

At Vinge you will meet many of the most prominent business lawyers in Sweden. Together we number 450 lawyers and staff in Stockholm, Gothenburg, Malmö, Helsingborg and Brussels.

During the firm's 30-year life span we have built a wide, deep and leading expertise in all areas of business law.

We have acted on the global market for a long time, and like it best when we get to work closely with our clients and their business. Being a full-service firm means we can quickly assemble a team of experts for a specific matter or reinforce a team with a key competence at a crucial moment. Our task is to actively contribute to our clients' successes, using law as our tool.

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Swedish focus. Global reach.

In all our practice areas we handle projects on a cross border basis. We advise on matters ranging from international transactions to arbitration involving parties from different countries. By combining our experience of global deals with our expertise in local practice and law, we can advise clients quickly and comprehensively.

Vinge has offices in Stockholm, Gothenburg, Malmö, Helsingborg and Brussels. But our expertise extends much further. We employ English, German, Chinese, Finnish, Norwegian and Russian lawyers who know not only the law in their countries but also the language and business culture. Together with our Swedish lawyers, or local advisers,

they form teams that do more than give legal advice – they build cultural bridges.

When you turn to Vinge you get access to our international network of top-ranked law firms and consultancies. So you always get the best advice, whether the path leads to the USA or Uzbekistan.

Vinge is the only Swedish member of Lex Mundi – the world's leading network of independent law firms with in-depth experience in over 100 countries worldwide.

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Sustainability and CSR.

At Vinge we work towards creating a successful business, but we also help charitable organisations achieve their goals. As competent and responsible lawyers, our skills can benefit those beyond our traditional circle of clients. And they can help us achieve much more than financial gain.

To be responsible, sustainable corporate citizens we believe we need to behave ethically, foster good stakeholder relations, be a responsible employer that gives its employees opportunities to develop, and do

our part to contribute to a well functioning judicial system.

We run our business in a way that is ever more sustainable, and we encourage others to do the same. Our services help companies and organisations minimise their risks and improve their sustainability.



CSR

We offer our expertise to companies and organisations that need it, and whose business and values harmonise with ours.

One of our projects is the Diversity Project

- Vinge's own initiative to encourage more students from non Swedish backgrounds to take up a career in law. When it was launched more than a decade ago, the project was a wake up call for the entire industry.

We also supply mentors to the Mitt Liv foundation, which helps new arrivals in

Sweden into the labour market. Our latest collaboration is a sporting one – with the Swedish Olympic Committee.

Rankings and recognitions.

Vinge is one of Sweden's leading business law firms. This is recognised by various ranking organisations, who regularly place us at the top. For example, the independent legal and industry publications such as Chambers & Partners, Legal 500, IFLR 1000, Global Arbitration Review, WTR 1000, Managing IP and Mergermarket.

RECENT AWARDS

Chambers Europe Awards for Excellence 2017 Law Firm of the Year in Sweden

IFLR Awards 2017 Swedish Law Firm of the Year

European Women in Business Law, Sweden 2017 Euromoney Legal Media Group

Trademark Contentious IP Firm of the Year 2018 – Sweden Managing Intellectual Property

M&A Legal Advisor of the Year, Sweden 2017 Mergermarket













Representative mandates.

We are privileged to work with a large number of major international public and private companies, financial institutions and governments on some of the most complex and challenging mandates and transactions in the Nordic region.

Vinge advises **Tele2** in the merger with Com Hem. The combination is conditional upon, inter alia, approval from the relevant competition authorities and approval of the merger from the shareholders in Tele2 and Com Hem.

Vinge assisted SCA AB (publ) in its GBP 15,473 million spin-off of its hygiene business, thus forming NASDAQ Stockholm-listed hygiene and health giant Essity AB (publ) and forestry company SCA AB. The highest-value deal in the market in 2017.

Vinge advised **Hellman & Friedman** on its EUR 5574.94 million bid on payments firm **NETS A/S**, one of the largest PE acquisitions in Europe in recent years, and a deal which raised particularly complex regulatory issues in Sweden.

Vinge advised Wallenberg-owned Foundation Asset Management (FAM) on its SEK 5 billion acquisition of international steel and systems developer Sandvik Process Systems. Vinge assisted the Chinese paper and pulp company **Anhui Shanying Paper** in connection with its GBP 223 million acquisition of **Nordic Paper Holding AB**, one of the largest Chinese acquisitions in Sweden in recent years.

Vinge represented the financial services company **Nordnet AB** in connection with the GBP 201 million takeover bid made on it by **NNB Intressenter AB**, alongside the NETS deal a key transaction in the financial services sector.

Vinge advised **Apax Partners LLP** on its acquisition of **Unilabs**, one of Europe's leading medical diagnostics businesses.

Vinge advised **EQT** on its GBP 211 million bid on listed network operator **DGC One AB** (publ).

Vinge advised the market-leading credit management services firm Intrum Justitia in connection with the GBP 3,544 million acquisition by it of competitor Lindorff AB, a transaction which involved particularly challenging competition issues.