

## Our London Private Investment Funds Practice

### Overview

Paul Hastings has risen to become one of the leading fund formation practices in Europe, acting on around 30 successful European fundraisings over the last two years, raising in aggregate over €20 billion of capital. Our expertise covers a variety of investment categories including: real estate, private equity, infrastructure, energy, buyout, venture capital, distressed debt, agriculture, fund of funds, and other alternative investment strategies. Our lawyers advise on all matters relating to the formation and operation of private investment funds, including complicated co-investment and carried interest schemes. We also act for other actors in the private funds industry, including institutional investors, placement agents and banks.

We have a truly integrated team, combining strong regulatory and tax teams on both sides of the Atlantic which have a specific and deep focus on private investment funds, their management and their investors. We also work hand-in-hand with our pre-eminent US funds practice in New York. We also advise a range of leading European and Asian fund sponsors and investors through our network of offices in Europe and Asia. We have a "hands on" approach to client mandates and will ensure that you receive a personal and professional service at all times.

### Industry Recognition



**Law Firm of the Year – Fund Formation**

*Europe Property Investor Awards 2017*



**Fund Formation Practice Firm of the Year**

*Real Estate Finance & Investment Awards 2017*



**Funds Team of the Year**

*Shortlisted, The Lawyer Awards 2018*



**Europe Law Firm of the Year**


*Shortlisted, Global PERE Awards 2017*

### Representative Experience



**InvestIndustrial VI**

Acting on InvestIndustrial's **€2 billion** private equity fund, the largest fund ever raised focused on Southern Europe.



**NorthEdge SME Fund I**

Acting for NorthEdge Capital on the formation of its first SME focused fund, which closed at its at its hardcap and will target investment opportunities in the UK regional lower mid-market.




**Real Estate Debt Strategies III**

Advising LaSalle on its most recent real estate debt fund with commitments in excess of **£800 million**.



**Innova/6**

Advising Innova/6 on the formation of its **€325 million** mid-cap buy out fund focusing on Central Europe.



**AMC Capital IV**

Advising Accession Mezzanine Capital on the formation of its **€75 million** growth equity fund focusing on Central and Eastern European.



**Omni Secured Credit III**

Acting for Omni Capital on its **£350 million** real estate debt fund focusing on UK residential loans.



**InvestIndustrial Growth Fund**

Advising InvestIndustrial on its **€375 million** European lower-mid market private equity fund.



**MVM V**

Advising MVM Capital on the formation of its **\$260 million** special situations fund.

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## What Others are Saying

**Duncan Woollard** – Recommended for Investment Funds. "A valued and trusted adviser who provides an excellent service." — **Chambers UK 2019**

Experience and expertise across the spectrum of real estate fund vehicles, including private equity, joint ventures, funds of funds, debt and REITs. — **Chambers UK 2018**

**Arun Srivastava** "is reassuringly concise and practical in his advice and has an obvious depth of knowledge". — **Chambers UK 2018**

**Arun Birla** – Recommended for Tax "He is client-focused, goal-oriented and has a pragmatic approach driven by business sense." — **Chambers UK 2019**

**Arun Birla** – a "name of note" for Investment Fund Formation and Management: Private Funds — **Legal 500 UK, 2017**

Sources say: "They are high-quality, highly responsive and client-centric." Clients say: "They can grasp very complex stuff very quickly and they always give us lawyers who are appropriately senior to work with." — **Chambers UK 2018**

## Representative Clients



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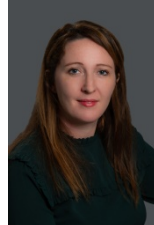


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