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### Biography

Ryan is a seasoned lawyer, having practised for nearly 10 years at two national law firms and co-founded Novalex, a firm that joined Delegatus in 2024.

His practice covers various fields of commercial, corporate and civil litigation, as well as alternative dispute resolution. Throughout his career, Ryan has developed expertise in several industries, namely in the construction, information technology and renewable energy sectors. He frequently appears before all levels of courts in Quebec and regularly acts in the context of arbitrations and mediations.

### Areas of practice

- Arbitration and alternative dispute resolution
- Defamation
- Construction law
- Insurance law
- Disciplinary law
- Litige civil et commercial
- Information technology litigation
- Product liability

### Significant mandates

- Has defended a global provider of electronic payment solutions and point-of-sale services in a product liability action.
- Has defended a global security service provider and commercial insurer in a civil liability trial.
- Has defended an international destination resort developer in multiple construction defect suits.
- Has advised a global provider of economic and market information on its acquisition of a product compliance solutions provider.
- Has represented a Canadian financial institution in a contractual dispute with its information technology provider.
- Has advised a Canadian financial institution on production order and search warrant compliance and challenges.
- Has advised a Quebec university in its response to the illegal online disclosure of its donors' personal information.

- Has acted for a Quebec-based owner and operator of ethylene plants in a breach of contract suit.
- Has acted for a co-owners association of Montréal condominiums in injunction proceedings.
- Has defended physicians and chiropractors in professional liability suits and disciplinary proceedings.

## Education

- Program in cross-border dispute resolution, Lex Mundi Institute (Monterey, California) | 2016
- Intensive workshop on first instance pleadings, Osgoode Hall Law School (Toronto) | 2013
- Certificate of graduate studies in international law, *Université de Montréal* | 2008
- Certificate of introduction to Chinese law, China University of Political Science and Law (Beijing) | 2007
- LL. B., *Université de Montréal* | 2006

## Professional affiliations and community involvement

- Outgoing president of the Montreal Junior Chamber of Commerce
- Member of the fundraising committees for the *Festival TransAmériques* and *Ancre des jeunes*

## Awards and distinction

Ryan is listed in the latest edition of the Canadian Legal Lexpert Directory, a comprehensive guide to Canada's leading law firms and lawyers, as a leader in the field of construction law in the Lawyers to Watch category.