

Moroğlu Arseven Receives Tier 1 Rankings for Compliance, Employment, Intellectual Property, and Media and Entertainment in Legal 500's 2022 EMEA Awards, and Recognition in Seven Other Practice Areas

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While all other partners attained "Recommended Lawyers" status for various areas, senior associates **Ece Berkman** (Intellectual Property), **C. Hazal Baydar, LL.M.** (Commercial, Corporate and M&A), **Fulya Kurar, LL.M.** (Dispute Resolution), **Şayda Güneş, LL.M.** (Competition) and **Büşra Bıçkıcı** (Media and Entertainment) received recognition as "Rising Stars".

Firm's rankings in a snap-shot are as follows:

Tier 1	Tier 2	Tier 3
Compliance	Commercial, Corporate/M&A	Competition
Employment	Dispute Resolution	Energy
Intellectual Property	IT and Telecommunications	Real Estate and Construction
Media and Entertainment	Restructuring and Insolvency	

This is the firm's seventh consecutive **Tier 1** ranking for **Intellectual Property** under the leadership of partner and inth-time "Leading Individual" **İzzet Özdoğan, LL.M.**, with support from "Recommended Lawyer" **Gökçe Şzgi, LL.M.**, "Next Generation Partner" **Ezgi Baklacı Güllökar, LL.M.**, and "Rising Star" **Ece Berkman**. Client comments about the practice team include: "The IP team at Moroğlu are just great. We have already been working with them for more than ten years now and we will keep working with them. They are really involved and have a lot of knowledge." and

"The Moro?lu Arseven team is diverse, reactive and forward-thinking."

This is the firm's fifth consecutive **Tier 1** ranking for **Compliance** under the leadership of partner and "Leading Individual" **Burcu Tuzcu Ersin, LL.M.**, and "Recommended Lawyers" **Dr. E. Seyfi Moro?lu, LL.M.**, **E. Benan Arseven** and **Dr. Z. Ertunç ?irin, MA.** received recommendations for their compliance work, as well. **Burak Baydar** and **Burcu Güray** are also noted as "Other Key Lawyers". Client comments include: *"Moro?lu Arseven is my go-to firm for compliance matters in Turkey. Burcu Ersin and her colleagues have extensive experience representing multinational companies across a range of sectors (including life sciences and technology) in internal investigations, compliance program development, data privacy and related compliance matters."*

The Legal 500 based the firm's fourth consecutive **Tier 1** ranking for **Media and Entertainment**. **Clients praised Moro?lu Arseven as "Great team - knowledgeable and quick to respond."** Partners **E. Benan Arseven, Dr. E. Seyfi Moro?lu, LL.M.**, **I?k Özdo?an, LL.M.**, **Burcu Tuzcu Ersin, LL.M.**, and **Ezgi Baklac? Gülkökar, LL.M.**, and senior associates **Ece Berkman** and **Burcu Güray** received individual "Recommended Lawyer" awards for this practice, while the firm's newcomer senior associate **Bü?ra B?çakç?** is recognized as "Rising Star".

Moro?lu Arseven's **Tier 1** ranking in **Employment** practice for the second consecutive year is a confirmation of the firm's long-lasting experience and in-depth expertise in this field. The team lead by "Next Generation Partner" **?pek Ünlü T?k** *"has a solid track record representing clients during all stages of their employment negotiations, disputes, disciplinary procedures and terminations, and is also experienced in social security-related matters."*, Legal 500 team commented. Partners **E. Benan Arseven, Burcu Tuzcu Ersin, LL.M.** and senior associate **A. Kaan Ba?er, LL.M.** are also recognized for this practice.

The firm maintained its **Tier 2** rankings for **Commercial, and Corporate/M&A** under the leadership of founding and Legal 500 "Leading Individuals" **E. Benan Arseven, Burcu Tuzcu Ersin, LL.M.** and founding partner and "Recommended Lawyer" **Dr. E. Seyfi Moro?lu, LL.M.** who *"has provided strong counsel and great support on areas of law."* Senior associate **C. Hazal Baydar, LL.M.** is named as "Rising Star" for the first time. Client praises her *"Excellent communication and strong customer focus."* Senior associate **Nilüfer Hotan** is also recognized in this field.

In awarding the firm Tier 2 status for **Dispute Resolution** work, Legal 500 emphasized that the practice team is *"frequently sought out by major international companies, especially telecoms clients, which seek out the firm's expertise in corporate and commercial disputes, tax litigation, IP disputes, and arbitration."* Partners **Dr. E. Seyfi Moro?lu, LL.M.**, **E. Benan Arseven, Dr. Z. Ertunç ?irin, MA, Burcu Tuzcu Ersin, LL.M.** and **Burak Baydar** are all "Recommended Lawyers", while senior associate **Fulya Kurar, LL.M.** has received "Rising Star" status for the first time.

Moro?lu Arseven's "one-stop shop" **IT and Telecommunications** practice is ranked in Tier 2. **Burcu Tuzcu Ersin, LL.M.**, **Dr. E. Seyfi Moro?lu, LL.M.**, **E. Benan Arseven, I?k Özdo?an, LL.M.**, and **Burak Baydar** are all "Recommended Lawyers." Senior associate **Burcu Güray** is also "highly recommended" by the clients. *Client comments include "Their strategic guidance covers all IT-related areas, including data protection and privacy in addition to regulatory compliance."* and *"Burcu Tuzcu Ersin and Burcu Güray stand out for their knowledge, technical understanding and responsiveness."*

Legal 500 ranked the firm in **Tier 2** for **Restructuring and Insolvency** for the second consecutive year. Legal 500 describes the team *"advising on all stages of financial distress, including contentious restructuring and insolvency, areas supported by the firm's corporate, dispute resolution, employment and tax practices."* **E. Benan Arseven, Dr. E. Seyfi Moro?lu, LL.M.**, **Burcu Tuzcu Ersin, LL.M.** and **Burak Baydar** are all recommended in this field.

Tier 3 rankings and practice area comments include:

- **Competition:** Partners **E. Seyfi Moro?lu, LL.M.**, **E. Benan Arseven**, and **Burcu Tuzcu Ersin** are recognized, and senior associate **?ayda Güne?, LL.M.** is named as "Rising Star". Clients commented that ?ayda *"adds antitrust and compliance expertise to a practice that covers the range of competition matters,*

including investigations, merger control filings and due diligence."

- **Energy:** *"The team advises on regulatory issues, transactions including procurement and portfolio acquisitions, and operational matters."* **E. Benan Arseven, Dr. E. Seyfi Moroğlu, LL.M., Burcu Tuzcu Ersin, C. Hazal Baydar, LL.M.** and **Sevi Şlamageç** are all recognized.
- **Real Estate and Construction:** *"The team is renowned for supporting construction and real estate clients throughout the complete life cycles of their commercial, residential and industrial developments, including handling corporate transactions such as mergers, acquisitions, joint ventures, strategic partnerships, and spin-offs."* Partners **E. Seyfi Moroğlu, LL.M.** and **E. Benan Arseven** are recognized.

Legal 500's rankings are based on feedback from 250,000 peers, firm deals, and confidential matters assessed independently by its researchers. Additional details are available on [The Legal 500 website](#).