

Erik Selander

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Erik Selander is part of the restructuring and insolvency team.

Erik's extensive international experience regarding company reorganisations, liquidations and bankruptcies is fundamental to DLA Piper's Restructuring and Insolvency group. Erik is in charge of DLA Piper's restructuring and insolvency team at Nordic level/the Nordic platform.

Erik represents finance providers as well as borrowers. Erik works primarily on cases involving the handling of elevated credit risks and related security issues.

Furthermore, Erik who has previously worked at one of the largest Swedish banks with credit related issues for approximately 10 years, is also part of our banking and finance team where he focuses on issues in the border between banking & finance and reconstruction.

Erik is a member of the World Bank Insolvency Task Force representing Sweden. Erik is appointed by the World Bank as National correspondent regarding insolvency law and company law.

Erik leads the Research Panel for Insolvency Law, Stockholm Centre for Commercial Law/Stockholm University and, was a

member of the Council at the Stockholm Centre for Commercial Law (SCCL).

Erik is also involved in DLA Piper's Sports and Events initiative and is responsible partner concerning DLA Piper's matter as exclusive legal advisor to Åre 2019 AB, organizer of the Alpine World Championships in Åre 2019.

Qualifications

Professional background	Partner, DLA Piper Sweden KB	2016-
	Partner, Advokatfirma DLA Nordic	2011-2016
	Corporate law adviser, Chief Legal Officer, deputy manager Group Financial Restructuring and Recovery, Swedbank	1999-2011
	Partner, Advokatfirman Lindahl	1994-1999
	Attorney at law/Associate, Advokatfirman Lindahl	1992-1994
	Associate, Advokatfirman Lindahl	1990-1992
	Associate, Alf Lindahls Advokatbyrå	1988-1990
	Law Clerk, Södra Roslags District Court	1987-1988

Education	FöreningsSparbanken (Swedbank) Professional Advisor/IFL, Stockholm School of Economics	2005-2006
	Directors Training, FöreningsSparbanken (Swedbank) "Strategic Company Leadership", Stockholm School of Economics	2005
	Executive Education "Analysing and Interpreting Business Accounting", Stockholm School of Economics	2004
	Leadership Program, FöreningsSparbanken (Swedbank)	2003
	LL.B., Uppsala University	1986

Membership	Erik is a member of the World Bank Insolvency Task Force representing Sweden, and appointed by the World Bank as National correspondent regarding insolvency law and company law.
	Erik is a member of the Council at the Stockholm Centre for Commercial Law (SCCL), and member of the Research Panel for Insolvency Law, Stockholm Centre for Commercial Law/Stockholm University.

Experience

Selected experience	Chairman of the Nordic-Baltic Insolvency Network
	Member of the World Bank Insolvency Task Force representing Sweden
	World Bank National correspondent regarding insolvency law and company law
	ELI (European Law Institute) - Individual Observer regarding insolvency law
	Appointed by the Swedish Government to be part of Entreprenörsskapskommittén (Entrepreneurial Committee) which will, inter alia, review the Swedish Reorganisation Act of 1996
	Appointed by the Swedish Government as an expert in connection with the official report entitled "A Coordinated Insolvency Procedure" 2007 (the new Swedish reorganisation/bankruptcy law)
	Former board member at FöreningsSparbankens Företagskredit AB (Swedbank)
	Former board member at Brummer Partners Kapitalförvaltning AB
	Former board member at Zenit Asset Management AB

Ranking

Chambers Europe	Ranked as Senior Statespeople in Restructuring/Insolvency: Trustees/Administrators and Restructuring/Insolvency, 2025	
	<i>"Erik is a thoroughly experienced insolvency lawyer with many restructurings to draw knowledge from."</i>	
	Ranked in Restructuring/Insolvency: Trustees/Administrators, 2024, 2023, 2022, 2021, 2020, 2019, 2018, 2017, 2016, 2015 and 2014	
	Ranked in Restructuring/Insolvency, 2024, 2023, 2022, 2021, 2020, 2019, 2018, 2017 and 2016	
Legal 500	Ranked as "Leading Partner" in Insolvency, 2025	
	<i>"Erik Selander is a very knowledgeable insolvency practitioner with great experience of complicated in and out of court restructurings."</i>	
	Ranked as "Leading Individual" in Insolvency, 2024	
	Ranked in Insolvency, 2023	

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