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Emil is a Russian-qualified lawyer specialising in international and domestic mergers and acquisitions and joint ventures.

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## **BACKGROUND**

Emil graduated from the Higher School of Economics in 2014 and joined the firm in 2016. Earlier he worked in another leading international law firm in Moscow.

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## **EXPERIENCE**

Emil's experience includes advising:

- Mitsui on acquisition of an interest in the largest Russian pharmaceutical company R-Pharm
- Mitsubishi Corporation on the acquisition of a 25% stake in UNIQLO Russia and joint venture arrangements with Fast Retailing Co
- Goldman Sachs on a structured, downside protected, convertible investment into IXcellerate, the leading colocation datacentre in Russia

- Silk Road Fund on the acquisition of a 9.9% stake in major Russian petrochemical company Sibur from Leonid Mikhelson
- Uber on the combination of its ridesharing business in Russia, Kazakhstan, Azerbaijan, Armenia, Belarus and Georgia with Yandex Taxi, Russia's largest online taxi booking service
- ONEXIM Group on an indirect sale of 64.35% shares of Ukrainian Agrarian Investments S.A. (one of the largest scale farming businesses located in Ukraine) to Kernel group of companies
- Sberbank of Russia in over €900 million financing of acquisition of a number of shopping malls in Moscow and St. Petersburg by FORTGROUP from Immofinanz Group