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### Practice Groups

- Private Clients
- Tax
- White Collar & Criminal Compliance

### Expertise

- Private Clients
- Tax law
- Inheritance and Gift Tax Law
- Corporate Succession
- Tax Criminal Law

### Vita

- Certified Tax Lawyer
- Admitted to the Bar since 1996

#### Education and former activities

- Ernst & Young AG, Düsseldorf (1995-1999)
- University of Konstanz (Legal Trainee/Referendar 1993; Assessor 1995)
- German University for Administrative Sciences, Speyer (1994)

### Affiliations

- Society of Trust and Estate Practitioners (STEP), TEP
- International Bar Association (IBA), Officer of the Private Client Committee
- German Association for Inheritance Law and Property Successions (DVEV)
- German-Israeli Lawyers Association (DIJV)

## References

- Who's Who Legal 2018 recommends 19 Heuking Kühn Lüer Wojtek lawyers
- Kajo Neukirchen Group acquires two office and commercial properties with Heuking Kühn Lüer Wojtek
- Who's Who Legal 2017: 17 Heuking Kühn Lüer Wojtek lawyers recommended
- Citywealth Leaders List 2013: Dirk W. Kolvenbach and Gerd Kostrzewa recognized in the Leading Lawyers Germany category

## Distinctions

- JUVE Handbook Commercial Law Firms 2018/2019
- JUVE Handbook Commercial Law Firms 2017/2018
- Who's Who Legal 2018
- Leaders List 2016
- JUVE Handbook Commercial Law Firms 2016/2017
- Who's Who Legal 2017
- JUVE Handbook German Commercial Law Firms 2015/2016
- JUVE Kanzlei des Jahres 2015 für Steuerrecht

## Publications (Selection)

- **The german tax and inheritance law treatment of trusts**  
*in: The ABA Guide of International Estate Planning 2014 by Gerd Kostrzewa*
- **Möglichkeiten einer Berichtigung zu Unrecht in Rechnung gestellter Umsatzsteuer**  
*Der Betrieb 2001, p. 667 by Gerd Kostrzewa and Dr. Dieter Bohnert*

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## Lectures (Selection)

- Cross-Border US/Europe Tax Planning  
*23.10.2020*
- The Use of Foundations and Trusts in Private Wealth  
Succession Planning Can Civil and Common Law Vehicles  
Co-Exist?  
*24.09.2020*
- What private wealth professionals should know about  
international tax transparency  
*04.06.2020*
- The endless development of disclosure: a review of DAC 6  
and similar systems around the world  
*04.03.2020*
- The digital estate – not only relevant for millennials  
*20.02.2020*

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