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Global Deals Intelligence

WORLDWIDE VENTURE CAPITAL ACTIVITY REACHES US\$59.7 BILLION IN Q1

Worldwide venture capital activity totalled US\$59.7 billion in deal values across 4,925 transactions from January to March this year. While this represented only a 4% decrease in deal volumes from the first quarter of 2022, deal values declined by 53%. Still, investment values remained above first quarter 2020 levels, when US\$51.2 billion was invested in only 2,788 transactions.

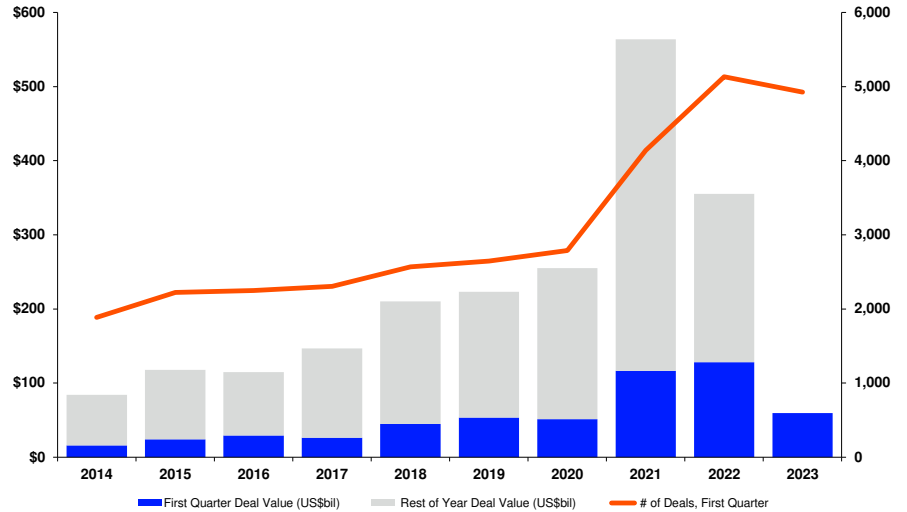
North America took a leading share of venture capital investment in the first quarter of 2023, with 53%, followed by East Asia with 18%, and Western Europe at 15%.

WORLDWIDE BUYOUTS & RELATED ROUNDS SEE US\$107.4 BILLION IN DEAL VALUES

Worldwide buyout and related transaction values reached US\$107.4 billion across 1,719 deals during the first quarter of 2023. This represented a notable 59% decline in first quarter deal values from 2022, which had until this quarter been steadily increasing since 2017. Buyout deal volumes from January to March declined 33% year over year.

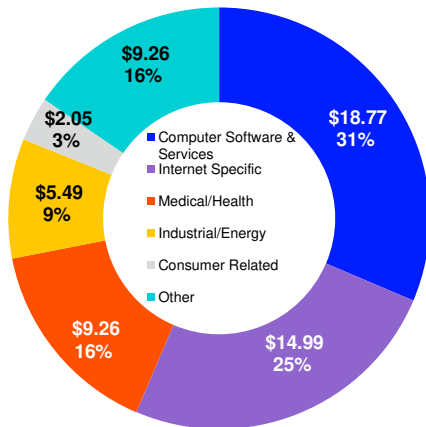
North America took a leading share of buyout & other private equity investment in the first quarter of 2023, with 63%, followed by East Asia with 17%, and Western Europe with 11%.

