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Co-head of Bank, Finance and Restructuring department

Erlend has over 15 years of experience as a legal and commercial advisor to oil and gas companies, oilfield service contractors, investors, financiers and investment banks on projects, corporate and corporate finance transactions.

His experience spans the full range of legal, commercial and financing aspects of offshore exploration and production, providing advice on strategy, negotiating projects for clients and managing disputes and restructurings. He has been involved in many of the major corporate finance, restructurings and M&A transactions involving Norwegian oil field service companies and oil and gas companies and their assets.

Erlend has spent significant parts of his career on secondment on full or part time to oil field service companies such as Petroleum Geo-Services ASA (General Counsel), Electro-Magnetic Geo-Services ASA and Teekay Petrojarl, and continues to make use of such experience when acting as a consultant advisor to executive management and board of directors in companies within the industry.

Practice areas

- Banking & Finance
- Capital Markets
- Oil & Gas
- Sustainability Law

About Erlend

Experience

Legal advisor within oil, gas and offshore, M&A and corporate finance.

Rankings

2021 Leading individual, Recommended and Other key lawyer - Legal 500

2020 Leading Individual and Recommended - Legal 500

2020 Leading Individual - Chambers and Partners Global and Europe

Education

2002 LL.M., University of California

1999 Cand. Jur., University of Oslo