## Sarah el Yaacoubi

Sarah graduated with a Master's degree in Law from Tilburg University in 2019. After graduating, she worked as an interim legal adviser for various municipalities, allowing her to build a strong foundation in spatial planning. She also served as secretary of the buildings aesthetics committee in the Municipality of Soest, and she played a key role advising on various spatial projects. Following this, Sarah entered the legal profession, specialising in environmental and planning law, and she completed her professional training as a lawyer in 2024. Sarah joined Straatman Koster advocaten in August 2025.



Practice areas

Environmental and planning law

## **Expertise:**

Sarah specialises in advising clients and litigating on their behalf in matters of environmental and planning law and general administrative law, with an emphasis on area development. She advises and litigates on various environmental and planning issues related to the Dutch Environment and Planning Act, such as area development, enforcement, licensing, planning permission and other spatial planning procedures. In this context, she supports developers, land owners as well as companies and private individuals.

Sarah has listed the following main and secondary legal practice areas in the register of legal practice areas of the Netherlands Bar (Nederlandse orde van advocaten, NOvA):

• Environmental and planning law

This listing requires her to obtain ten training credits in each registered main legal practice area in accordance with the standards of the Netherlands Bar each calendar year.

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