Global Venture Capital Activity

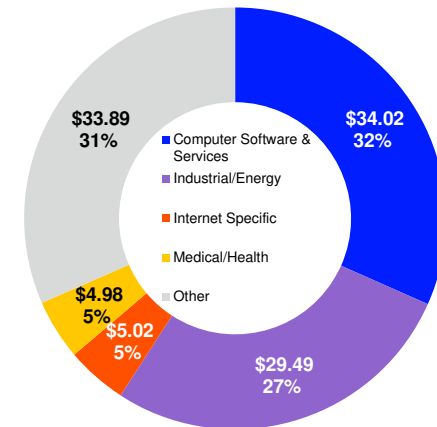


Global Private Equity Investment - Industry Composition

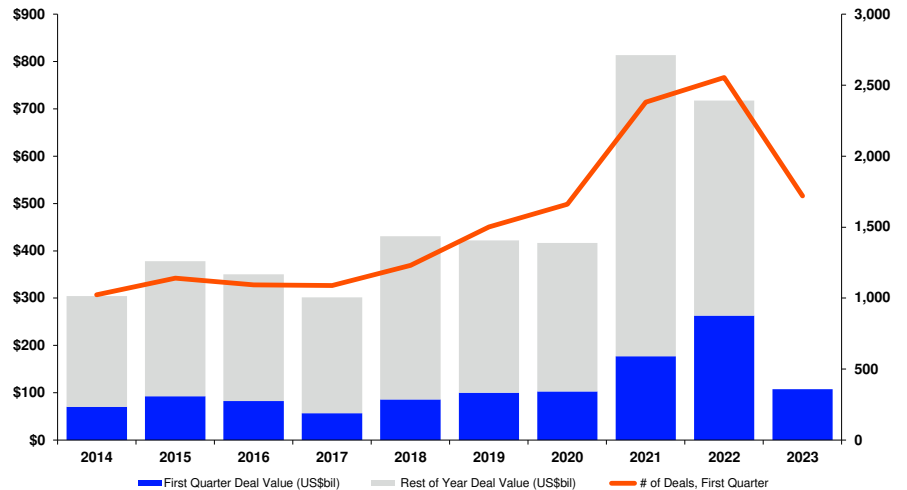
Venture Capital Q1 2023 (US\$bil)



Buyout & Related Q1 2023 (US\$bil)



Global Buyout & Related Activity



Global Rankings

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Advisors to Company: All Private Equity Stages Based on Round Value

Legal Advisor to Company	Rank 2023	Rank 2022	Round Value (US\$mil)	# of Rounds
Nishimura & Asahi	1	97	15,356.4	12
Goodwin Procter LLP	2	25	14,635.8	202
Freshfields Bruckhaus Deringer	3	-	12,500.0	104
Vinson & Elkins LLP	4	29	7,000.0	186
Skadden	5	13	6,575.0	26
Davis Polk & Wardwell	6	15	5,070.0	87
Wilson Sonsini Goodrich & Rosati	7	16	4,689.5	23
S&R Associates	8	-	4,600.0	8
Kirkland & Ellis	9	39	3,725.0	3
Cravath, Swaine & Moore	10	2	3,375.0	359
Linklaters	11	26	2,710.4	307
White & Case LLP	12	1	1,954.8	17
Sullivan & Cromwell	13	37	1,502.1	3
Norton Rose Fulbright	14	-	1,500.0	10
Blake Cassels & Graydon	15	75	1,367.3	57
Cooley LLP	16	41	1,267.1	6
Potter, Anderson & Corroon	17	21	1,050.0	28
Spee & Bijl BV	18	-	549.5	9
Dechert	19	-	538.3	9
Jones Day	20	36	510.6	4
Alston & Bird	21	-	375.0	3
Lenz & Staehelin	22	-	357.9	17
Fenwick & West LLP	23	27	308.4	9
Anagram Partner LLP	24	-	249.6	1
Paul Hastings LLP	25	31	224.0	11

Advisors to Company: Venture Capital Rounds Based on Round Value

Legal Advisor to Company	Rank 2023	Rank 2022	Round Value (US\$mil)	# of Rounds
Goodwin Procter LLP	1	2	2,035.8	39
Wilson Sonsini Goodrich & Rosati	2	1	1,489.5	44
Cooley LLP	3	6	1,135.0	40
White & Case LLP	4	39	452.8	5
Jones Day	5	8	404.2	7
Cravath, Swaine & Moore	6	-	375.0	1
Fenwick & West LLP	7	3	308.4	8
Paul Hastings LLP	8	23*	224.0	1
Pillsbury Winthrop Shaw Pitt LLP	9	10	220.1	8
Shearman & Sterling LLP	10	16	205.7	2
Lexence NV	11*	-	200.0	1
Matouk Bassiouny Independent Law Firm	11*	-	200.0	1
Osler Hoskin & Harcourt LLP	13	11	197.1	12
Cyril Amarchand Mangaldas	14	9	189.0	4
Fasken Martineau DuMoulin LLP	15	12	161.7	6
Orrick Herrington & Sutcliffe LLP	16	40*	158.9	2
Davis Polk & Wardwell	17	-	120.0	1
Homburger	18	-	118.4	2
Dechert	19	-	108.3	1
Birketts of Ipswich	20	-	80.0	1
McDermott Will & Emery	21	60	58.8	3
Bredin Prat	22	-	58.3	1
Nishimura & Asahi	23	59	56.4	3
Luthra & Luthra Law Offices India	24	49	56.1	3
DLA Piper LLP	25	7	50.0	4

