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Nele Jonckers is a supervising associate in Simmons & Simmons' Brussels-based Dispute Resolution Team, with a particular focus on the Healthcare and Life Sciences Department. She studied Law at the Catholic University of Leuven and has been a member of the Brussels Bar since 2016.

Before joining Simmons & Simmons in 2022, Nele gained valuable experience as an associate at a boutique law firm in Brussels specialised in life sciences.

She specialises in regulatory and compliance advice on behalf of pharmaceutical and medical device companies, as well as medical technology and digital health businesses, consumer health companies, and significant players in other highly regulated industries.

Her practice spans the entire product lifecycle, advising clients from the R&D and product qualification/classification stages, through (early) market access, vigilance and pharmacovigilance, to distribution, import-export, marketing, product information, and labelling of regulated products.

Nele is an active contributor to the legal and regulatory community. She co-authored the Belgian Chapter of the ICLG – Pharmaceutical Advertising Laws and Regulations from 2018 to 2022, and regularly delivers training sessions on compliance and regulatory topics for both clients and legal professionals. As a member of Healixia, the Belgian community of healthcare regulatory professionals, she is a frequent speaker at industry events. She also engages with associations such as pharma.be and beMedTech, and participates in Simmons & Simmons' own events.

In 2023 and 2025, Nele taught a class on Medical Devices Regulations at the Postgraduate – Antwerp Health Law and Ethics Chair (AHLEC) of the University of Antwerp, alongside Annabelle Bruyndonckx.