

Israel de Diego

Mercantil/Fusiones y Adquisiciones
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Formación

Licenciado en Derecho por la Universidad
Complutense de Madrid
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Áreas de práctica

Fusiones & Adquisiciones
Capital Riesgo
Societario
Mercado de Capitales/Valores

Idiomas

Inglés y español



Israel de Diego, Socio del departamento de Fusiones & Adquisiciones de Araoz & Rueda desde 2017, se incorporó al despacho tras tres años como socio del departamento de M&A y Capital Markets de Baker McKenzie (2014-2017).

Anteriormente trabajó cinco años en el departamento de M&A y Capital Markets de Ramón y Cajal Abogados (de los cuales casi tres años fueron como socio) y en el departamento mercantil de otras firmas.

Israel cuenta con más de quince años de experiencia en operaciones de adquisición y venta de empresas, activos y pasivos y ramas de actividad, tanto a nivel nacional como internacional, reestructuraciones societarias y de deuda de diferentes grupos de sociedades y planificación de estructuras corporativas, emisiones de equity y deuda y contratación mercantil general.



SELECCIÓN DE RECOMENDACIONES:

Chambers Global Guide 2021, "Recommended Individual" in Corporate/Mergers and Acquisitions. Solid reputation in the mid-cap M&A market. Regularly assists international companies and funds with inbound investment. Popular choice for foreign law firms looking either to refer key clients to a smaller Spanish firm or to work together on transnational M&A projects. Adept in managing the sale of vast real estate portfolios for funds. Client portfolio comprises entities from the life sciences, transportation and TMT sectors.

Clients say the experienced team provides an "extraordinary service and very good work" when handling corporate matters".

Other interviewees say: "They have everything you need from a boutique. They are reachable and personal, a great firm to deal with."

Israel de Diego assists clients from the technology and real estate industries with acquisitions. Clients say: "He advises according to your needs and adapts to the needs of your company."

The EMEA Legal 500 2020, "Recommended Individual" in Corporate/Mergers and Acquisitions. The 'engaged, motivated and committed' Araoz & Rueda is a 'boutique and specialized firm that provides very unique M&A and corporate services'. The practice handles the spectrum of transactional and corporate work, across sectors including pharmaceuticals, construction, media, logistics and renewable energy.

The team is co-led by Pedro Rueda, who has experience advising industrial and financial clients on behalf of the buyer and the seller; **Israel de Diego**, who is active in domestic and cross-border matters; and M&A and capital markets specialist Alejandro Fernández de Araoz.

Testimonials:

"Quick understanding of customer needs. Very good management of equipment and resources"

"True attention to details regardless of the size of the deal"

"Good understanding of what metrics are important for the sector and for the deal itself"

"The firm has good knowledge and vast experience in capital markets and M&A"

"They prove to be fast, responsive, and provide valuable advice and excellent negotiation skills"

"The team is extremely committed and results oriented"

"They are really committed, extremely efficient and very knowledgeable lawyers to rely on"

IFLR 1000 2020, "Recommended Individual" in Corporate/Mergers and Acquisitions. Araoz & Rueda is recognized across all financial and corporate areas. The M&A team represented acquirers on deals in the pharmaceutical, energy, beverage, communication, health, construction, transportation and financial services industries. Partners Pedro Rueda, Alejandro Fernández de Araoz and **Israel de Diego** are highly recommended.

Testimonials:

"I have a good impression of Araoz & Rueda's work. Among its strengths I would like to stress that they follow the process very close to the client"

"It is a very good firm, I would like to point out the partners' involvement since the very beginning of any M&A process assessment"

"The firm's strengths are efficiency and agility"

"The firm has deep knowledge of the needs of the customer. The partners are at front line, flexible and facilitators".

The EMEA Legal 500 2019, "Recommended Individual" in Corporate/Mergers and Acquisitions. The 'always available' Araoz & Rueda 'understands its client's needs and tries its best to reach them'. The group frequently handles cross-border transactions. Partner Pedro Rueda heads the corporate and M&A team, which saw the addition of **Israel de Diego** from Baker McKenzie in November 2017.