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Before joining Lévy Kaufmann-Kohler, Lukas was part of the international arbitration team of a major international law firm in Paris, where he acted in various commercial and investment disputes. Prior to that, during his practice in Colombia, Lukas was a special adviser at the Ministry of Justice, and an adviser to the former Chief Justice of Colombia's Constitutional Court. He also practiced in local firms and public interest litigation institutions, where he was directly involved in multiple public law and public procurement issues.

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