

## Angelina Sgier Counsel, Zurich



Angelina specialises in domestic and cross-border litigation in a broad range of matters, especially banking/commercial litigation and white-collar crime investigations, debt collection/insolvency law and related proceedings in the broader context of asset tracing and asset recovery. She also has experience in advising private clients on marital and inheritance law matters, as well as related issues of private international law.

### Current professional memberships

- + Member of the Zurich Bar Association (ZAV)
- + Member of the Swiss Bar Association (SAV/FSA)
- + Member of the Zurich Lawyers' Association (ZJV)
- + Member of the International Bar Association (IBA)
- + Member of the International Association of Young Lawyers (AIJA)
- + Member of the International Association of Restructuring, Insolvency & Bankruptcy Professionals (INSOL International)

### Career history

- + Counsel, LALIVE, Zurich, 2024 – present
- + Associate, LALIVE, Zurich, 2020 – 2023
- + Associate, Lenz & Staehelin, Zurich, 2017 – 2020
- + Law Clerk, District Court of Zurich, 2013 – 2017
- + Trainee, Lenz & Staehelin, Zurich, 2012 – 2013

### Academic qualifications

- + LLM, University of California, Berkeley, School of Law (High Honours, Dean's List, top 10% of the class), 2021
- + Master of Laws, University of Zurich (summa cum laude), 2012

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### Practices

- + Asset Recovery & Insolvency
- + Commercial Litigation
- + Investigations, Regulatory & Compliance
- + White Collar Crime

### Sectors

- + Art & Cultural Property
- + Banking & Finance

### Languages

- + English
- + German
- + Croatian

### Nationality

- + Swiss

### Admission

- + Switzerland, 2017

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## Recent publications

### **Attachment of Assets: Switzerland**

ANDRÉ BRUNSCHWEILER, BENOÎT A. MAURON, NOÉMIE RAETZO,  
ANGELINA SGIER

*In: Lawrence W. Newman (Ed.), Attachment of Assets, JurisNet LLC, 2024*

### **Precautionary taking of evidence in support of current proceedings**

MARTIN BURKHARDT, ANGELINA SGIER

*In: International Law Office (ILO), Lexology, 19 February 2019*

### **Commentary to Articles 65 and 79 of the UN Convention on Contracts for the International Sale of Goods (CISG)**

CHRISTOPH BRUNNER, ANGELINA SGIER

*In: Christoph Brunner (ed.), UN-Kaufrecht – CISG, Stämpflis Handkommentar, 2<sup>nd</sup> edition, Bern, 2014*

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## Recent conferences

### **AIJA - 63rd Annual Congress**

ANGELINA SGIER , Role: Speaker, “The use of cross-border insolvency proceedings as an asset recovery tool”

*Washington D.C., 27 August 2025*