions, including the Swiss and Zurich Bar Associations, the Chartered Institute of Arbitrators, ASA below 40, AIJA, and the New York University Alumni Association (NYUAA).
- Regular publications and speaking engagements in the areas of dispute resolution and arbitration.