



## 2025 BEST LAWYERS® IN AMERICA

### Lawyer of the Year:

Every year, a single lawyer in each practice area and designated metropolitan area is honored as the "Lawyer of the Year." The following Proskauer attorneys received the award this year:

- Ira Bogner - Employee Benefits (ERISA) Law, New York City
- Stephen Boyko - Banking and Finance Law, Boston
- Charles Dale III - Bet-the-Company Litigation, Boston
- Evandro Gigante - Employment Law - Management, New York City
- Kathleen McKenna - Litigation - Labor and Employment, New York City
- Stephen Mears - Corporate Law, Boston
- Jon Oram - Sports Law, New York City
- Paul Salvatore - Labor Law – Management, New York City
- Bart Williams - Sports Law, Los Angeles

### Best Lawyers:

Lawyers on *The Best Lawyers in America*® list are divided by geographic region and practice areas. They are reviewed by their peers based on professional expertise and undergo an authentication process to make sure they are in current practice and in good standing.

- Neil H. Abramson - Employment Law - Management, Labor Law - Management, and Litigation - Labor and Employment
- Michael J. Album - Employee Benefits (ERISA) Law
- Justin S. Alex - Employee Benefits (ERISA) Law
- Peter J. Antoszyk - Banking and Finance Law, Bankruptcy and Creditor Debtor Rights / Insolvency and Reorganization Law, Commercial Litigation, and Commercial Transactions / UCC Law
- Monica K. Arora - Private Funds / Hedge Funds Law
- Ehud Barak - Bankruptcy and Creditor Debtor Rights / Insolvency and Reorganization Law
- Keith R. Barnett - Real Estate Law
- Mark W. Batten - Employment Law - Management, Labor Law - Management, and Litigation - Labor and Employment

- Joseph Baumgarten - Employment Law - Management, Labor Law - Management, and Litigation - Labor and Employment
- Howard J. Beber - Corporate Law, Private Funds / Hedge Funds Law, and Venture Capital Law
- Martin J. Bienenstock - Bankruptcy and Creditor Debtor Rights / Insolvency and Reorganization Law and Litigation - Bankruptcy
- Allan S. Bloom - Employment Law - Management and Litigation - Labor and Employment
- Elise M. Bloom - Employment Law - Management, Litigation - Labor and Employment, and Sports Law
- Ira G. Bogner - Employee Benefits (ERISA) Law
- Sean T. Boulger - Real Estate Law
- Stephen A. Boyko - Banking and Finance Law, Bankruptcy and Creditor Debtor Rights / Insolvency and Reorganization Law, and Corporate Law
- Harold M. Brody - Employment Law - Management and Litigation - Labor and Employment
- Fangli Chen Ph. Dr. - Biotechnology and Life Sciences Practice and Patent Law
- Sarah K. Cherry - Private Funds / Hedge Funds Law
- Roberta K. Chevlowe - Employee Benefits (ERISA) Law
- Lloyd B. Chinn - Litigation - Labor and Employment
- Michael J. Choate - Real Estate Law
- Aliza R. Cinamon - Environmental Law
- Stuart H. Coleman - Mutual Funds Law
- Scott P. Cooper - Commercial Litigation and Sports Law
- Sandra A. Crawshaw-Sparks - Copyright Law and Litigation - Intellectual Property
- Gary J. Creem - Banking and Finance Law
- Charles A. Dale III - Bankruptcy and Creditor Debtor Rights / Insolvency and Reorganization Law, Bet-the-Company Litigation, and Litigation - Bankruptcy
- Joseph Drayton - Litigation - Intellectual Property
- Stephen M. Edwards - Real Estate Law
- Nicole A. Eichberger - Litigation - ERISA and Litigation - Labor and Employment
- Steven M. Ellis - Banking and Finance Law and Corporate Law



- Grant J. Esposito - Product Liability Litigation - Defendants
- Peter M. Fass - Real Estate Law
- Scott A. Faust - Labor Law - Management
- Michael A. Firestein - Commercial Litigation
- Douglas B. Frank - Real Estate Law
- Robert E Freeman - Sports Law
- Mitchell M. Gaswirth - Tax Law and Trusts and Estates
- Evandro C. Gigante - Employment Law - Management, Labor Law - Management, and Litigation - Labor and Employment
- Ira M. Golub - Employee Benefits (ERISA) Law
- Albert W. Gortz - Trusts and Estates
- Keisha-Ann G. Gray - Employment Law - Management and Litigation - Labor and Employment
- Daryn A. Grossman - Technology Law
- Martin T. Hamilton - Tax Law
- Mark D. Harris - Criminal Defense: White-Collar
- Colleen Hart - Employee Benefits (ERISA) Law
- Stephanie E. Heilborn - Trusts and Estates
- Stephen D. Hibbard - Commercial Litigation and Litigation - Securities
- Steven Holinstat - Litigation - Trusts and Estates
- Jeffrey A. Horwitz - Corporate Law, Leisure and Hospitality Law, and Real Estate Law
- Steven D. Hurd - Employment Law - Management
- Vincent Indelicato - Bankruptcy and Creditor Debtor Rights / Insolvency and Reorganization Law
- Arnold S. Jacobs - Corporate Law
- David T. Jones - Private Funds / Hedge Funds Law
- Scott S. Jones P.C. - Corporate Law, Private Funds / Hedge Funds Law, and Tax Law
- Robert J. Kafin - Environmental Law
- Wayne D. Katz - Sports Law
- Andrew M. Katzenstein - Litigation - Trusts and Estates, Tax Law, and Trusts and Estates

