

120 ARMSTRONG TEASDALE LAWYERS NAMED AMONG 2026 BEST LAWYERS[®], ONES TO WATCH

Armstrong Teasdale announces that 120 firm lawyers have been listed among The Best Lawyers in America[®] and Ones to Watch – 2026 edition. The lawyers were ranked across dozens of practice areas and nine offices.

Best Lawyers recognitions are based entirely on peer review to capture, as accurately as possible, the consensus opinion of leading lawyers about the professional abilities of their colleagues within the same geographical region and legal practice area. Attorneys who are new to the Best Lawyers list this year include David Jermann, Halle Dimar, James Heinen and Michael Vander Molen.

Thirty-six attorneys are ranked in the Ones to Watch category, which features up-and-coming lawyers in the earlier stages of their careers. Attorneys Michael Grigsby, Katie Horn, Kat Januszkiewicz, Gabriel Lievano and Mario Martinez are new to the list in 2026.

In addition, four lawyers were named "Lawyer of the Year," a designation presented to only one individual in a given geographical region and practice area annually. They are Jonathan Dalton, Government Relations Practice; Matthew Reh, Eminent Domain and Condemnation Law; Robert Klahr, Municipal Law; and Ray Price, Arbitration.

BEST LAWYERS

Chicago

Eric N. Macey, Commercial Litigation; Gaming Law; Litigation – Bankruptcy; Litigation - Real Estate

Timothy J. Miller, Commercial Litigation; Legal Malpractice Law - Defendants
Stephen Novack, Commercial Litigation; Legal Malpractice Law – Defendants; Litigation - Real Estate; Litigation - Trusts and Estates; Professional Malpractice Law - Defendants

Stephen J. Siegel, Commercial Litigation

Donald A. Tarkington, Commercial Litigation; Litigation - Real Estate

Denver

PEOPLE

Eric N. Macey

Timothy J. Miller

Stephen Novack

Stephen J. Siegel

Donald A. Tarkington

Gregory J. Ramos

Matt Kitzi

Karrie J. Clinkinbeard

Paul M. Croker

David A. Jermann, II

Tyson H. Ketchum

Brian M. Nye

Gregory D. Todd

Eleanor T. Barnett

Jeffrey R. Lam

Glen H. Waldman

Steven I. Tolman

Timothy J. Bergère

Joseph D. Rossi

Derick E. Allen

Wendi Alper-Pressman

Bruce T. Atkins

Christopher D. Baucom

Hillary Bean

Nicole C. Behnen

Patrick E. Brennan



Gregory J. Ramos, Corporate Law; Mergers and Acquisitions Law

Edwardsville

Untress Quinn, Health Care Law; Medical Malpractice Law – Defendants; Product Liability Litigation – Defendants; Professional Malpractice Law – Defendants

Jefferson City

Sherry L. Doctorian, Government Relations Practice
Matthew Kitzi, Litigation – Securities; Securities Regulation

Kansas City

Karrie Clinkinbeard, Product Liability Litigation - Defendants
Paul M. Croker, Construction Law
David A. Jermann II, Franchise Law
Tyson H. Ketchum, Employment Law – Management; Litigation - Labor and Employment; Personal Injury Litigation - Defendants
Brian M. Nye, Mass Tort Litigation / Class Actions – Defendants; Product Liability Litigation - Defendants
Gregory Todd, Real Estate Law

Miami

Eleanor T. Barnett, Commercial Litigation; Litigation - Real Estate
Jeffrey R. Lam, Commercial Litigation; Litigation - Real Estate
Glen H. Waldman, Commercial Litigation; Litigation – Construction; Litigation - Land Use and Zoning; Litigation - Real Estate

New York

Steven I. Tolman, Construction Law; Litigation - Construction

Philadelphia

Timothy J. Bergère, Energy Law; Environmental Law
Joseph D. Rossi, Patent Law

St. Louis

Derick E. Allen, Patent Law
Wendi Alper-Pressman, Banking and Finance Law; Bankruptcy and Creditor Debtor Rights / Insolvency and Reorganization Law; Financial Services Regulation Law
Bruce T. Atkins, Patent Law
Christopher D. Baucom, Commercial Litigation
Hillary Bean, Real Estate Law
Nicole C. Behnen, Mass Tort Litigation / Class Actions – Defendants; Product Liability Litigation - Defendants
Patrick Brennan, Patent Law
Richard L. Brophy, Litigation - Intellectual Property; Litigation - Patent
Maureen O. Bryan, Litigation - Health Care

Richard L. Brophy

Maureen O. Bryan

Jennifer R. Byrne

Paul J. Cambridge

Jonathan F. Dalton

Halle L. Dimar

Susan K. Ehlers

Richard W. Engel, Jr.

Daniel M. Fitzgerald

Steven J. Foristal

James A. Fredericks

F. Scott Galt, CIPP/E

Lynn T. Goessling

Christopher M. Goff

David L. Going

Kyle Gottuso

Keith K. Grissom

James M. Heinen, Jr.

Joseph F. Hipskind, Jr.

Scott E. Hunt

Michael S. Jefferies

Robert A. Kaiser

Anita M. Kidd

Robert D. Klahr

Bruce D. LeMoine

Christopher R. LaRose

David G. Loseman

James E. Mello

Bryan D. Nicholson

John J. O'Brien

Julie E. O'Keefe

Steven E. Pozaric

William Ray Price, Jr.

