

## PRACTICE EXPERIENCE

Serap Zuvin leads the Aviation Practice at Cakmak. Serap has represented numerous international corporate clients in corporate finance deals, with particular focus on equipment finance. She has been involved in several cross-border JV establishments and M&A transactions. Serap also played an active role in the drafting of several new pieces of legislation in Turkey, including the financial leasing law and secondary legislation in connection with the Cape Town Convention.

Based on her representation of major aircraft manufacturers, lessors, lenders and international financing institutions, Serap is widely recognized for her expertise in aviation, and aircraft financing in particular.

She served as the Chair of the Aviation Law Committee of the International Bar Association (IBA) between 2020-2022 and currently serves as a member of the Advisory Board of the same.

Serap is a prolific writer who wrote dozens of articles on aviation law matters, contributed to books and acts as an editor of ASJ.

She speaks, moderates on panels held by IBA, ABA, IAWA, McGill, Luisse University. She has lectured in a number of Turkish universities and also been invited as a guest lecturer to speak at University of Bologna and NYU.



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#### Professional Memberships:

- Advisory Board member at the **Aviation Law Committee of the International Bar Association**
- Istanbul Bar Association
- Advisory Board Member at the **Centre for Research in Air and Space Law, Maharashtra National Law University Mumbai**
- Member of the **Legal Advisory Panel (LAP) of the Aviation Working Group (AWG)** on Cape Town Convention
- **Cape Town Convention Academic Project**
- **ISTAT**
- International Aviation Women Association (**IAWA**)
- European Business Aviation Association (**EBAA**)
- European Air Law Association (**EALA**)
- **EAC**
- Independent Women Directors (**IWD**)
- Aviation & Women in Europe
- Board Member at the **ASJ Aviation & Space Journal** (

#### Chambers Europe recommendation (5 consecutive years)

Ranked as a leading lawyer in Aviation

#### Chambers Global recommendation (2022)

Ranked as a leading lawyer in Aviation

#### Who's Who Legal -WWL (2022)

Ranked as Global Leader in Transport - Aviation Contentious  
Ranked as Global Leader in and Transport - Aviation Finance

#### Experts Guides (2020)

Ranked as Best of the Best from Turkey over 25 years of experience

#### Experts Guides - Aviation (2020)

Ranked as Best of the Best from Turkey over 25 years of experience

#### Practice areas:

Aviation  
Corporate/M&A  
Banking & Finance

#### Sectors:

Transportation