- Michael P. Kessler - Bankruptcy and Creditor Debtor Rights / Insolvency and Reorganization Law and Litigation - Bankruptcy
- Vinay Kohli - Health Care Law
- Edward S. Kornreich - Health Care Law
- Mary B. Kuusisto - Private Funds / Hedge Funds Law and Tax Law
- Patrick J. Lamparello - Employment Law - Management
- Christiana Lazo - Trusts and Estates
- Michael J. Lebowich - Labor Law - Management
- Joseph M. Leccese - Sports Law
- Henry J. Leibowitz - Trusts and Estates
- Steven L. Lichtenfeld - Real Estate Law
- Bruce L. Lieb - Corporate Law and Private Funds / Hedge Funds Law
- David A. Manko - Health Care Law
- Arnold P. May - Corporate Law, Private Funds / Hedge Funds Law, and Tax Law
- Kathleen M. McKenna - Employment Law - Management and Litigation - Labor and Employment
- Stephen T. Mears - Corporate Law and Private Funds / Hedge Funds Law
- David S. Miller - Tax Law
- Kelli L. Moll - Private Funds / Hedge Funds Law
- Sandra Lee Montgomery - Banking and Finance Law and Securitization and Structured Finance Law
- Ellen H. Moskowitz - Health Care Law
- Timothy W. Mungovan - Commercial Litigation
- Jeremy M. Naylor - Tax Law
- Jeffrey D. Neuburger - Information Technology Law and Technology Law
- Amanda H. Nussbaum - Tax Law
- Katelyn R. O'Brien - Real Estate Law
- Matthew S. O'Loughlin - International Mergers and Acquisitions
- Brendan J. O'Rourke - Advertising Law and Litigation - Intellectual Property



- Anthony J. Oncidi - Employment Law - Management and Litigation - Labor and Employment
- Jon H. Oram - Sports Law
- Ben D. Orlanski - Corporate Law and Securities / Capital Markets Law
- Robin A. Painter - Corporate Law and Private Funds / Hedge Funds Law
- Steven J. Pearlman - Employment Law - Management and Litigation - Labor and Employment
- Steven M. Peck - Venture Capital Law
- Whitney Magee Phelps - Health Care Law
- Jamiel E. Poindexter - Corporate Law and Tax Law
- Paul V. Possinger - Bankruptcy and Creditor Debtor Rights / Insolvency and Reorganization Law and Litigation - Bankruptcy
- David Pratt - Litigation - Trusts and Estates, Tax Law, and Trusts and Estates
- Robert M. Projansky - Employee Benefits (ERISA) Law
- Lary Alan Rappaport - Commercial Litigation
- Gregory I. Rasin - Employment Law - Management
- Andrea S. Rattner - Employee Benefits (ERISA) Law and Tax Law
- Eric R. Reimer - Banking and Finance Law and Securities / Capital Markets Law
- Howard Z. Robbins - Employment Law - Management and Labor Law - Management
- Mark R. Rosman - Antitrust Law and Litigation - Antitrust
- Stuart L. Rosow - Tax Law
- Myron D. Rumeld - Litigation - ERISA
- Bradley I. Ruskin - Commercial Litigation and Sports Law
- Seth J. Safra - Employee Benefits (ERISA) Law
- Paul A. Salvatore - Employment Law - Management, Labor Law - Management, and Litigation - Labor and Employment
- Jurate Schwartz - Employment Law - Management
- Peter J.W. Sherwin - International Arbitration - Commercial
- William C. Silverman - Criminal Defense: White-Collar
- Charles S. Sims - Litigation - First Amendment and Litigation - Intellectual Property



