



Anna Haapanen

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Practice areas

IP Media & AI

Marketing & Consumers

Patents & Life Sciences

Technology, Licensing & Data

Anna Haapanen focuses on technology transactions, complex IP and ICT-intensive contracts, negotiations and disputes, as well as data assets and intellectual property licensing, with special expertise in free and open-source software.

She is recognized as one of the leading technology lawyers with international education and multijurisdictional work experience. She is dual-licensed attorney admitted to both the Finnish Bar and the New York Bar and has practiced law in Finland, Sweden and the United States. She has earned Doctor of Laws degree in intellectual property laws and advises clients with both non-contentious and contentious technology, IP and data intensive assignments also within the highly regulated fields such as health tech and fintech.

Anna Haapanen is Chair of the International Technology Law Association's (ITechLaw) Technology Sourcing Committee as well as former President of the International Federation of Computer Law Associations (IFCLA) and former Chairman of the Finnish IT Law Association. She has also served at the Delegation of the Finnish Bar Association, the highest decision-making body of the Finnish Bar Association.

Anna Haapanen has extensive legal expertise across the technology sector, including notable visiting lawyer positions at prominent tech companies such as Supercell, Accenture, Nokia, and Comptel.

CAREER

2019–present	Dittmar & Indrenius Attorneys Ltd.
2007–2019	Roschier, Attorneys Ltd., Helsinki and Stockholm
2018–2019	Supercell, Visiting Lawyer
2016	Accenture, Visiting Lawyer
2013	Nokia Corporation, Visiting Lawyer
2009–2010	Software Freedom Law Center, New York
2007	Comptel, Visiting Lawyer
2005–2006	Nokia Corporation, Assistant Legal Counsel

2005 Hantro Products Oy, Lawyer

EDUCATION

2017 University of Helsinki
Doctor of Laws (LL.D.)

2015 Stanford University School of Law
Visiting Senior Scholar

2013 Hanken Svenska handelshögskolan
MSc. in Economics and Business Administration

2009 Columbia University School of Law
LL.M., with Harlan Fiske Stone Scholar honors

2004 University of Helsinki
LL.M.

RANKINGS & RECOGNITIONS

Ranked in Band 3, TMT, Chambers Europe, 2025

Ranked as Leading Partner, TMT, Legal 500, 2025

“She has a pragmatic business understanding and broad experience from the market.”

– Chambers Europe 2025, TMT

“Anna Haapanen has the ability to simplify complex matters while delivering practical solutions and proposals. She has dedication and focus to practical problem-solving and hands-on involvement.”

– The Legal 500 EMEA 2024, Intellectual Property

“Building trust in her skills is something that is usually difficult to achieve, but with Anna, it has come naturally.”

– The Legal 500 EMEA 2025, Intellectual property

“Anna Haapanen is extremely result oriented and wants to deliver high value work.”

– The Legal 500 EMEA 2023, TMT

“Anna Haapanen is a strong performer, sharp and has great talent.”

– Chambers Europe 2023, TMT

MEMBERSHIPS & POSITIONS OF TRUST

- Finnish Bar Association
 - New York Bar Association
 - Chair of Technology Sourcing Committee of Technology Law Association (ITechLaw)
 - Former President of the International Federation of Computer Law Associations (IFCLA)
 - Former Chairman of the Finnish IT Law Association
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LANGUAGES

English
Finnish
Swedish