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Mikael is a part of Hannes Snellman's Private M&A and Private Equity practice in Stockholm and has considerable experience from M&A and private equity in the Nordic region. He regularly advises private equity sponsors and industrial clients on transactions with cross-border elements and is recognized by Chambers and Partners as a leading private equity lawyer in Sweden.

REFERENCES

- Counsel to VASS Group in the acquisition of Zington, 2022
- Counsel to Vida AB in the acquisition of V-Timber AB, 2022
- Counsel to Oriola Corporation in the Formation of a Joint Venture with Euroapotheca combining the Swedish retail pharmacy chains Kronans Apotek and Apoteksgruppen, 2022
- Counsel to Bare Collective in its acquisition of Boob Design, 2022
- Counsel to SEB Private Equity in the co-investment with IK Partners in their acquisition of Truesec, 2021
- Advised private equity sponsor Riverside and its portfolio company Abracon on the acquisition of Proant AB and Proant Asia Limited, 2021
- Counsel to Raketech in Its Acquisition of P&P Vegas Group Inc and Other Assets from QM Media AB, 2021
- Counsel to SEB Private Equity in its partnership with Eatery, 2021
- Counsel to Bare Collective in its acquisition of JaBaDaBaDo, 2021
- Counsel to AURELIUS Equity Opportunities SE & Co. KGaA and its portfolio company Conaxess Trade Sweden AB in the acquisition of Movement Group Nordic AB, 2021
- Counsel to REF IV Luxembourg S.à r.l., an affiliate of The Riverside Company, in the Divestment of RE Skolor AB to AcadeMedia, 2020
- Counsel to Vida AB in the acquisition of Bergs Timber AB's (publ) Swedish sawmill business, 2020
- Counsel to Pivot Fund in its first two investments, 2020
- Counsel to WhistleB in the Sale of Its Entire Share Capital to NAVEX Global, 2019
- Counsel to the Logent Group on SEK 900 Million Senior Secured Notes and the Entry Into of a Super Senior RCF, 2019
- Counsel to BVF Partners on its Investment in Calliditas Therapeutics AB, 2019
- Counsel to Stirling Square Capital Partners LLP in the acquisition of Logent Group from Adelis Equity Partners and Minority Shareholders, 2019

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- Advised private equity sponsor Riverside and its portfolio company Abracon on the acquisition of Proant AB and Proant Asia Limited, 2021

RANKINGS

- Clients describes Mikael Klang as "Extremely proactive", Private Equity, Chambers Europe, 2021
- Clients describe Mikael Klang as "one of the best M&A lawyers I have ever worked with", "very dedicated and knowledgeable about all aspects of M&A. He is very professional, client oriented and always available. He understands our business and provides valuable legal advice at a top level", and "exceptional corporate M&A lawyer. Stand-out qualities include his collaborative approach to working with other advisors, his strong commercial sense and his dedication and work ethic.", Commercial, Corporate and M&A, Legal 500, 2020
- 'Sources state that he is "Pragmatic, solution-oriented and highly creative."', Corporate/ M&A, Chambers Global and Chambers Europe 2020
- 'Clients praise his availability and speed of response', Private Equity, Chambers Europe, 2020
- Recommended in Capital Markets, Legal 500, 2019
- 'One client describes Mikael Klang as "very experienced, good to work with and easy to understand," adding that he is "very knowledgeable in negotiating transactions."', Corporate/M&A, Chambers Europe, 2019
- "Mikael Klang assists with a range of investments, divestments and add-on acquisitions, including auction processes", Private Equity, Chambers Europe, 2019
- 'Clients describes Mikael Klang as "very experienced, good to work with and easy to understand"', Corporate/M&A Sweden, Chambers Global, 2019
- 'One client describes him as "a very good, commercial lawyer who has always understood the business element." This sources goes on to say that "he is very quick and focuses on the right issues"', Chambers Europe, 2018

PUBLICATIONS

- Här är fallgroparna du vill undvika vid en transaktion, Realtid, 2020

EDUCATION AND PROFESSIONAL BACKGROUND

- Partner, Hannes Snellman, Stockholm, 2019
- Partner, Kanter, 2014-2019
- Counsel, Ashurst, 2011-2014
- Senior Associate, Roschier, 2007-2011
- Secondment, Slaughter & May, London, 2004
- Associate, Hammarskiöld & Co, 2001-2007
- Jur. kand (LL.M.), Lund University, 2001
- The University of British Columbia, Faculty of law (now Peter A. Allard School of Law), 2000-2001

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