

Curriculum Vitae

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Thomas Werlen is the General Counsel of Novartis and responsible for the Group's legal affairs. He is a member of the Executive Committee of Novartis.

Mr. Werlen is Secretary to the Corporate Governance and Nomination Committee of the Board of Directors of Novartis.

In 1995, Mr. Werlen started his professional career with Cravath, Swaine & Moore in New York. In 2000, he moved to the Cravath, Swaine & Moore London office and, after a short stint with David Polk & Wardwell, he joined Allen & Overy as a Partner in March 2001. Based in the London office, he focused on corporate and capital markets law. His clients included multi-national corporations and investment banks.

Mr. Werlen holds lic.iur. and Ph.D. (Dr.) degrees in law from the University of Zurich and a master's degree in law from Harvard Law School. He is a member of the New York and the Swiss bar. He is also a member of the Regulatory Board of the SIX Swiss Exchange AG.

Mr. Werlen has written several books and articles on business and financial law and teaches corporate and capital markets law at the University of Zurich (LL.M. program) and at the University of St. Gallen.