Advisors to Company: LBO & Related Rounds Based on Round Value

Legal Advisor to Company	Rank 2023	Rank 2022	Round Value (US\$mil)	# of Rounds
Nishimura & Asahi	1	-	15,300.0	1
Goodwin Procter LLP	2	53	12,600.0	18
Freshfields Bruckhaus Deringer	3	-	12,500.0	3
Vinson & Elkins LLP	4	26	7,000.0	2
Skadden	5	13	6,575.0	7
Davis Polk & Wardwell	6	15	4,950.0	2
S&R Associates	7	-	4,600.0	1
Kirkland & Ellis	8	35	3,725.0	18
Wilson Sonsini Goodrich & Rosati	9	58	3,200.0	2
Cravath, Swaine & Moore	10	2	3,000.0	1
Linklaters	11	24	2,710.4	3
White & Case LLP	12*	1	1,502.1	11
Sullivan & Cromwell	12*	65*	1,502.1	1
Norton Rose Fulbright	14	-	1,500.0	1
Blake Cassels & Graydon	15	-	1,345.3	3
Potter, Anderson & Corroon	16	18*	1,050.0	1
Spee & Bijl BV	17	-	549.5	1
Dechert	18	-	430.0	2
Alston & Bird	19	-	375.0	9
Lenz & Staehelin	20	-	357.9	1
Anagram Partner LLP	21	-	249.6	1
Gibson Dunn & Crutcher	22	17*	150.0	2
Cooley LLP	23	64	132.1	6
Clifford Chance	24*	38	125.0	4
Morrison & Foerster	24*	-	125.0	4

Advisors to Firm: All Private Equity Stages Based on Round Value

Legal Advisor to Firm	Rank 2023	Rank 2022	Round Value (US\$mil)	# of Rounds
Simpson Thacher & Bartlett	1	3	25,425.0	6
Weil Gotshal & Manges	2	31	15,886.1	6
Kirkland & Ellis	3	1	13,743.8	28
Latham & Watkins	4	5	12,713.6	13
Davis Polk & Wardwell	5	27	9,600.0	5
Gibson Dunn & Crutcher	6	36	8,250.0	5
Ropes & Gray	7	30	7,640.0	16
Wilson Sonsini Goodrich & Rosati	8	21	7,282.0	34
Debevoise & Plimpton	9*	40	7,000.0	2
Gunderson Dettmer Stough Villeneuve Franklin&Hachi	9*	-	7,000.0	2
Jones Day	11	45	3,359.6	30
Chiomenti Studio Legal	12	-	3,000.0	1
Goodwin Procter LLP	13	16	2,020.0	89
Paul Hastings LLP	14	48*	1,822.0	7
Cooley LLP	15	13	1,743.1	66
CMS	16	15	1,602.1	5
White & Case LLP	17	10	1,598.8	23
AZB & Partners	18	22	1,516.7	4
Gide Loyrette Nouel	19	-	1,502.1	1
McMillan LLP	20	81	1,345.3	1
Willkie Farr & Gallagher	21	25	1,183.5	10
Kim & Chang	22	60	1,070.8	5
DLA Piper LLP	23	29	1,000.6	29
McDermott Will & Emery	24	12	797.0	30
Morgan Lewis & Bockius	25	69	481.1	12

