

Nexia S&A accelerates its regional expansion with a new presence in Lyon and strengthens its restructuring offering

Nexia S&A continues its growth trajectory with the opening of a Lyon office following its combination with Maxime Mazuy and his team. This transaction is part of the firm's development strategy and marks a new milestone with the nationwide rollout of its restructuring practice, as well as the strengthening of its transaction services activities in the Auvergne-Rhône-Alpes region.



Nexia S&A announces a strategic combination with a firm founded and led by Maxime Mazuy, based in Lyon, which advises SMEs and mid-sized companies on financial restructuring as well as transaction services assignments.

After spending around ten years within leading consulting firms, including Big Four firms and Eight Advisory, Maxime Mazuy **created and developed a business that is now firmly established in the market.** The firm generates more than €1 million in revenue and relies on a team of seven professionals. Its activities primarily serve clients based in the Auvergne-Rhône-Alpes region, as well as in Paris and Marseille.

The transaction takes the form of **an entrepreneurial integration**: the business joins Nexia S&A, and Maxime Mazuy becomes a Partner of the firm. His objective is **to lead and sustainably develop a restructuring practice within Nexia S&A, while continuing to expand Transaction Services activities in the Auvergne-Rhône-Alpes region.**

A new milestone in Nexia S&A's growth strategy

This combination is part of Nexia S&A's development strategy, aimed at **offering a comprehensive range of services** to executives, finance departments, and the broader financial ecosystem. As a recognized audit, accounting, and advisory group, Nexia S&A is strengthening its ability to support companies facing periods of financial stress and difficulty.

« **This combination reflects a dual ambition:** enhancing our service offering by structuring a dedicated restructuring activity within the firm, and strengthening our regional footprint through a presence in Lyon. Building on this foundation, we aim to support the firm's long-term development in the Auvergne-Rhône-Alpes region, progressively expanding our core business lines there », said **Fabrice Huglin, Chief Executive Officer of Nexia S&A and Transaction Services Partner.**

Strengthening the Restructuring offering at a national level

Through this combination, Nexia S&A is developing **a nationwide Restructuring offering**, responding to strong demand from companies, financial institutions, and court-appointed administrators. **Led by Maxime Mazuy**, this practice primarily serves SMEs and mid-sized companies facing financial or organizational challenges. The approach emphasizes early anticipation and notably relies **on Independent Business Reviews (IBR)**, providing an independent assessment of organizations' financial situations and future prospects.

A strategic presence in Lyon

The integration of both restructuring and transaction services activities also enables Nexia S&A to establish a presence in Lyon, at the heart of the Auvergne-Rhône-Alpes region, France's second-largest economic hub. This location aims to **strengthen the firm's proximity to regional economic stakeholders**, while reinforcing its national positioning.

At the same time, the transaction strengthens Nexia S&A's Transaction Services offering in the Auvergne-Rhône-Alpes region, **consolidating the firm's presence in this practice** by leveraging synergies between the Lyon-based teams and Nexia S&A's existing teams.

A combination built on shared values

« The objective is to continue developing our activities by gradually integrating new areas of expertise. This combination with Nexia S&A should also contribute to the development of Transaction Services in the Auvergne-Rhône-Alpes region. Beyond these growth objectives, this project is above all based on shared values: **the quality of client support, measured growth, and particular attention to our people** », added **Maxime Mazuy**.

Beyond business and geographic complementarities, this combination is founded on shared values: **capital independence, high quality standards, close client relationships**, and an entrepreneurial culture. Nexia S&A is pursuing **long-term development** based on the operational commitment of its teams and controlled growth.



About Nexia S&A

Nexia S&A is a leading player in audit, accounting, and advisory services, bringing together more than 540 professionals, including 59 Partners, serving 4,500 clients — mid-sized companies and SMEs — in France and internationally. A trusted partner to finance departments, Nexia S&A stands out for its technical excellence, high ethical standards, and strong commitment. Through the Nexia network, present in more than 120 countries, its teams support clients across all five continents.

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