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Vice President, The Russian Federal Bar Association

Helen has been a member the Council of the Russian Federal Bar Association (RFBA) since 2019 and in 2021 she was elected as vice president of the RFBA. Since 2018 she has been a member of the Expert Board for Legislative Support of the Securities Market Development with the Russian State Duma's Committee for the Financial Market. A member of the Russian Union of Industrialists and Entrepreneurs Committee on Intellectual Property.



Helen Avakyan is experienced in different areas of law, and has taken an active role in both contentious and non-contentious matters.

Her extensive legislation drafting experience includes work on governing the capital markets sector, corporate relations, insolvency procedures, commercial litigation and more. She was repeatedly involved in drafting the decrees of the Presidium and Plenum of the Supreme Arbitrazh Court of Russia.

Helen is an Active State Counsellor of the Russian Federation, 2nd class. She was awarded the Russian Judicial System honorable charter and is commended by the Court of Intellectual Rights.

In 2020, Elena was named Woman of the Year at the European Women of Legal Tech Awards.

In 2021, she was included in the Best Lawyers Rating.