Advisors to Firm: Venture Capital Rounds Based on Round Value

Legal Advisor to Firm	Rank 2023	Rank 2022	Round Value (US\$mil)	# of Rounds
Wilson Sonsini Goodrich & Rosati	1	8	7,282.0	34
Gunderson Dettmer Stough Villeneuve Franklin&Hachi	2	-	7,000.0	2
Davis Polk & Wardwell	3*	18	6,500.0	1
Ropes & Gray	3*	26	6,500.0	1
Goodwin Procter LLP	5	1	1,930.0	63
Cooley LLP	6	3	1,743.1	66
DLA Piper LLP	7	7	723.2	15
McDermott Will & Emery	8	55*	579.0	7
Morgan Lewis & Bockius	9	30	481.1	10
Clifford Chance	10	17	380.7	2
Sidley Austin LLP	11	-	370.7	9
Cyril Amarchand Mangaldas	12	10	364.4	5
Jones Day	13	13	359.6	12
Gibson Dunn & Crutcher	14	19	350.0	2
White & Case LLP	15	25	259.2	4
Orrick Herrington & Sutcliffe LLP	16	40	200.0	1
Willkie Farr & Gallagher	17	6	173.3	2
Hogan Lovells	18	16	169.5	5
Alston & Bird	19	-	150.0	1
Khaitan & Co	20	9	138.1	2
Pillsbury Winthrop Shaw Pitt LLP	21	22	136.5	8
Linklaters	22	60	123.0	3
Freshfields Bruckhaus Deringer	23	15	116.9	2
Krishnamurthy & Co	24	47	105.7	2
Bass Berry & Sims PLC	25	-	84.0	1

Advisors to Firm: LBO & Related Rounds Based on Round Value

Legal Advisor to Firm	Rank 2023	Rank 2022	Round Value (US\$mil)	# of Rounds
Simpson Thacher & Bartlett	1	3	25,425.0	6
Weil Gotshal & Manges	2	44	15,886.1	6
Kirkland & Ellis	3	1	13,743.8	27
Latham & Watkins	4	6	12,713.6	13
Gibson Dunn & Crutcher	5	42	7,900.0	3
Debevoise & Plimpton	6	29	7,000.0	2
Davis Polk & Wardwell	7	23	3,100.0	4
Jones Day	8*	64	3,000.0	18
Chiomenti Studio Legal	8*	-	3,000.0	1
Paul Hastings LLP	10	38*	1,822.0	7
CMS	11	-	1,602.1	4
AZB & Partners	12	40	1,510.2	3
Gide Loyrette Nouel	13	-	1,502.1	1
McMillan LLP	14	66	1,345.3	1
White & Case LLP	15	10	1,339.6	19
Ropes & Gray	16	25	1,140.0	15
Kim & Chang	17	52	1,050.8	4
Willkie Farr & Gallagher	18	53	1,010.2	8
Morrison & Foerster	19	-	375.0	3
DLA Piper LLP	20	80	277.5	14
Nishimura & Asahi	21	21	263.1	4
Blake Cassels & Graydon	22	15	249.6	7
McDermott Will & Emery	23	10	218.0	23
Hogan Lovells	24	60	110.9	5
Cyril Amarchand Mangaldas	25	34	103.0	2

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Global Rankings

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Advisors to Company: All Private Equity Stages Based on Number of Rounds

Legal Advisor to Company	Rank 2023	Rank 2022	# of Rounds	Round Value (US\$mil)
Goodwin Procter LLP	1	1	57	14,635.8
Wilson Sonsini Goodrich & Rosati	2*	2	46	4,689.5
Cooley LLP	2*	8	46	1,267.1
McGuireWoods LLP	4	4	26	0.0
Holland & Knight LLP	5	67*	21	0.0
McDermott Will & Emery	6	15	20	58.8
Kirkland & Ellis	7	5	18	3,725.0
White & Case LLP	8	13	16	1,954.8
Osler Hoskin & Harcourt LLP	9*	9	14	219.4
DLA Piper LLP	9*	6	14	50.0
Jones Day	11	112*	12	510.6
Ropes & Gray	12	13	11	63.6
Latham & Watkins	13	7	10	0.0
Alston & Bird	14*	31*	9	375.0
Fenwick & West LLP	14*	3	9	308.4
Paul Hastings LLP	14*	21*	9	224.0
Pillsbury Winthrop Shaw Pitt LLP	17*	16*	8	220.1
CMS	17*	49*	8	105.6
Morgan Lewis & Bockius	17*	16*	8	36.5
Skadden	20	30	7	6,575.0
Fasken Martineau DuMoulin LLP	21*	10	6	161.7
Bass Berry & Sims PLC	21*	38*	6	0.0
Willkie Farr & Gallagher	21*	12*	6	0.0
Winston & Strawn	21*	38*	6	0.0

