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Plesner's Banking and Finance team is a leading Danish bank and finance law adviser. We participate in the largest transactions, and our clients include the market's key players. Our specialists span all areas, including lending and debt capital market transactions, structured finance and derivatives, financial regulation, and financial restructuring.

## PRACTICE AREAS

Banking and Finance  
Financial Services

Søren is a partner in Plesner's Banking and Finance team. He is a market-leading practitioner with substantial experience in complex transactions. Søren has been the lead finance partner in many significant transactions in the Danish market for more than 20 years.

He focuses on lending and capital market transactions, including acquisition financing, corporate lending, infrastructure, project and asset finance, and financial restructuring. Søren also advises on regulatory issues for financial institutions, including anti-money laundering and compliance matters, and he has worked with a broad range of clients within the financial sector. He advises international and domestic financial institutions, corporations, direct lending funds, private equity funds, and government bodies.

Søren is involved in numerous challenging projects that require a team effort to complete successfully. Members of other Plesner teams are often involved to ensure that we come up with the best solutions possible. Clients seek assistance from Søren and his team because of their ability to provide focused and carefully considered solutions as well as deep commercial understanding.

Søren has a Master's degree in Law from the University of Copenhagen. He is admitted to the High Court of Denmark and holds a Tier 1 ranking in all leading lawyer rating publications. Søren is currently chairman of Plesner's partner promotion committee.

## Selected cases

**Case News** 18.06.2024

Sampo plc announces a public exchange offer to the shareholders of Topdanmark A/S

**Case News** 10.06.2024

Magellan Capital Holdings acquires majority stake in Danmarks Skibskredit A/S

**Case News** 01.05.2024

Svitzer Group A/S is listed on Nasdaq Copenhagen

**Case News** 22.01.2024

Zealand Pharma has signed EUR 90 million finance contract with The European Investment Bank (EIB)

**Case News** 16.01.2024

Plesner advised three Nordic lenders with an acquisition financing facility for DFDS

**Case News** 22.12.2023

Swiss Life Asset Managers Nordic acquires Næstved Storcenter

**Case News** 30.08.2023

Aareal Bank AG entered into a financing agreement for the refinancing of Villa Copenhagen

**Case News** 07.07.2023

Plesner advised Nordic Solar with EUR 300m flexible credit facility

**Case News** 30.05.2023

AP Pension finances development of solar energy parks in Portugal

**Case News** 02.12.2022

EIB signs EUR 18 mill. finance contract with Danish space industry company GomSpace

**Case News** 03.06.2022

Netcompany signs DKK 2.8bn sustainability-linked credit facility

**Case News** 31.01.2022

TDC NET enters into new secured infrastructure financing

**Case News** 28.09.2021

Clever A/S signs Corporate Power Purchase Agreement with European Energy

**Case News** 02.09.2021

European Energy issues EUR 300m green bonds and EUR 45m green revolving credit facility

**Case News** 30.06.2021

Plesner acts for Vipps on three-way Nordic merger with MobilePay and Pivo

**Case News** 01.06.2021

Plesner acts for Tryg Forsikring on the listing of DKK 2.3bn capital notes

**Case News** 17.05.2021

Plesner represents Reconor Group on successful refinancing

**Case News** 05.05.2021

Plata creates peer-to-peer lending platform

**Case News** 08.04.2021

Plesner represents European Energy on new issuance of hybrid green bonds

**Case News** 01.03.2021

Tryg Forsikring issues SEK 1bn Restricted Tier 1 capital notes

**Case News** 05.02.2021

REinvent is first Danish enterprise to benefit from the European Investment Fund's Cultural and Creative Sectors Guarantee Facility

**Case News** 03.02.2021

Payment services provider Yourpay authorised as payment institution

## Ratings



2022 - 2024 IFLR1000

Søren Thyssen Valerius is listed as a Leading Lawyer (Market Leader) as regards Banking and Asset Finance.



2023 - 2024 The Legal 500

Søren Thyssen Valerius is recommended and listed as a leading individual as regards Banking and Finance. Further, he is recommended as regards Capital Markets.



2016 - 2024 Chambers Global

Søren Thyssen Valerius is ranked as a leading individual (Band 1) as regards Banking & Finance by Chambers Global and Chambers Europe.

"Søren Thyssen Valerius is one of the most obvious choices in the banking law industry, covering both regulatory and commercial matters with a very diligent and competent approach to the most complex and delicate matters" (2024)

"Søren Thyssen Valerius is a top lawyer who gets matters solved quickly" (2023)

Søren Thyssen Valerius is a market-leading practitioner with a strong track record in acquisition and project financing mandates, as well as in debt facilities. "He is very strong on the regulatory side and the transaction side," a source reports (2022)



most recent WWL

Søren Thyssen Valerius is recommended as a Global Leader as regards Banking - Finance and Project Finance.



2022 The Legal 500

Søren Thyssen Valerius is recommended and listed as a leading individual as regards Banking and Finance.

"Experienced Søren Thyssen Valerius is an obvious choice for lenders in acquisition financings"