- Dietrich L. Snell - Criminal Defense: White-Collar
- David Stephens - Mutual Funds Law
- David W. Tegeler - Private Funds / Hedge Funds Law
- Nigel F. Telman - Employment Law - Management
- Matthew Triggs - Litigation - Trusts and Estates and Trusts and Estates
- Ana Vermal - International Arbitration - Commercial
- Jay D. Waxenberg - Litigation - Trusts and Estates and Trusts and Estates
- Hadassa Waxman - Criminal Defense: White-Collar
- David J. Weinberger - Real Estate Law
- Steven O. Weise - Banking and Finance Law, Commercial Transactions / UCC Law, and Equipment Finance Law
- Christopher M. Wells - Corporate Law and Private Funds / Hedge Funds Law
- Bart H. Williams - Bet-the-Company Litigation, Commercial Litigation, Criminal Defense: White-Collar, and Sports Law
- Peter J. Young - Bankruptcy and Creditor Debtor Rights / Insolvency and Reorganization Law, Corporate Law, and Litigation – Bankruptcy

### **Best Lawyers: Ones to Watch®:**

Lawyers recognized in Best Lawyers: Ones to Watch in America® are divided by geographic region and practice areas. Candidates can only be considered for one recognition at a time, either "Ones to Watch" or traditional Best Lawyers awards.

- Julia Ansanelli - Commercial Litigation
- Noa M. Baddish - Litigation - Labor and Employment
- Robert J. Baehr - Criminal Defense: White-Collar
- Alexandra V. Bargoot - Commercial Litigation
- Nat Birdsall - Litigation - Trusts and Estates and Trusts and Estates
- Godfre O. Blackman - Labor and Employment Law - Management and Mass Tort Litigation / Class Actions - Defendants
- Alexander V. Bondarenko - Banking and Finance Law

- Wai L. Choy - Communications Law
- Joseph E. Clark - Employee Benefits (ERISA) Law and Litigation - Labor and Employment
- William D. Dalsen - Intellectual Property Law
- Grant R. Darwin - Leveraged Buyouts and Private Equity Law and Mergers and Acquisitions Law
- Adam L. Deming - Appellate Practice
- Daniel Desatnik - Bankruptcy and Creditor Debtor Rights / Insolvency and Reorganization Law
- Christine Espino PhD - Patent Law
- Laura M. Fant - Labor and Employment Law - Management
- Rachel S. Fischer - Litigation - Labor and Employment
- Gabrielle Fox - Employee Benefits (ERISA) Law
- Joshua S. Fox - Entertainment and Sports Law and Labor and Employment Law - Management
- Matthew D. Geduldig - Corporate Governance and Compliance Law
- Anastasia S. Gellman - Employee Benefits (ERISA) Law
- Pinchos Goldberg - Labor and Employment Law - Management and Litigation - Labor and Employment
- Laura E. Goldsmith - Intellectual Property Law and Technology Law
- Erin M. Harper - Real Estate Law
- Atoyia S. Harris - Labor and Employment Law - Management and Litigation - Labor and Employment
- Jennifer M. Hicks - Corporate Law
- Steven Hornik - Corporate Law
- Michelle L. Iodice - Banking and Finance Law
- Joseph E. Kasegian - Venture Capital Law
- Arielle E. Kobetz - Labor and Employment Law - Management and Litigation - Labor and Employment
- Sehreen Ladak - Labor and Employment Law - Management
- Nicholas LaSpina - Employee Benefits (ERISA) Law
- Philippe A. Lebel - Litigation - Labor and Employment

- Muhyung Lee - Tax Law
- Steve Ma - Bankruptcy and Creditor Debtor Rights / Insolvency and Reorganization Law
- Jason S. Madden - Health Care Law
- Katrine Magas - Tax Law
- Lisa B. Markofsky - Commercial Litigation
- Allison Lynn Martin - Labor and Employment Law - Management
- Susan C. McAleavey - Labor and Employment Law - Management
- Lara B. Miller - Corporate Law
- Lee Popkin - Commercial Litigation, Intellectual Property Law, and Product Liability Litigation - Defendants
- Brianna L. Reed - Tax Law
- Alexandra Rueckle Reynolds - Labor and Employment Law - Management and Litigation - Labor and Employment
- P. Kramer Rice - Litigation - Labor and Employment and Mass Tort Litigation / Class Actions - Defendants
- Lauren Richburg - Corporate Law
- Jennifer Rigterink - Employee Benefits (ERISA) Law
- Brian S. Schwartz - Venture Capital Law
- Neil V. Shah - Labor and Employment Law - Management, Litigation - Labor and Employment, and Mass Tort Litigation / Class Actions - Defendants
- Laura Stafford - Commercial Litigation
- Mohammad Tehrani - Bankruptcy and Creditor Debtor Rights / Insolvency and Reorganization Law
- David B. Teigman - Employee Benefits (ERISA) Law
- William T. Walsh, Jr. - Insurance Law, Litigation - Antitrust, and Litigation - Intellectual Property
- Jennifer Yang - Commercial Litigation and Intellectual Property Law
- Edward C. Young - Labor and Employment Law - Management and Litigation - Labor and Employment
- Amy Zelcer - Securities / Capital Markets Law