Advisors to Company: Venture Capital Rounds Based on Number of Rounds

Legal Advisor to Company	Rank 2023	Rank 2022	# of Rounds	Round Value (US\$mil)
Wilson Sonsini Goodrich & Rosati	1	1	44	1,489.5
Cooley LLP	2	4	40	1,135.0
Goodwin Procter LLP	3	2	39	2,035.8
Osler Hoskin & Harcourt LLP	4	5	12	197.1
Fenwick & West LLP	5*	3	8	308.4
Pillsbury Winthrop Shaw Pitt LLP	5*	8	8	220.1
Jones Day	7	12	7	404.2
Fasken Martineau DuMoulin LLP	8	9	6	161.7
White & Case LLP	9	24*	5	452.8
Cyril Amarchand Mangaldas	10*	10	4	189.0
DLA Piper LLP	10*	6	4	50.0
McDermott Will & Emery	12*	40*	3	58.8
Nishimura & Asahi	12*	40*	3	56.4
Luthra & Luthra Law Offices India	12*	40*	3	56.1
AZB & Partners	12*	16*	3	38.7
CMS	12*	24*	3	5.6
Shearman & Sterling LLP	17*	24*	2	205.7
Orrick Herrington & Sutcliffe LLP	17*	40*	2	158.9
Homburger	17*	-	2	118.4
Rajah & Tann LLP	17*	20*	2	33.6
Blake Cassels & Graydon	17*	16*	2	22.0

Advisors to Company: LBO & Related Rounds Based on Number of Rounds

Legal Advisor to Company	Rank 2023	Rank 2022	# of Rounds	Round Value (US\$mil)
McGuireWoods LLP	1	1	26	0.0
Holland & Knight LLP	2	51*	21	0.0
Goodwin Procter LLP	3*	6	18	12,600.0
Kirkland & Ellis	3*	2	18	3,725.0
McDermott Will & Emery	5	9	17	0.0
White & Case LLP	6*	8	11	1,502.1
Ropes & Gray	6*	7	11	63.6
DLA Piper LLP	8*	3*	10	0.0
Latham & Watkins	8*	3*	10	0.0
Alston & Bird	10	22*	9	375.0
Paul Hastings LLP	11	41*	8	0.0
Skadden	12*	20*	7	6,575.0
Morgan Lewis & Bockius	12*	11	7	0.0
Cooley LLP	14*	16	6	132.1
Bass Berry & Sims PLC	14*	24*	6	0.0
Willkie Farr & Gallagher	14*	5	6	0.0
Winston & Strawn	14*	24*	6	0.0
Jones Day	18*	94*	5	106.4
CMS	18*	51*	5	100.0
Holland & Hart	18*	51*	5	0.0
McCarthy Tetrault	18*	67*	5	0.0
Clifford Chance	22*	22*	4	125.0
Morrison & Foerster	22*	30*	4	125.0
Hogan Lovells	22*	24*	4	10.0
Sidley Austin LLP	22*	17*	4	0.0

