

# Melanie Simon-Giblin

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As a dual-qualified lawyer in New York and Paris, Melanie handles complex cross-border financial transactions for tech, biotech and medtech companies.

Her experience includes a broad range of capital markets transactions on Euronext and Nasdaq, from equity – initial public offerings (IPOs), dual listings, capital increases, private placements, private investments in public equity (PIPEs), block sales, and at-the-market (ATM) offerings – to debt, including high-yield and convertible bonds.

Before joining Cooley, Melanie worked in the New York office of a Paris-based international law firm.

### Melanie's representative matters include advising:

- Inventiva on a multitranche equity financing of up to 348 million euros\*
- The underwriters on Abivax's \$235.8 million IPO the largest-ever US IPO of a French-listed biotechnology company\*
- The underwriters on Valneva's 102.9 million euros capital increase\*
- A bank syndicate on DBV Technologies' \$194 million PIPE deal\*
- Talend on its acquisition by Thoma Bravo for \$2.4 billion\*

## Education

New York University LLM, 2018

Paris 2 Panthéon-Assas University LLM, Banking and Finance, 2016

## Admissions & Credentials

New York

<sup>\*</sup>Matters handled before joining Cooley