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Alexander Severance's energy and renewables practice has a special focus on fixed and floating offshore wind projects. He has worked extensively in the offshore wind space since 2011.

Prior to joining DLA Piper, Alexander was a Lead Counsel with the leading offshore wind turbine OEM, where he managed a multinational team of seven qualified attorneys. He also provided primary legal support and negotiated multi-project, multi-year, and multi-jurisdictional framework agreements, turbine supply agreements, service and maintenance agreements and related supporting agreements for some of the leading offshore wind turbine OEM's largest, most complex, innovative, and award-winning wind projects around the globe. These included both fixed-bottom and floating wind farm projects.

Alexander regularly writes and publishes on a variety of legal topics related to the offshore wind sector.

Qualifications

Education	LLM, New York University	
		2008
	LLM, National University of Singapore	2008
	JD, Boston College	
		2002
	BA, Texas A&M University	1997
Admission	Admitted to the State Bar of Texas	2002
		2002

Experience

Recent highlights

- Multiple Turbine Supply Agreements and Service and Warranty Agreements for award-winning offshore wind projects totaling more than 6,000 MW of nameplate capacity, including projects in in the United Kingdom, the United States, the Netherlands, Germany, Norway and Taiwan
- Multi-year, multi-project supply and service framework agreement for fixedbottom wind turbines
- Multi-year, multi-project supply and service framework agreement for floating wind turbines
- Multi-year, multi-project, multi-juris dictional supply and service framework agreement
- Multi-year, multi-project, global turbine supply-only framework agreements

Rankings

Legal 500

Alexander Severance is recognized as 'Green Ambassador' by the Legal 500.



Insights

"Chapter 12: Offshore wind licensing in the United States of America", in Anchustegui, I. H. & Hunter, T.S. (eds), Offshore Wind Licensing, Edward Elgar (2024), pp. 209-233.

"Annex to Mare Incognitum, Part II: A Draft Mobile Offshore
Renewables Unit Convention", vol. 46(2) Tulane Maritime Law Journal 245
(2022) (https://tlsstore.law.tulane.edu/Product/tulane-maritime-law-journal-articles/annex-to-mare-incognitum-part-ii-a-draft-mobile-offshore-renewables-unit-convention)

"Mare Incognitum, Part II: Is it Feasible to Salvage the Vancouver Draft Mobile Offshore Unit Convention by Converting It into a Mobile Offshore Renewables Unit Convention?", vol. 46(1) Tulane Maritime Law Journal 1 (2022) (https://tlsstore.law.tulane.edu/Product/tulane-maritime-law-journal-articles/mare-incognitum-part-ii-is-it-feasible-to-salvage-the-vancouver-draft-mobile-offshore-unit-convent)

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Mobile Offshore Renewables Unit Convention?", vol. 45(2) Tulane
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"Flagging the Floating Turbine Unit: Navigating Towards a Registerable, First-Ranking Security Interest in Floating Wind Turbines" (co-written with Martin Sandgren), vol. 39(1) Tulane Maritime Law Journal 1 (2014) (https://papers.ssrn.com/sol3/papers.cfm?abstract id=3694505)

Services



Energy and Infrastructure



Energy and Utilities



Finance



Asset Finance (aircraft, vessels, wind turbines, etc.)



Structured Finance and Securitization

Sectors



Energy and Natural Resources



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