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Background

Gwendy is a partner and head of the Dispute Resolution Team at N. Dowuona & Company. She has provided legal advice on local laws and regulatory requirements to local and international businesses, corporations, financial institutions, government agencies and investment companies.

She recently advised an international company on an asset purchase transaction of a listed company, advised a joint venture company in Ghana, on its legal obligations, particularly on the local content requirements and is lead counsel for commercial litigation services for a multinational company that operates in the petroleum downstream sector.

Gwendy holds an LLB from the University of Ghana and a qualifying certificate in Law/Barrister-at-law from the Ghana Law School. She is listed on the Martindale-Hubbell list of qualified Legal Counsel and is a member of the Ghana Bar Association.

Professional Memberships

Ghana Bar Association

Professional Qualifications

QCL, Ghana School of Law

LLB, University of Ghana

Career Summary

2018 – Date:Partner, N. Dowuona & Company
2016 – 2018:Deputy Director Legal, Cocoa Board Ghana
2014 – 2016: Head of Legal, UT Bank Limited
2008 – 2014: Deputy Head of Legal, UT Bank Limited
2003 – 2008: Senior Associate Lawyer, Fugar and Company Law Firm
2002 – 2003: Associate Lawyer, Acquah Sampson and Associates

2001 – 2002: Assistant State Attorney, Ministry of Justice Attorney General's Dept – Civil Division

Awards and Accolades

- Gwendy is ranked by Chambers Global (2023 – 2025) in the Dispute Resolution practice area. Her expertise is also reconised in Banking and Finance and M&A by IFLR1000(31st edition)
- Gwendy is a Recommended lawyer by Legal 500 (2021 – 2025) in the Dispute Resolution and commercial, corporate and M&A practice areas.

"*Gwendy Bannerman's commitment to transparency and client communication is unparalleled, fostering a relationship built on trust and collaboration. Gwendy champions a collaborative environment, and embeds herself in our teams and organization to help us navigate strategic issues. is an excellent, smart and quick-thinking lawyer*." – **Legal 500 2025**

"Gwendy Bannerman is very astute and good at her job. She is responsive and engaging." – **Chambers Global 2025**

Top Matters

- Representing Biwater, a world leader in treated water projects, in commercial litigation action in Ghana, with a pending LCIA arbitration in respect of part of the subject matter.
- Representing Volkswagen in a commercial claim and recovery for outstanding principal amounts and penal interest rates by using the best litigation strategy for a commercially viable solution
- Representing Unibank in a claim for a bank that is currently under receivership and successfully recovering funds from the debtor company
- Representing Enterprise Projects Ventures Limited in recovering amounts owed from a hire purchase arrangement for the supply of a cold storage prefabricated equipment to an agro-processing export company in Ghana.