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EDUCATION

1994	Law degree, University of Bergen
1990	Master of Business Administration, Norwegian School of Economics and Business Administration, Bergen

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

2007 -	Partner, Kluge law firm
2005 - 2007	Lawyer, Kluge law firm
2000 - 2005	Lawyer, BAHR law firm
1995 - 2000	Chief executive officer (1995-96), Head of department (1996-99), Director General (1999-2000), Legal Department of Statsbygg; the Norwegian Directorate of Public Construction and Property
1995	Assistant lawyer at Den norske Bank

AREAS OF PRACTICE

Gro Amdal has more than 23 years of experience within procurement law, and is Head of the Public Procurement law group at Kluge consisting of 25 lawyers.

Amdal provides advice to clients in all stages of the procurement process, and has in-depth knowledge of the Norwegian rules and regulations regarding public procurement, as well as the EU Directives on public procurement.

She has been a member of the Norwegian Complaints Board for Public Procurement since 2011, as well as member of the Commission appointed by the Norwegian Government to examine the existing national rules on public procurement. Amdal is co-author of the Commission's Official Norwegian Report (NOU 2014:4) proposing new national rules on public procurement.

Amdal is ranked by Chambers and Partners as one of Norway's most prominent lawyers within procurement law: "*Gro Amdal leads the public procurement practice at Kluge Advokatfirma, receiving excellent feedback from clients. She is described by one as "a walking encyclopaedia: she gets the problems right away and understands what we need as a client. We avoided problems before they happened."*

Amdal is also ranked by WWL (Who's Who Legal) as one of Norway's leading lawyers within Government Contracts. She also has extensive experience within construction law.

PUBLICATIONS

- Co-author of «The Norwegian Rules and Regulations on Public Procurement», (680 pages), Kommuneforlaget 2004.
- Author of article published in the Norwegian Business Law Periodical, 2004; "The negotiated procedure within public procurement".
- Author of paper published by the Norwegian School of Economics and Business Administration, 1994: "The effect of new capital requirements on a bank's portfolio of off-balance instruments".

MISCELLANEOUS

- Member of the Norwegian Complaints Board for Public Procurement since 2011, see www.kofa.no
- Member of the Commission appointed by the Norwegian Government (2012-2014) to propose new national rules on public procurement, see the Commission's report NOU 2014:4
- Recommended within procurement law by Legal 500 and Chambers.
- Head of the Kluge public procurement practice group (a total of 25 lawyers).

LANGUAGES

Norwegian, English, French, German