

# Sofia Ropo



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Sofia advises our clients in the field of taxation, with a particular focus on transactions and tax litigation processes.

Sofia joined the firm in 2021. Prior to joining Hannes Snellman, Sofia worked as a manager at PwC. Sofia is currently on a parental leave.

## REFERENCES

- Counsel to taxpayers in Supreme Administrative Court's cases concerning mitigation of punitive tax Increases in accordance with objective ratio legis, 2024
- Counsel to Accel-KKR in the Investment in Aico Group, 2024
- Counsel to YIT in the sale of its fleet and equipment business and related arrangements, 2024
- Counsel to YIT in its renewables business exit, 2023
- Advised NYAB Plc on its cross-border conversion re-domiciliation from Finland to Sweden and listing at Nasdaq First North Premier in Sweden, 2023
- Counsel to Sampo plc on its dual listing on Nasdaq Stockholm, 2022
- Counsel to OCP in a Major Residential Portfolio Acquisition, 2022
- Finnish counsel to Applied Materials Inc. in the acquisition of Picosun Oy, 2022
- Counsel to the offeror consortium in the recommended tender offer for Basware Corporation, 2022
- Counsel to Orange Capital Partners and another global investor in a major residential portfolio acquisition, 2022

## MEMBERSHIPS AND POSITIONS OF TRUST

- Member of the Finnish Bar Association

## EDUCATION AND PROFESSIONAL BACKGROUND

- Senior Associate, Hannes Snellman, 2022–
- Associate, Hannes Snellman, 2021–2022
- Manager, PricewaterhouseCoopers Oy, 2021
- Senior Associate, PricewaterhouseCoopers Oy, 2019–2021
- Associate, PricewaterhouseCoopers Oy, 2018–2019

HANNES SNELLMAN

- Master of Laws, University of Turku, 2018
- Tax Trainee, PricewaterhouseCoopers Oy, 2017–2018

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