

Best Lawyers 2020 Recognizes 137 Proskauer Lawyers

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August 15, 2019 (NEW YORK) – One hundred and thirty-seven Proskauer lawyers from across the Firm’s U.S. offices have been selected by their peers for inclusion in *The Best Lawyers in America* 2020 guide.

In addition, five of our lawyers were recognized as the exclusive Lawyers of the Year in their respective practices:

- Sandra Crawshaw-Sparks for Litigation – Intellectual Property (Los Angeles)
- Anthony Oncidi for Litigation – Labor and Employment (Los Angeles)
- Paul Salvatore for Litigation – Labor and Employment (New York)
- Mark Thomas was recognized for Litigation-Bankruptcy (Chicago)
- Jay Waxenberg for Litigation – Trusts and Estates (New York)

Lawyers of the Year awards go to individual lawyers with the highest overall peer feedback for a specific practice area and geographic region.

The full list of Proskauer lawyers recognized include:

Advertising Law

Brendan O’Rourke (New York)

Lawrence Weinstein (New York)

Appellate

Bettina Plevan (New York)

Arbitration

Steven Obus (New York)

Banking & Finance

Steven Weise (Los Angeles)

Bankruptcy and Credit Debtor Rights / Insolvency and Reorganization Law

Peter Antoszyk (Boston)

Martin Bienenstock (New York)

Stephen Boyko (Boston)

Charles Dale (Boston)

Michael Kessler (New York)

Jeffrey Levitan (New York)

Jeff Marwil (Chicago)

Paul Possinger (Chicago)

Brian Rosen (New York)

Mark Thomas (Chicago)

Peter Young (Los Angeles)

Biotechnology and Life Sciences Practice

Fangli Chen (Boston)

Siegmund Gutman (Los Angeles)

Commercial Litigation

Michael Cardozo (New York)

Scott Cooper (Los Angeles)

Ralph Ferrara (Washington, D.C.)

Michael Firestein (Los Angeles)

Gregg Mashberg (New York)

Timothy Mungovan (Boston)

Stephen Ratner (New York)

Brian Rosen (New York)

Bart Williams (Los Angeles)

Corporate Law

Julie Allen (New York)

Robert Cantone (New York)

Steven Ellis (Boston)

Jeffrey Horwitz (New York)

Arnold Jacobs (New York)

Steven Kirshenbaum (New York)

Joseph Leccese (New York)

Bruce Lieb (New York)

Robin Painter (Boston)

Ronald Papa (New York)

Kathy Rocklen (New York)

Christopher Wells (New York)

Corporate Compliance Law

Ralph Ferrara (Washington, D.C.)

Corporate Governance Law

Ralph Ferrara (Washington, D.C.)

Criminal Defense: White Collar

Robert Cleary (New York)

Mark Harris (New York)

William Silverman (New York)

Dietrich Snell (New York)

Bart Williams (Los Angeles)

Employee Benefits (ERISA) Law

Michael Album (New York)

Ira Bogner (New York)

Paul Hamburger (Washington, D.C.)

Colleen Hart (Los Angeles)

Jacob Friedman (New York)

Robert Projansky (New York)

Andrea Rattner (New York)

Seth Safra (Washington, D.C.)

Neal Schelberg (New York)

Employment Law - Management

Neil Abramson (New York)

John Barry (Newark)

Mark Batten (Boston)

Joseph Baumgarten (New York)

Allan Bloom (New York)

Elise Bloom (New York)

Harold Brody (Los Angeles)

Howard Ganz (New York)

Deidre Grossman (New York)

Steven Hurd (New York)

Kathleen McKenna (New York)

Anthony Oncidi (Los Angeles)

Bettina Plevan (New York)

Bernard Plum (New York)

Gregory Rasin (New York)

Paul Salvatore (New York)

Lawrence Sandak (Newark)

Howard Shapiro (New Orleans)

Entertainment Law - Music

Sandra Crawshaw-Sparks (Los Angeles)

Charles Ortner (New York)

Environmental Law

Robert Kafin (New York)

Gail Port (New York)

Equipment Finance Law

Steven Weise (Los Angeles)

Health Care

Robert Kaufman (New York)

Edward Kornreich (New York)

David Manko (New York)

Ellen Moskowitz (New York)

Richard Zall (New York)

Immigration Law

David Grunblatt (Newark)

Information Technology Law

Jeffrey Neuburger (New York)

Insurance Law

Marc Rosenthal (Chicago)

Seth Schafler (New York)

International Arbitration - Commercial

Peter Sherwin (New York)

International Mergers & Acquisitions

Matthew O'Loughlin (Los Angeles)

Labor Law - Management

Neil Abramson (New York)

Mark Batten (Boston)

Joseph Baumgarten (New York)

Scott Faust (Boston)

Howard Ganz (New York)

Bernard Plum (New York)

Howard Robbins (New York)

Paul Salvatore (New York)

Mark Theodore (Los Angeles)

Leveraged Buyouts and Private Equity Law

Lauren Boglivi (New York)

Michael Callahan (New York)

Steven Peck (Boston)

Litigation - Bankruptcy

Martin Bienenstock (New York)

Charles Dale (Boston)

Michael Kessler (New York)

Jeff Marwil (Chicago)

Paul Possinger (Chicago)

Mark Thomas (Chicago)

Litigation - Environmental

Gail Port (New York)

Litigation - ERISA

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Nicole Eichberger (New Orleans)

Howard Shapiro (New Orleans)

Litigation - First Amendment

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Litigation - Intellectual Property

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Brendan O'Rourke (New York)

Kevin Perra (New York)

Charles Sims (New York)

Litigation - Labor & Employment

John Barry (Newark)

Mark Batten (Boston)

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Litigation - Real Estate

Richard Goldstein (New York)

Litigation - Trusts and Estates

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Mediation

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Mutual Funds Law

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Robert Plaze (Washington, D.C.)

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Patent Law

Steven Bauer (Boston)

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Private Funds / Hedge Funds Law

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Scott Jones (Boston)

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Arnold May (Boston)

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David Tegeler (Boston)

Real Estate Law

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Michael Choate (Chicago)

Peter Fass (New York)

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Securities Regulation

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