

## Not-for-profit

### Our practice

We have developed a strong multi-disciplinary not-for-profit practice. Our greatest strength is our ability to assist any type of not-for-profit organisations across the broad spectrum of legal issues that affect them.

We have been assisting not-for-profit clients and (corporate) members of not-for-profit organisations regarding all kinds of legal issues that are relevant for this sector.

Our partnership with the tax law firm, Tiberghien, enables us to integrate tax and VAT aspects into our advice. How we can help

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- Legislation specific to not-for-profit organisations; this includes dealing with various specific corporate issues, including the setting-up, the status, the functioning and the liquidation of not-for-profit organisations as well as the potential liability of their members and officers.
- Intellectual property rights, anti-counterfeiting, designations of origin and geographical indications.
- Regulatory issues under European and Belgian law
- Antitrust
- Employment
- Data protection and other compliance issues
- Litigation
- Contract drafting
- Real estate

### Market recognition

*“Wonderful experience with Jérôme Vermeylen, whose availability, expertise and communication skills are outstanding.” – Legal 500, 2022*

*“Jérôme Vermeylen: Great sparring partner, always willing to make time (even late in the evening).” – Legal 500, 2022*

*“ALTIUS seems to always have a person with the exact expertise that you are looking for as a client. With questions often related to legal statutes as a non-profit organisation in Belgium that is also European in scope, they have an expert on that... Jerome Vermeylen. Altius also made a special effort to help all of its clients in the Covid-19 epidemic by providing ready advice for employers that goes beyond what is in government briefings.” – Legal 500, 2021*

*“Trustworthy people; understanding the clients’ needs and offering the options.” – Legal 500, 2021*

*“ALTIUS is able to deal with clients’ questions equally well in three languages, and has specific expertise that is very useful to international associations operating in the Belgian context. They also are able to put together webinars and general information packs that are useful for a broad range of clients. They also can advise employers dealing with problematic employees.” – Legal 500, 2021*

*“They provide hands-on, practical advice at a very high level.” – Legal 500, 2021*

*“Utilising its capabilities across multiple practice areas, ALTIUS provides a full spread of services to charities, trade associations, sporting bodies and healthcare organisations. It also acts for corporate clients, particularly in the context of their setting-up of and/or membership of various not-for-profit organisations.” – Legal 500, 2020*

*“ALTIUS is very professional and reliable – if we need advice quickly, they will respond quickly. We appreciate that they are also proactive in letting us know of legal changes that may impact us as a not-for-profit.” – Legal 500, 2020*

*“Jérôme Vermeylen was the lead counsel for us, and he coordinated everything smoothly despite the time difference.” – Legal 500, 2020*

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