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**Languages**
French, English, Spanish, Romanian, Italian, Russian

**Selected Publications**
- WIPO Pages Points Podcast Episode 22, 2026
- Handbook on Intangibles, Accounting, Reporting and Valuation, 2026
- Journal of Intellectual Property Law & Practice, 2024
- WIPO Magazine, 2025
- Interamerican Association of Intellectual Property eBook on Fashion Law, 2025

Anca Ciurel is an Associate in Schellenberg Wittmer's Geneva office. Anca specializes in complex internal investigations working as part of the White-Collar Crime and Internal Corporate Investigations group as well as the Dispute Resolution group.

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**Expertise**
- Internal Corporate Investigations
- White-Collar Crime and Compliance
- Dispute Resolution

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**Career**

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| 2026 | Associate at Schellenberg Wittmer |
| 2024 | Fellow, Office of the Deputy Director General for Copyright and Creative Industries at the World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO) in Geneva, Switzerland |
| 2023 | Associate Legal Officer, IP Commercialization Section at the World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO) in Geneva, Switzerland |
| 2023 | Investigations Consultant, Office of Internal Audit and Investigations, at the United Nations Children's Fund (UNICEF) in Budapest, Hungary |
| 2022 | Intake Investigations Officer, Office of the Inspector General at International Organization for Migration (IOM UN Migration) in Geneva, Switzerland |
| 2020 | Trainee Lawyer, Office of Audit and Investigations at the United Nations Development Fund (UNDP) in New York City, USA |
| 2020 | Trainee Lawyer, IP Department of Louis Vuitton, Paris, France |
| 2019 | On secondment from the Ministry of International Relations of Québec to the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization (UNESCO) in Paris, France |

**Education**

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| 2025 | UBE Bar Exam in the United States (Admission Pending) |
| 2025 | Certificate in Copyright Law, Harvard Law School |
| 2023 | Certificate in Patent Law, Harvard Law School |
| 2020 | Bar Admission in Canada (Québec Bar -Montréal Section) |
| 2020 | Master's degree in Transnational Law and Common Law, LL.M. University of Sherbrooke |
| 2019 | Juris Doctor Degree, J.D., University of Sherbrooke |
| 2018 | Bachelor of Law, LL.B. University of Sherbrooke |

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**Additional Professional Activities**

- Member of professional associations such as the Québec Bar Association
- Author of legal publications in law journals and magazines such as the Journal of Intellectual Property Law of Oxford Academic and the WIPO Magazine