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Languages

French, Italian, English

Kadiatou Soumah is an associate in our Employment Law Group in Geneva. She advises and represents companies and individuals in all areas of employment law, including employment contracts, termination agreements, dismissal (collective and individual), severance pay issues, non-compete clauses, unfair competition, harassment, employer liability, job transfers, and all matters relating to the Swiss Labour Act (LTr).

Kadiatou advises on social security, occupational pensions, and immigration law and has been a team member in several M&A transactions requiring employment law due diligence. She regularly advises and represents clients before authorities and courts.

Kadiatou also has significant experience in complex employment law-related criminal law disputes and in internal investigations.

Expertise

– Employment

Career

2025	Associate at Schellenberg Wittmer
2023	Trainee Lawyer at a business law firm in Geneva
2022	Researcher in the field of cultural heritage at the British Institute of International and Comparative Law (BIICL) in London, United Kingdom
2021	Legal intern in a law firm based in Florence, Italy

Education

2025	Bar Admission in Switzerland
2023	Certificate of Advanced Studies in Legal Professions, University of Geneva
2023	Certificate in Transnational Law, University of Geneva
2023	Master of Law, University of Geneva and University of Middlesex (London, United-Kingdom)
2021	Bachelor of Law, University of Geneva

Additional Professional Activities

- Member of the Geneva Bar Association
- Member of the Young Litigators Commission, Geneva International Legal Association (GILA)
- Member of the Geneva Young Bar Association Committee and member of the International Relations and Lawyers from Foreign Bars Commission (CRIBE) (2024-2025)