

## ENDA WONG



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Enda is the Montréal Leader of the Business Law Group and Head of the Montréal Corporate Services team. Additionally, she is a highly experienced business lawyer whose practice focuses on mergers and acquisitions, as well as private equity and venture capital investments. She has recognized expertise in acquisition financing, corporate organizations and structuring.

Practising both common law and civil law, Enda handles a variety of regional, national and cross-border transactions. She is trusted for advice on the similarities and differences between the two legal systems. Enda has gained significant experience and industry knowledge in the technology and food and beverages sectors.

Acting on behalf of private enterprises, institutional and private equity investors and non-profit organizations, Enda provides counsel on commercial, regulatory and compliance-related issues, including in respect of

services agreements, contests filings and compliance with the Charter of the French Language.

Before joining McMillan, Enda worked in the legal department of a large international pharmaceutical company, and volunteered with the McGill Legal Information Clinic and Pro-Bono Students Canada while studying law.

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**Position/Title:** Partner, Mergers & Acquisitions | Private Equity & Venture Capital

**Publications:**

- "[2024 International Comparative Legal Guide: Private Equity \(Canada Chapter\)](#)" co-author with Bruce Chapple, Michael Whitcombe and Brett Stewart, *Global Legal Group Ltd.* (August 29, 2024)
- "[Franchising in Canada: 2022 Year in Review](#)," (January 2023)
- "[The International Comparative Legal Guide to Private Equity – 8<sup>th</sup> edition](#)," Canadian Contributor (2022)
- "[IBA Insurance Committee Substantive Project 2013: The Legal Nature of Insurance Contracts](#)," Member of the McMillan Insurance Team who provided the responses to the 2013 survey regarding the legal nature of insurance contracts under Canadian Civil Law and Common Law, International Bar Association, 2013 Annual Conference, Boston (October 2013)
- "Loi sur les sociétés par actions du Québec. Analyse et commentaires," Charles Chevette and Wayne Gray, Collaborators: Pierre-Christian Collins Hoffman and Enda Wong (2012)
- "[Développements récents en droit des sociétés par actions du Québec](#)," La Collection Blais Volume 13–Rendez-vous 2012 en droit des sociétés, Les Éditions Yvon Blais, Québec Business Corporations Act: Commentary and Analysis, Authors: Charles Chevette and Wayne Gray, Collaborators: Pierre-Christian

Collins Hoffman and Enda Wong (October 2012)

- "[Amendments proposed to regulations governing Quebec insurance representatives](#)," Insurance & Reinsurance ILO Newsletter (March 2012)
- "[All things being unequal: Quebec's renewed focus on pay equity](#)," *Mercer/CCH Guide for Employers*, July 2011 (August 2011)
- "[Fortuitous Events and Irresistible Forces – why Quebec residents are excluded from many sweepstakes](#)," Advertising and Marketing Bulletin (June 2010)
- "Loi sur les sociétés par actions du Québec," – Commentaires sur les aspects suivants : les administrateurs et dirigeants, les actionnaires, les états financiers et le vérificateur, le droit au rachat et l'acquisition forcée d'actions, La Collection Blais Volume 7- 2010 Les sociétés par actions, Les Éditions Yvon Blais (2010)

#### **Education & Admissions:**

**Degree:** Called to the Ontario bar

**Year:** 2013

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**Degree:** Called to the Québec bar

**Year:** 2009

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**Degree:** BCL / LLB

**University:** McGill University

**Year:** 2008

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**Degree:** BA (Political Sciences, Psychology)

**University:** McGill University

**Year:** 2005

#### **Media Mentions:**

- "[Private Equity Law](#)", by Husein Panju, Poscast Lawyered (October 30, 2024)
- "['No need for this right now': Quebec's Bill 96 weighs heavily on corporate landscape](#)", by Nicolas Van Praet, *The Globe and Mail* (May 28, 2021)

#### **Rankings & Recognition:**

- Recognized by Best Lawyers in Canada (2025) as a leading lawyer in the areas of Corporate Law and Leveraged Buyouts and Private Equity Law
- Recognized in the 2024 Lexpert Special Edition on Finance and M&A as one of Canada's Leading Finance and M&A Lawyers
- Recognized in the 2024 Canadian Legal Lexpert Directory as a Repeatedly Recommended Lawyer in the area of Corporate Mid-Market
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- Recognized in the 2022 Canadian Legal Lexpert Directory as a Repeatedly Recommended Lawyer in the area of Corporate Mid-Market
- Winner in the Lexpert 2021 Rising Star Awards: Leading Lawyer Under 40
- Recognized by Best Lawyers in Canada (2022) as a leading lawyer in the area of Corporate Law
- Recognized in the 2021 Canadian Legal Lexpert Directory as a Leading Lawyer to Watch in the area of Mergers & Acquisitions
- Recognized in the 2021 Lexpert Special Edition on Finance and M&A as one of Canada's Leading Finance and M&A Lawyers
- Recognized in the 2020 Canadian Legal Lexpert Directory as a Leading Lawyer to Watch in the area of Mergers & Acquisitions

**Representative Matters:** Recent key mandates and transactions pursuant to which Enda was involved include the following:

- Represented Novacap in inter alia its acquisition of Foliot Furniture, its acquisition and subsequent sale of Onstream Pipeline Inspection Services (CVCA's 2019 Private Equity Deal of the Year for Western Canada), acquisition and subsequent sale of Chemical Computing Group, CVCA's 2018 Private Equity Deal of the Year for Canada, acquisition and subsequent sale of Firmex, acquisition of Intelerad Medical Systems,

acquisition of Fibrenoire, sale of Creaform

- Represented Live Nation in its strategic partnership with Evenko
- Represented Corporation Financière BDG in its acquisition of Compass Food Sales Company and Les Industries Cendrex
- Represented Cision in its acquisition of CEDROM-SNI
- Represented a US-based private equity firm in its acquisition of an audiobooks company
- Represented a UK-based public company on its acquisition of a North American distributor of electronic equipment and musical instruments
- Acted as Canadian counsel to various US-based private equity firms in various acquisitions, divestures and add-on transactions involved in the food, consumer goods, manufacturing and services industries

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**Practices:** Business Law, Mergers & Acquisitions