

## RESTRUCTURING/INSOLVENCY — FRANCE

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## Other Noted Firms

Archers  
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Hogan Lovells (Paris) LLP  
Lantourne & Associés

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## Bremond &amp; Associés

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From the Chambers Europe guide

#### Basic facts about the department

- 5 partners
- 10 other qualified lawyers

**What the team is known for** Leading boutique advising on the full spectrum of restructuring and insolvency matters. Represents distressed companies, shareholders and lenders alike. Frequently instructed on politically sensitive restructurings.

**Strengths** Market sources consider Bremond & Associés to be an excellent restructuring outfit.

**Work highlights** Advised Warwick Capital on the negotiation of Ascometal's debt.

Assisted BPI France and Acto Mezz with the restructuring of Ludendo's debt and the sale of Hamleys.

**Significant clients** Davidson Kempner, Lloyds Banking Group, BlueCrest.

#### Notable practitioners

Founding partner [Guilhem Bremond](#) is an eminent figure in the French restructuring market. Interviewees say: "He is very skilled and smart and knows the law inside and out," while others describe him as "very eloquent and charismatic." He recently assisted Financière TWC with the EUR100 million restructuring of its LBO debt.

Recent addition to the firm [Timothée Gagnepain](#) focuses his practice on debt restructurings and out-of-court insolvency negotiations.

[Delphine Caramalli](#) is well versed in debt restructurings and advises clients on all aspects of insolvency proceedings, including out-of-court negotiations. Sources appreciate that she is "diligent and very sharp." She recently advised Gimaex on the EUR200 million restructuring of its operational debt.