

CORPORATE LAW RATH

Dr. iur. Johannes Rath

With over 20 years of management experience across upstream oil and gas, mining, commodity trading, shipping and chartering, as well as terminals and warehousing, I bring a wealth of industry expertise to my clients. For the past decade, I served as Managing Director of a shipping company based in Hamburg, Germany. As a qualified German lawyer, I specialize in providing practical, market-driven legal solutions tailored to meet the unique needs of each client.

2024

Lawyer with a focus on commercial and corporate law with specialization in upstream oil & gas, mining, commodity trading, shipping & chartering, terminals & warehousing

2014 – 2024

Managing Director of the product and chemical tanker shipping company Carl F. Peters GmbH & Co. KG, Hamburg (tankers, real estate, mining)

2013 – 2014

Senior Manager Corporate & Project Development at Bomin Bunker Holding GmbH & Co. KG (Marquard & Bahls Group), lawyer

2012 – 2013

Post-merger integration (PMI) of the Bomin Group into the Mabanaft Group (lawyer)

2007 – 2012

In-house lawyer at Bomin Deutschland GmbH & Co. KG, formerly BOMINFLOT Bunkergesellschaft für Mineralöle GmbH & Co. KG, Hamburg – Sale to the Mabanaft Group

2006

Doctorate at the Institute for Public Business Law (Prof. Ehlers) in Münster on Production Sharing Agreements

2005 – 2007

Articles in Law (legal clerkship), 2nd State Examination in Law at the Hanseatic Higher Regional Court of Hamburg

2003 – 2005

Roland Berger Strategy Consultants, Berlin and Moscow

2002

1st State Examination in Law at the Higher Regional Court of Hamm (University of Münster)

1995

German A-Levels at the German School of Cape Town



Languages

German • English • Russian • Afrikaans

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