



Meet Andrea Gustafson, Legal Director responsible for the legal affairs of the Swedish operations.

What attracted me to Steen & Ström?

My interest and curiosity in shopping centers was awakened in my previous position as a lawyer. I realized that I wanted to get closer to the operations and the commercial side from a property owner's perspective and to have the full picture of a business. I was curious and wanted to gain greater insight by getting inside the businesses.

When the opportunity came to develop Steen & Ström's Swedish legal department, I took it. Today we are three lawyers working together but also close to our colleagues in Norway and Denmark and close to our colleagues at our French main owner Klépierre.

What makes my role as Legal Director interesting?

The department is a support function within the company. We work with most departments within Steen & Ström in Sweden and manage all kinds of legal issues. Our core business is, of course, commercial leases, but in addition, there are other types of agreements and legal matters that I deal with, such as corporate law, compliance, marketing, operating agreements, construction law, and disputes. Rarely does a day turn out exactly as I had planned, but that is what makes it fun too!

The strength of Steen & Ström according to me

The strength of our company is our strong local presence combined with the close co-operation across borders - both in Scandinavia and internationally with our owners.

What am I looking forward to?

I enjoy the daily work and the industry, which is dynamic and in an exciting phase, and in the future, it would of course be great if we acquired a new shopping center in Sweden.