



LMPS Rechtsanwälte chooses NetDocuments, the leading document management system

This intuitive, scalable, Cloud-based platform was an ideal choice for this boutique law firm

LMPS Rechtsanwälte is a German boutique law firm which specialises in corporate mergers and acquisitions, compliance and litigation matters. Our firm was founded by four internationally experienced lawyers who adopted a highly efficient, partner-centred working model. Our clients include both national and international companies, as well as family businesses, financial investors and board members.

As a start-up, we needed a document management system that would meet the needs of a growing law firm, be easy to install and use, and take full advantage of the capabilities of modern technology so that we could gain the best available functionality and efficiency from the system. We also needed a solution that would help us comply with regulatory requirements in respect of data privacy and security. Finally, because we are an ambitious firm, we needed a system with the capacity to expand as the firm grows.

Exclusively Cloud-based

After some desk research, we compiled a shortlist of potential vendors. Of these, the NetDocuments document and email management system was the only one that was exclusively Cloud-based, with direct hosting.

Dr Hubertus Stuttmann, Partner at LMPS Rechtsanwälte, says: "I thought this was a huge advantage, particularly in our situation. After all, as a boutique firm, we want to focus on the needs of our clients, not on provisioning servers. With NetDocuments, we don't have to buy, house or continually maintain an IT infrastructure. Plus, it provides the scalability we're looking for."

It was important to us that NetDocuments has a German data centre and supplies end-to-end military-grade data encryption and security. This takes care of our compliance requirements in respect of data and it gives our clients the reassurances on information security that they are looking for.

Another advantage of being Cloud-based is that we get the flexibility to access documents remotely, at any time, via any browser and on any device. This is crucial to us. Also, because of the Software-as-a-Service (SaaS) environment, we will never have to conduct system upgrades. We're always on the current version and benefitting from the latest, most advanced features.

Implementation partner

Once we engaged with NetDocuments, they referred us to Advanced.



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Adoption of NetDocuments document management system from Advanced

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Our expectation was that we wouldn't need much help with onboarding the system since we are all IT-literate and had no data migrations to perform.

After initial discussions, Advanced understood our situation and they were happy to tailor their implementation process to our needs. We had the offer of formal training and have had some remote help. But in fact, we've only had to define categories and document types, which was a quick process.

We took a day to go through the system and understand any administration requirements, which proved straightforward. We've found the NetDocuments interface to be self-explanatory and intuitive.

Best-of-breed software

Overall, we are really happy with NetDocuments. It's a very good system with a wide range of functionality. It's working well and smoothly, enabling us to be efficient and productive. It's the perfect system for us.

Something that is very useful is our clients' ability to download their files from the NetDocuments' shared space and this is something we are developing. Clients are asking for a very high level of security, which we can demonstrate through NetDocuments' many accreditations. Another benefit of this is that it takes care of our firm's need for business continuity management and it gives us a high level of resilience.

It became apparent to us that other vendors in this space weren't really interested in working with firms where there are fewer than 20 users. It's a huge advantage that Advanced and NetDocuments will offer their services to firms of any size. It means that even the smallest boutique firm can access best-of-breed software. And this enables them to service clients as efficiently and securely as any multinational firm.

Dr Stuttmann concludes: "I would recommend NetDocuments, in fact, I already have. The willingness of Advanced to be flexible, and to put in the time to work with a smaller firm, was invaluable to us."

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