Advisors to Firm: All Private Equity Stages Based on Number of Rounds

Legal Advisor to Firm	Rank 2023	Rank 2022	# of Rounds	Round Value (US\$mil)
Goodwin Procter LLP	1	1	89	2,020.0
Cooley LLP	2	8*	66	1,743.1
Wilson Sonsini Goodrich & Rosati	3	5	34	7,282.0
Jones Day	4*	8*	30	3,359.6
McDermott Will & Emery	4*	12	30	797.0
DLA Piper LLP	6	3	29	1,000.6
Kirkland & Ellis	7	2	28	13,743.8
White & Case LLP	8	15	23	1,598.8
Ropes & Gray	9	10	16	7,640.0
Latham & Watkins	10*	4	13	12,713.6
Sidley Austin LLP	10*	6	13	460.7
Morgan Lewis & Bockius	12	32	12	481.1
Willkie Farr & Gallagher	13*	7	10	1,183.5
Hogan Lovells	13*	21*	10	280.3
Blake Cassels & Graydon	15*	36*	8	259.6
Pillsbury Winthrop Shaw Pitt LLP	15*	16	8	136.5
McGuireWoods LLP	15*	18*	8	0.0
Paul Hastings LLP	18*	36*	7	1,822.0
Cyril Amarchand Mangaldas	18*	27*	7	467.4
Simpson Thacher & Bartlett	20*	17	6	25,425.0
Weil Gotshal & Manges	20*	18*	6	15,886.1
Clifford Chance	20*	20	6	380.7
Nishimura & Asahi	20*	33*	6	344.7
Allen & Gledhill	20*	29*	6	52.0
Holland & Knight LLP	20*	-	6	0.0

Advisors to Firm: Venture Capital Rounds Based on Number of Rounds

Legal Advisor to Firm	Rank 2023	Rank 2022	# of Rounds	Round Value (US\$mil)
Cooley LLP	1	4*	66	1,743.1
Goodwin Procter LLP	2	1	63	1,930.0
Wilson Sonsini Goodrich & Rosati	3	3	34	7,282.0
DLA Piper LLP	4	2	15	723.2
Jones Day	5	12*	12	359.6
Morgan Lewis & Bockius	6	18*	10	481.1
Sidley Austin LLP	7	6	9	370.7
Pillsbury Winthrop Shaw Pitt LLP	8	9	8	136.5
McDermott Will & Emery	9	46*	7	579.0
Cyril Amarchand Mangaldas	10*	12*	5	364.4
Hogan Lovells	10*	15*	5	169.5
Allen & Gledhill	10*	14	5	17.1
White & Case LLP	13*	21*	4	259.2
Osler Hoskin & Harcourt LLP	13*	15*	4	63.7
Dentons	13*	38*	4	32.5
Linklaters	16*	46*	3	123.0
Trilegal	16*	28*	3	79.9
Borden Ladner Gervais LLP	16*	57*	3	62.3
Anagram Partner LLP	16*	38*	3	56.4

Advisors to Firm: LBO & Related Rounds Based on Number of Rounds

Legal Advisor to Firm	Rank 2023	Rank 2022	# of Rounds	Round Value (US\$mil)
Kirkland & Ellis	1	1	27	13,743.8
Goodwin Procter LLP	2	3*	26	90.0
McDermott Will & Emery	3	6	23	218.0
White & Case LLP	4	10	19	1,339.6
Jones Day	5	5	18	3,000.0
Ropes & Gray	6	3*	15	1,140.0
DLA Piper LLP	7	11	14	277.5
Latham & Watkins	8	2	13	12,713.6
Willkie Farr & Gallagher	9*	19*	8	1,010.2
McGuireWoods LLP	9*	8	8	0.0
Paul Hastings LLP	11*	21*	7	1,822.0
Blake Cassels & Graydon	11*	30*	7	249.6
Simpson Thacher & Bartlett	13*	9	6	25,425.0
Weil Gotshal & Manges	13*	12*	6	15,886.1
Winston & Strawn	13*	12*	6	0.0
Hogan Lovells	16*	19*	5	110.9
Fried Frank Harris Shriver & Jacobson	16*	38*	5	0.0
Holland & Knight LLP	16*	-	5	0.0
Davis Polk & Wardwell	19*	17*	4	3,100.0
CMS	19*	17*	4	1,602.1
Kim & Chang	19*	38*	4	1,050.8
Nishimura & Asahi	19*	50*	4	263.1
Sidley Austin LLP	19*	7	4	90.0

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Regional Rankings

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Advisors to Americas Companies

