



Anna Morfey

Anna is a Partner and qualified solicitor-advocate at Hausfeld in London, with a practice encompassing all aspects of contentious EU and competition law. She has extensive litigation experience in the High Court, Competition Appeal Tribunal, Court of Appeal and Supreme Court and, at European level, before the General Court and Court of Justice.

Anna has represented clients across a variety of sectors, including financial services, defence, consumer products, manufacturing and hi-tech, and has acquired a wealth of experience in European and domestic antitrust investigations, follow-on and stand-alone damages claims, and merger transactions.

Ongoing cases in which Anna is acting include representing an OEM in a follow-on damages claim against the Bearings cartel, representing a group of claimants in a follow-on damages claim against the PU Foam cartel. She is lead partner representing Foundem in its intervention in Google's appeal in the European General Court against the European Commission's Google Shopping decision, which demonstrates how she has been developing Hausfeld's expertise in European court litigation.

Prior to joining Hausfeld, Anna represented a number of defendants in follow-on damages claims, including the immunity applicant in claims brought against members of the Carbon and Graphite cartel, and acting for a defendant in National Grid's claim against the Gas Insulated Switchgear cartel. Anna has also advised clients in the context of numerous other cartel investigations and follow-on claims, including Elevators and Escalators, Marine Hoses, Industrial Bags, Libor, Credit Default Swaps and FX.

Experience

Anna has published widely on her areas of expertise both in the US and Europe. She has also worked on the sixth edition of EU Antitrust Procedure (Kerse and Khan) published by Sweet and Maxwell. She is a member of the IBA's Antitrust Litigation Working Group and regularly speaks at conferences on antitrust litigation issues.

Before moving to London, Anna worked in Brussels for three years and has also spent time on secondment to the in-house competition team of Barclays Bank plc and the UK Office of Fair Trading (now Competition and Markets Authority). Having trained at Clifford Chance, Anna was a Senior Associate at Freshfields Bruckhaus Deringer LLP in London prior to joining Hausfeld as a Partner. She is proficient in French.



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PRACTICE AREAS

Consumer Claims

Competition Disputes

EDUCATION

BPP Professional Education, London, Legal Practice Course, Distinction

College of Europe, Bruges, LLM (specializing in competition law and economics), *très bien*

Université Panthéon-Assas, Paris II, *Certificat d'Etudes Supérieures* (French and European Law)

Somerville College, Oxford, BA (Hons) Jurisprudence (Law with French Law), 2:1

BAR ADMISSIONS

Solicitor Advocate (Higher Rights, Civil Proceedings)

Solicitor, England and Wales

AFFILIATIONS & MEMBERSHIPS

Competition Law Association (CLA)

Law Society's 'Competition' Section

Anna is co-chair of the International Bar Association's (IBA) 'Antitrust Litigation' working group. She is also on the Editorial Board of Global Competition Review (GCR).

PUBLICATIONS

"Recent Developments in Private Antitrust Litigation in Europe", Mark Sansom, Anna Morfey and Patrick Teague, *ANTITRUST Magazine*, Spring 2015.

"Tactical Manoeuvres in Cartel Damages Litigation", Jon Lawrence and Anna Morfey, in *Cross-Border Competition Law Actions*, ed. Dhanov and Becker (Hart Publishing), 2013.

EU Antitrust Procedure, 6th edition, Christopher Kerse and Nicholas Khan, Sweet and Maxwell, 2012. Anna worked with Nicholas Khan to update all chapters for the sixth edition.

"Private Antitrust Litigation" – England and Wales chapter, Elizabeth Morony and Anna Morfey, *GCR Getting The Deal Through*, 2011 and 2012.

“Antitrust Damages Actions in Europe: A Step in the US Direction?”, Luke Tolaini and Anna Morfey, *ANTITRUST Magazine*, Summer 2008.

“Microsoft: The European Commission Takes A Stand”, Thomas Vinje and Anna Morfey, *Competition Law Insight*, April 2004.

IN THE NEWS

November 25, 2019

Hausfeld’s Response to EC Consultation on Confidentiality

October 10, 2019

Excellent 2020 Rankings For Competition And Banking Litigation By Chambers UK

September 27, 2019

Legal 500 UK Continues To Rank Hausfeld In All Its Core Practice Areas

February 27, 2019

UK’s first standalone collective claim filed by Hausfeld on behalf of rail passengers

January 28, 2019

Five Hausfeld Lawyers Recognised as Thought Leaders for Competition by Who’s Who Legal

January 24, 2019

Four Hausfeld Clients Granted Permission to Intervene in EC’s Google Search (Shopping) Decision Appeal

EVENTS

September 16, 2019

CDR Autumn Competition Litigation Symposium 2019 – 14th November 2019, London

August 27, 2019

Competition Litigation Conference - 20 September 2019, London

August 26, 2019

IBA’s 23rd Annual Competition Conference - 6 and 7 September 2019, Florence

January 22, 2019

Law Society Webinar - Reviewing 2018’s Key Developments Competition Litigation

November 20, 2018

Advanced EU and Competition Law Conference - 19-21 November 2018, Brussels

March 20, 2017

2017 Global Private Litigation Conference - Amsterdam

ARTICLES

October 18, 2019

'Unfair and Excessive Pricing in Europe: Pharma Focus' for ICLG 2020

October 8, 2019

Chambers & Partners' Antitrust Litigation Guide 2019 & Trends and Developments

September 3, 2019

The European Commission's 2018: A Year in Review

July 10, 2019

The EC Announces Interim Measures in Broadcom Investigation for the First Time in 18 Years

April 18, 2019

CAT Certification for MasterCard: Take Two

February 22, 2019

Applications under the CAT's Fast Track Procedure Remain New Territory

PERSPECTIVES

July 18, 2019

The EC Report on Competition Policy for 2018

April 17, 2019

CAT Certification for MasterCard: Take Two

April 9, 2019

Competition Policy for the Digital Era: EU Report Outlines Potential Shakeup for Big Tech

April 3, 2019

Google AdSense: the EC's 3rd Infringement Decision against Google

January 21, 2019

UK Court Upholds Competition Watchdog's Warrant Against Concordia

October 26, 2018

The BritNed v ABB Judgement