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Practice Areas

- M&A and Private Equity
- Corporate

Education

- J.D., Università degli Studi di Milano, Facoltà di Giurisprudenza, 1983

Memberships

- Milan Bar Association
- International Bar Association

Guido Testa is partner, Office Leader of Orrick's Italian offices and member of the M&A and Private Equity Group. Guido's practice focuses mainly on M&A, private equity and venture capital, as well as on corporate law and commercial contracts.

In these areas, he represents primary enterprises, merchant banks, private equity and venture capital funds, as well as family offices, both in domestic and cross-border transactions.

Before joining Orrick, Guido worked as an associate at Studio Legale Carnelutti in Milan from April 1983 to December 1984. From January 1985 to December 1988, primarily he was an associate and then the Italian resident partner at Carnelutti's London office. From January 1989 to September 1990, he worked as the Italian resident lawyer for Werbel, McMillin & Carnelutti, a U.S. law firm based in New York City.

From October 1990 to December 1997, he was a partner at Studio Legale Carnelutti in Milan. From January 1998 to December 2008, he was a partner at Vita Samory, Fabbrini e Associati, an Italian law firm based in Milan.

Publications

- Author of the chapter relating to Italy of *Corporate Acquisitions and Mergers*, published by Kluwer Law International
- Co-author of the book *S.P.A. Azioni - Obbligazioni - Strumenti Finanziari*, edited by EGEA, 2005
- He has written articles in English legal publications on mergers and acquisitions and corporate matters.

Speeches and Programs

- Guido has been a lecturer at conferences on directors' liability and other corporate matters.

Languages

- English
- Italian

Admissions

- Italy