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Related Services

Financial Restructuring & Reorganization

Luke Hiller-Addis is a senior associate in the Financial Restructuring & Reorganization Group. He focuses his practice on distressed transactions, cross-border financial restructurings, and general insolvency matters. Luke represents a range of clients including creditors, debtors, insolvency practitioners, and investors. Luke has experience acting in relation to each of the main English law restructuring and insolvency processes, as well as numerous overseas processes.

Representative Experience

- Advised senior lenders to a broadband provider in relation to the company's first restructuring plan, sanctioned by cross-class cram down.
- Advised the private equity owners of a British manufacturer and retailer on the preparation, approval, and implementation of the company's voluntary arrangement.
- Advised the directors of English companies within a pan-European group as to their duties in the context of the insolvent winding-up of part of the group's business.
- Advised a debt fund on the refinancing of €1.2 billion facilities to a central European group.
- Advised pension fund trustees in relation to the sale of a £1 billion claim into an insolvent estate.
- Advised the board of an English technology company in anticipation of appointment of administrators, and subsequently advised joint administrators.
- Advised a lender syndicate on contingency planning in relation to secured lending to an English property development group, with a full exit ultimately achieved via debt sale.
- Advised an investment manager in relation to the appointment of receivers in respect of UK real estate.
- Advised the board of a currency exchange group in relation to a proposed pre-packaged administration sale of part of the group's business.

Publications & Presentations

Publications

- "European Enforcement Guide," Alston & Bird, January 2024.
- "Enforcement of Share Security by Appropriation," *International Financial Law Review*, April 3, 2023.

- “Court of Appeal Provides Guidance on Company’s Centre of Main Interests Test Under the Recast EU Regulation on Insolvency Proceedings (*Melars Group Ltd v East-West Logistics LLP*),” *LexisNexis*, November 16, 2022.

Education

- BPP University (L.P.C., 2018)
- BPP University (GDL, 2017)
- University of Oxford (B.A., 2016)

Admitted to Practice

- Solicitor of the Senior Courts of England and Wales