



Building confidence

Nigeria



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“No matter the nature of a project planned in Nigeria – when it comes to providing advice and assistance next to professional expertise, clients often choose to confide in a reliable partner. We are eager to prove that we are the optimum partner to have by your side. We will support you with our wealth of experience and professional competence throughout Nigeria and across its borders.”

WFO Rödl & Partner

“Confidence is of extreme importance to us. Those who climb the human towers should be confident that others will support them. For as long as it takes to achieve the goal. This makes us united.”

Castellers de Barcelona

Rödl & Partner in Nigeria

The Federal Republic of Nigeria is a leading location for investments and the largest economy in the African continent.

Foreign companies have traditionally enjoyed a strong presence there for years. It was mainly driven by the manufacturing, retail, real estate, industrial plant construction, engineering and construction industries. The Nigerian market is an important launch pad for foreign investments throughout Africa.

Nigeria is a pulsating powerhouse. As the most populous nation on the African continent, it dominates the region economically and culturally, spreading the fruits of its rapid development throughout Africa. Nigeria's growth ranks in the top because it's the world's 10th largest producer of oil.

The firms now known as Rödl & Partner has been present in Nigeria since 2008. Our team of experienced local and European professionals offers a wide range of services from tax planning and optimisation of regional holding structures to legal advisory services and accounting for companies as well as not-for-profit organisations. Our clients benefit from our wealth of experience combined with the high standards and expert knowledge of an international organisation.

Thus Rödl & Partner has become one of the first German advisory and audit companies with a presence in Nigeria. The team of experienced Nigerian and German auditors, tax advisers and attorneys focuses on providing subsidiaries of foreign companies with a wide range of services. This comprises auditing

annual financial statements, support during transactions as well as on-going tax, legal and administrative support to their engagements in Nigeria, ensuring continued support and services from a single source.

The list of our clients includes large multinationals as well as engineering and construction companies, retail and other companies in the fast moving consumer goods (FMCGs) sector, charity organisations, companies in the Oil, Gas & Power sector, telecommunication and other technology solutions providers in Nigeria and other West African countries. We also support service providers operating in all other sectors.

The Giant of Africa at the heart of the African continent

From our offices in Lagos, Abuja and Port Harcourt we advise our clients based in the Economic Community of West African States, such as Ghana, Gambia, Senegal, Sierra Leone, Togo, Cote D'Ivoire and other neighbouring countries. Our reliable affiliate firms are also there for our clients in Southern and Eastern

African countries, such as Kenya and South Africa. Through close collaboration with our affiliate firms, we provide Audit, Legal, Tax, BPO, Advisory and Accounting services to our clients in the African continent which as a growth region attracts more and more interest from European and non-European investors.

Our services

From our offices in Lagos, Abuja and Port Harcourt, our professionals offer the following services:

Audit & Assurance

- › Statutory Audits
- › Compilation of Financial Information
- › Review or Certification of Financial Information
- › Forensic & Investigation Services
- › Asset Verification Services
- › Reporting Accountant Services

Tax & People Services

- › Tax Advisory on business models and transactions
- › Tax Health Checks
- › Tax Audit Support
- › Tax Compliance Services
- › Transfer Pricing
- › Staff Placement Services
- › Contract Employee Services

- › Executive Selection & Recruitment
- › Payroll Processing Services
- › Review of Compensation & Benefits Plans
- › Learning & Development

Accounting Services

- › Accounting System Implementation
- › Accounts Clean-Up Services
- › Financial Reporting Services
- › SME Business Advisory
- › Internal Audit Services
- › Vendor Compliance Reviews
- › Accounting Advisory Services
- › Process Assurance & Optimisation

Advisory

- › Business Plans & Feasibility Studies
- › Corporate Strategy Advisory
- › Deal Support Services
- › M&A Services
- › Recovery & Reorganisation
- › Public Sector Infrastructure & PPP Advisory

Business Process Outsourcing

- › Finance & Accounting BPO
- › Customer Services & Marketing BPO
- › Procurement BPO
- › Invoice Processing Services
- › Temporary (Short Term) Staff Solutions
- › Cash Management Services

Legal & Regulatory Advisory

- › Formation of companies and other business structures
- › Company Secretarial Services
- › Regulatory Compliance & Advisory Services
- › Employment contracts, contracts for senior executives & Work Relations
- › Drafting and advisory on commercial agreements
- › Whistleblower Ethics Hotline Services

About us

As attorneys, tax advisers, management and IT consultants and auditors, we are present in 111 own locations in 51 countries. Worldwide, our clients trust our 4,700 colleagues.

The history of Rödl & Partner goes back to its foundation as a solo practice in 1977 in Nuremberg. Our aspiration to be on hand wherever our internationally-active clients are led to the establishment of our first, own offices, commencing with Central and Eastern Europe in 1989. Alongside market entry in Asia in 1994, the opening of offices in further strategic locations followed, in Western and Northern Europe in 1998, USA in 2000, South America in 2005 and Africa in 2008.

Our success has always been based on the success of our German clients: Rödl & Partner is always there where its clients see the potential for their business engagement. Rather than create an artificial network of franchises or affiliates, we have chosen to set up our own offices and rely on close, multidisciplinary and cross-border collaboration among our colleagues. As a

result, Rödl & Partner stands for international expertise from a single source.

Our conviction is driven by our entrepreneurial spirit that we share with many, but especially German family-owned companies. They appreciate personal service and value an advisor they see eye to eye with.

Our 'one face to the client' approach sets us apart from the rest. Our clients have a designated contact person who ensures that the complete range of Rödl & Partner services is optimally employed to the client's benefit. The 'caretaker' is always close at hand; they identify the client's needs and points to be resolved. The 'caretaker' is naturally also the main contact person in critical situations.

We also stand out through our corporate philosophy and client care, which is based on mutual trust and long-term orientation. We rely on renowned specialists who think in an interdisciplinary manner, since the needs and projects of our clients cannot be separated into individual professional disciplines.

Our one-stop-shop concept is based on a balance of expertise across the individual service lines, combining them seamlessly in multidisciplinary teams.

What sets us apart

Rödl & Partner is not a collection of accountants, auditors, attorneys, management and tax consultants working in parallel. We work together, closely interlinked across all service lines. We think from a market perspective, from a client's perspective, where a project team possesses all the capabilities to be successful and to realise the client's goals.

Our interdisciplinary approach is not unique, nor is our global reach or our particularly strong presence among family businesses. It is the combination that cannot be found anywhere else – a firm that is devoted to comprehensively supporting German businesses, wherever in the world they might be.



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"Each and every person counts" – to the Castellars and to us.

Human towers symbolise in a unique way the Rödl & Partner corporate culture. They personify our philosophy of solidarity, balance, courage and team spirit. They stand for the growth that is based on own resources, the growth which has made Rödl & Partner the company we are today. "Força, Equilibri, Valor i Seny" (strength, equilibrium, valour and common sense) is the Catalan motto of all Castellars, describing their fundamental values very accurately. It is to our liking and also reflects our mentality. Therefore Rödl & Partner embarked on a collaborative journey with the representatives of this long-standing tradition of human towers – Castellars de Barcelona – in May 2011. The association from Barcelona stands, among many other things, for this intangible cultural heritage.