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### Awards

- University of Zurich Summa cum laude Dissertation "Genossenschaftshaftung", awarded the Prof.-Walter-Hug Prize, 1990
- Recommended by Who's Who Legal: Insurance and Reinsurance 2022

### Memberships

- Zurich Bar Association (ZAV)
- Swiss Bar Association (SAV)
- Zurich Lawyers' Association (ZJURV)
- Swiss Association of Judges in Commercial Matters (SVRH)
- Swiss Society for Liability and Insurance Law (SGHVR)

### Languages

German, English, French

### Admissions

Admitted to represent parties before all Swiss courts and authorities, registered with the Bar Register of the Canton of Zurich

Hans Nigg is a proven specialist in liability and insurance law. From 1993, he headed claims services for leading national and international insurance groups. From 1997 to 2010 he worked as a specialist judge at the Commercial Court of Zurich. Hans Nigg focuses on liability and coverage disputes. Over the years, he has been involved in a variety of complex insurance and reinsurance disputes of national and international scope. Hans Nigg has extensive experience in various insurance sectors.

In the Who's Who Legal Global Guide for Insurance & Reinsurance 2022, Hans Nigg is listed and described as: *"a very knowledgeable and experienced professional who excels in complicated insurance disputes."*

### Expertise

Special experience and knowledge distinguish Hans Nigg in the following areas

- Liability and insurance law
- Contract and corporate law
- Professional liability, in particular medical and architect's liability
- Product, motor vehicle and railway liability
- Directors' liability (D&O) and Financial Lines (cyber and fidelity insurance)

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### Work experience

Since 2022	Consultant at BNS Attorneys at Law
2007-2022	Partner at Baudacci Nigg Stenberg
2004-2006	Chief Claims Officer, Continental Europe / ROW (Managing Director); Member of the Executive Board XL ICL, London, and the Claims Management XL Insurance (worldwide)
2000-2004	XL Winterthur International or Winterthur International Chief Claims Officer (worldwide), Member of the Executive Board (Director)
1998-2000	Winterthur Insurance, Head of Central Claims Services (ZSD) of the Swiss Division / Directorate-General (Deputy Director)
1993-1998	Winterthur Insurance, Head of Claims Liability Corporate Business (SHU) of the Swiss Division / General Directorate (Deputy Director)
1990-1993	Winterthur Versicherungen, staff lawyer at the Regional Directorate Zurich (authorized signatory)
1989-1990	University of Zurich, Research Assistant for Criminal Law and Criminal Procedure Law with Prof. J. Rehberg

1987-1989	Court of Cassation of the Canton of Zurich, Legal Secretary
1983-1987	District Court of Zurich, Auditor / Legal Secretary (including 1 year at the Labor Court)
1981-1983	University of Zurich, Scientific Assistant for Civil Law, in particular Law of Obligations and Liability Law with Prof. E. Stark

#### Education

1987	Zurich Bar admission
1975-1980	University of Zurich, law studies (magna laude)

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#### Selected Publications

- Beratungsbedarf bei der Genossenschaft und Genossenschaftsverzeichnis, in: Theus Simoni/Hauser/Bärtschi (Hrsg.), Handbuch Schweizer Genossenschaftsrecht, Basel 2022, S. 12 ff. und 354 ff.
- Die Krux der Anwendung der Adäquanzformel, in: Grolimund/Koller/Loacker/Portmann (Hrsg.), Festschrift für Anton K. Schnyder, Zürich/Basel/Genf 2018, S. 681 ff.
- Kommentierung der OR-Artikel 852-855 und 864-878 (Genossenschaftsrecht) in: Basler Kommentar zum Schweizerischen Obligationenrecht II (Art. 530-1186 OR), 5. Aufl., Basel 2016.
- Haftung nach Art. 58 Abs. 1 und 2 SVG, insbesondere Betrieb und Nichtbetrieb des Motorfahrzeugs, in: Walter Fellmann (Hrsg.), Haftpflicht des Motorfahrzeughalters – neue Antworten auf alte Fragen, Bern 2013, S. 17 ff.
- OR 58 und die öffentlichen Strassen, in: Liber amicorum Roland Brehm, Bern 2012, S. 281 ff.
- Der Weg zum gerichtlichen Vergleich, in Haftpflichtprozess 2007, Beiträge zur Tagung vom 19. Juni 2007, S. 95 ff. (Walter Fellmann/Stephan Weber, Hrsg).
- Haftpflichtversicherung des Rechtsanwalts am Beispiel der AVB einer Versicherung, in: Fellmann/Huguenin/Poledna/Schwarz, Schweizerisches Anwaltsrecht, Festschrift SAV, Bern 1998, S. 493 ff.
- Die Haftung mehrerer für einen Baumangel, in: Alfred Koller (Hrsg.), Haftung für Werkmängel, St. Gallen 1998, S. 121 ff.
- Kausalität und Umwelthaftung im Zivilrecht, in: SVZ 65 (1997) S. 30 ff. (im Rahmen von Sonderbeiträgen zur Gesamtrevision des Haftpflichtrechts).
- Die Genossenschafterhaftung, Dissertation Zürich 1990.