All Private Equity Stages: Based on Round Value

Legal Advisor to Company	Rank 2023	Round Value (US\$mil)	# of Rounds	Advisor Nation
Goodwin Procter LLP	1	14,202.8	41	US
Freshfields Bruckhaus Deringer	2	12,500.0	1	UK
Vinson & Elkins LLP	3	7,000.0	2	US
Skadden	4	6,575.0	6	US
Davis Polk & Wardwell	5	5,070.0	3	US
S&R Associates	6	4,600.0	1	IN
Wilson Sonsini Goodrich & Rosati	7	4,508.4	41	US
Cravath, Swaine & Moore	8	3,375.0	2	US
Kirkland & Ellis	9	3,325.0	16	US
Norton Rose Fulbright	10	1,500.0	1	UK
Blake Cassels & Graydon	11	1,367.3	5	CA
Potter, Anderson & Corroon	12	1,050.0	1	US
Cooley LLP	13	873.7	43	US
Alston & Bird	14	375.0	9	US
Fenwick & West LLP	15	308.4	9	US
Osler Hoskin & Harcourt LLP	16	211.4	13	CA
Pillsbury Winthrop Shaw Pitt LLP	17	200.1	7	US
Fasken Martineau DuMoulin LLP	18	161.7	6	CA
Gibson Dunn & Crutcher	19	158.0	2	US
Clifford Chance	20*	125.0	1	UK
Morrison & Foerster	20*	125.0	3	US
DLA Piper LLP	22	50.0	6	US
Troutman Pepper Hamilton Sanders LLP	23	37.7	1	US
McDermott Will & Emery	24	37.0	16	US
Morgan Lewis & Bockius	25	36.5	7	US

Advisors to European Companies

All Private Equity Stages: Based on Round Value

Legal Advisor to Company	Rank 2023	Round Value (US\$mil)	# of Rounds	Advisor Nation
Linklaters	1	2,710.4	3	UK
White & Case LLP	2	1,954.8	12	US
Sullivan & Cromwell	3	1,502.1	1	US
Spee & Bijl BV	4	549.5	1	NT
Dechert	5	538.3	3	US
Jones Day	6	509.1	7	US
Lenz & Staehelin	7	357.9	1	SZ
Goodwin Procter LLP	8	297.1	13	US
Lexence NV	9*	200.0	1	NT
Matouk Bassiouny Independent Law Firm	9*	200.0	1	DE
Shearman & Sterling LLP	9*	200.0	1	US
Wilson Sonsini Goodrich & Rosati	12	181.1	5	US
Orrick Herrington & Sutcliffe LLP	13	158.9	2	US
Homburger	14	118.4	2	SZ
Cooley LLP	15	109.4	1	US
CMS	16	105.6	8	SZ
Birketts of Ipswich	17	80.0	2	UK
Ropes & Gray	18	63.6	5	US
Bredin Prat	19	58.3	1	FR
McDermott Will & Emery	20	21.8	4	US
Pillsbury Winthrop Shaw Pitt LLP	21	20.0	1	US
Duteil Avocats SARL	22	16.1	1	FR
Fidal	23	16.0	1	FR
Hogan Lovells	24	11.1	2	UK
Fieldfisher LLP	25	11.0	1	UK

Advisors to Asia Pacific Companies

All Private Equity Stages: Based on Round Value

Legal Advisor to Company	Rank 2023	Round Value (US\$mil)	# of Rounds	Advisor Nation
Nishimura & Asahi	1	15,356.4	4	JP
Kirkland & Ellis	2	400.0	1	US
Cooley LLP	3	284.0	2	US
Anagram Partner LLP	4	249.6	1	IN
Paul Hastings LLP	5	224.0	1	US
Cyril Amarchand Mangaldas	6	189.0	4	IN
Goodwin Procter LLP	7	135.9	3	US
Kim & Chang	8	122.0	1	SK
AZB & Partners	9	91.8	5	IN
Luthra & Luthra Law Offices India	10	56.1	3	IN
Rajah & Tann LLP	11	33.6	2	SG
Gilbert + Tobin	12	20.6	1	AU
Argus Partners	13	13.8	1	IN
Khaitan & Co	14	10.0	1	IN
Lee & Ko	15	8.1	1	SK
Stratage Law Partners	16	8.0	1	IN
Addisons	17	3.4	1	AU

