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Laura Alexander is a Director and advises in the Banking & Finance and Corporate Mergers & Acquisitions practice areas. She specialises in various aspects of banking and finance including asset finance, acquisition and leveraged finance, preference share transactions and corporate debt restructure, acting variously for lenders (in both the single lender and in the syndicated lender environment) and borrowers. She also has experience in various aspects of merger & acquisition transactions including structuring, shareholder arrangements, management participation and broad-based black economic empowerment structures.

Years of Experience: 7 years

PRACTICE AREAS

- Banking & Finance
- Corporate Mergers & Acquisitions

EXPERTISE

Advises on:

- Banking and finance
- Corporate Mergers and acquisitions
- Corporate debt restructuring
- Preference share transactions
- Syndicated funding
- Cross border funding
- Leveraged and structured finance
- Property finance

RELEVANT EXPERIENCE

- All aspects of merger and acquisition transactions involving both listed and private companies, including structuring advice, shareholder arrangements, management participation and broad based economic empowerment structures.
- All aspects of banking and finance transactions including asset finance, acquisition and leveraged finance, preference share transactions and corporate debt restructure, acting variously for lenders (in both the single lender and in the syndicated lender environment) and borrowers.

CAREER

- LLB (University of Pretoria);
- 2016: Associate, Werksmans;
- 2019: Senior Associate, Werksmans;
- 2021: Director, Werksmans

HIGHLIGHTS

- Ranked as a **recommended lawyer** by *Legal 500* | Banking & Finance | 2024 – 2025
- Ranked as a **highly regarded** practitioner by *IFLR 1000* | Banking & Finance | 2022 & 2024 – 2025