Advisors to Firm: Americas-Based Advisors

All Private Equity Stages: Based on Round Value

Legal Advisor to Firm	Rank 2023	Round Value (US\$mil)	# of Rounds	Advisor Nation
Simpson Thacher & Bartlett	1	25,425.0	6	US
Weil Gotshal & Manges	2	15,886.1	6	US
Kirkland & Ellis	3	13,743.8	28	US
Latham & Watkins	4	12,713.6	13	US
Davis Polk & Wardwell	5	9,600.0	5	US
Gibson Dunn & Crutcher	6	8,250.0	5	US
Ropes & Gray	7	7,640.0	16	US
Wilson Sonsini Goodrich & Rosati	8	7,282.0	34	US
Debevoise & Plimpton	9*	7,000.0	2	US
Gunderson Detmer Stough Villeneuve Franklin&Hachi	9*	7,000.0	2	US
Jones Day	11	3,359.6	30	US
Goodwin Procter LLP	12	2,020.0	89	US
Paul Hastings LLP	13	1,822.0	7	US
Cooley LLP	14	1,743.1	66	US
White & Case LLP	15	1,598.8	23	US
McMillan LLP	16	1,345.3	1	CA
Willkie Farr & Gallagher	17	1,183.5	10	US
DLA Piper LLP	18	1,000.6	29	US
McDermott Will & Emery	19	797.0	30	US
Morgan Lewis & Bockius	20	481.1	12	US
Sidley Austin LLP	21	460.7	13	US
Morrison & Foerster	22	375.0	3	US
Blake Cassels & Graydon	23	259.6	8	CA
Orrick Herrington & Sutcliffe LLP	24	200.0	3	US
Alston & Bird	25	150.0	5	US

Advisors to Firm: European-Based Advisors

All Private Equity Stages: Based on Round Value

Legal Advisor to Firm	Rank 2023	Round Value (US\$mil)	# of Rounds	Advisor Nation
Chiomenti Studio Legal	1	3,000.0	1	IT
CMS	2	1,602.1	5	UK
Gide Loyrette Nouel	3	1,502.1	1	FR
Clifford Chance	4	380.7	6	UK
Hogan Lovells	5	280.3	10	UK
Freshfields Bruckhaus Deringer	6	216.9	4	UK
Linklaters	7	123.0	3	UK
Fladgate LLP	8	80.0	1	UK
Cobalt	9	30.0	2	EA
P+P Pollath + Partners	10	27.3	3	DE
Ashurst	11	20.6	1	UK
FTPA	12	16.0	1	FR
Herbert Smith Freehills	13	12.0	1	UK
Legance Avvocati Associati	14	10.7	1	IT
Oppenhoff & Partner Rechtsanwalte	15	10.6	1	DE
Lamartine Conseil	16	6.3	2	FR
Lenz & Staehelin	17	4.4	3	SZ
CMS-BFL SPFPL	18	3.5	1	FR
Ellex	19	1.9	1	LT

Advisors to Firm: Asia Pacific-Based Advisors

All Private Equity Stages: Based on Round Value

Legal Advisor to Firm	Rank 2023	Round Value (US\$mil)	# of Rounds	Advisor Nation
AZB & Partners	1	1,516.7	4	IN
Kim & Chang	2	1,070.8	5	SK
Cyril Amarchand Mangaldas	3	467.4	7	IN
Nishimura & Asahi	4	344.7	6	JP
Khaitan & Co	5	180.1	3	IN
Krishnamurthy & Co	6	105.7	2	IN
Trilegal	7	79.9	5	IN
Anagram Partner LLP	8	56.4	3	IN
Allen & Gledhill	9	52.0	6	SG
WongPartnership LLP	10	35.3	3	SG
Talwar Thakore & Associates	11	30.0	1	IN
Pioneer Legal	12	25.0	1	IN
J Sagar Associates	13	23.0	1	IN
Rajah & Tann LLP	14	16.9	2	SG
Argus Partners	15	7.6	2	IN
Lee & Ko	16	5.1	2	SK

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