Patrick W. Rasche

Matthew J. Reh

Amy T. Ryan



Armstrong
Teasdale

Daniel J. Burke, Jr., Real Estate Law

Jennifer R. Byrne, Closely Held Companies and Family Businesses Law

Paul Cambridge, Banking and Finance Law; Mergers and Acquisitions Law

Michael A. Chivell, Corporate Law; Real Estate Law

Clark H. Cole, Insurance Law; Litigation – Insurance; Personal Injury Litigation - Defendants

Jonathan F. Dalton*, Administrative / Regulatory Law; Government Relations Practice

Halle L. Dimar, Health Care Law; Medical Malpractice Law - Defendants

Susan K. Ehlers, Bankruptcy and Creditor Debtor Rights / Insolvency and Reorganization Law

Richard W. Engel, Jr., Bankruptcy and Creditor Debtor Rights / Insolvency and Reorganization Law

Daniel Fitzgerald, Patent Law

Steven J. Forstal, Corporate Compliance Law; Corporate Law; Franchise Law

James A. Fredericks, Banking and Finance Law; Real Estate Law

Scott Galt, Commercial Litigation; Privacy and Data Security Law

Timothy J. Gearin, Litigation - Health Care; Medical Malpractice Law – Defendants; Product Liability Litigation - Defendants

Daniel J. Godar, Business Organizations (including LLCs and Partnerships); Closely Held Companies and Family Businesses Law; Corporate Law; Health Care Law; Mergers and Acquisitions Law

Lynn T. Goessling, Real Estate Law

Joseph L. Goff, Jr., Commercial Litigation

David L. Going, Bankruptcy and Creditor Debtor Rights / Insolvency and Reorganization Law; Litigation - Bankruptcy

Kyle G. Gottuso, Litigation - Intellectual Property

Keith K. Grissom, Trusts and Estates

James M. Heinen, Jr., Litigation - Patent

Joseph F. Hipskind, Jr., Business Organizations (including LLCs and Partnerships); Corporate Law; Real Estate Law

Scott E. Hunt, Employee Benefits (ERISA) Law

Michael S. Jefferies, Corporate Law

Robert A. Kaiser, Employment Law – Management; Labor Law – Management; Litigation - Labor and Employment

Anita M. Kidd, Mass Tort Litigation / Class Actions - Defendants

Robert D. Klahr*, Municipal Law; Public Finance Law

Christopher R. Larose, Commercial Litigation

Bruce D. LeMoine, Banking and Finance Law; Bankruptcy and Creditor Debtor Rights / Insolvency and Reorganization Law

David G. Loseman, Construction Law

James E. Mello, Municipal Law; Public Finance Law

Michael G. Munsell, Patent Law

Mark Murray, Real Estate Law

Donna Frazier Schmitt

Jeffrey Schultz, CIPP/US

Richard A. Schuth

James L. Stockberger*

Mark L. Stoneman

John L. Sullivan

Mark A. Thomas

Michael J. Vander Molen

Marc W. Vander Tuig

Eric M. Walter

Thomas B. Weaver

Stephanie M. Moon

Serena G. Rabie

Michael K. Grigsby

Richard G. Cole, III

William Collier

Nicole P. Planell

Emma A. Coppola

Kat Januszkiewicz

Stephanie M. Piper

Alyssa H. Ruderman

Patricia B. Beckerle

Daniel D. Bracciano

Eric H. Brunngraber

Paul L. Brusati

John H. Chassaing

Samra Cordic

Katie Doherty

Erin M. Edelman

Emily L. Goeke

Brittney J. Herron

Hannah Meehan Hope

Melanie R. King

Nicholas B. Krone

Zachary W. Langrehr

Noelle E. Mack



Bryan D. Nicholson, Mass Tort Litigation / Class Actions - Defendants
John J. O'Brien III, Banking and Finance Law
Julie E. O'Keefe, Environmental Law
Steven Pozaric, Health Care Law
William Ray Price, Jr.*, Administrative / Regulatory Law; Appellate Practice;
Arbitration; Bet-the-Company Litigation; Commercial Litigation; Ethics and
Professional Responsibility Law; Mediation
Patrick W. Rasche, Patent Law
Matthew J. Reh*, Eminent Domain and Condemnation Law; Municipal Law;
Personal Injury Litigation - Defendants
Amy T. Ryan, Commercial Litigation
Donna Frazier Schmitt, Trademark Law
Jeffrey Schultz, Commercial Litigation; Litigation - Intellectual Property;
Litigation – Patent; Trade Secrets Law
Richard A. Schuth, Patent Law
Mark D. Sophir, Commercial Litigation; Personal Injury Litigation - Defendants
James L. Stockberger, Personal Injury Litigation - Defendants
Mark L. Stoneman, Corporate Law; Mergers and Acquisitions Law; Real Estate
Law
John L. Sullivan, Banking and Finance Law; Financial Services Regulation Law
Mark A. Thomas, Litigation - Intellectual Property
Michael J. Vander Molen, Patent Law
Marc W. Vander Tuig, Litigation - Patent
Eric Walter, Commercial Litigation; Mass Tort Litigation / Class Actions -
Defendants
Thomas B. Weaver, Appellate Practice; Bet-the-Company Litigation; Eminent
Domain and Condemnation Law

Margaret A. Mudd
Zackary C. Nehls
Andrea M. Sciarratta
Margaret R. Szewczyk
Abigail Twenter

ONES TO WATCH

Chicago

Dana Taylor, Commercial Litigation
Mario Martinez, Commercial Litigation
Stephanie Moon, Commercial Litigation
Serena G. Rabie, Commercial Litigation

Denver

Michael K. Grigsby, Mergers and Acquisitions Law

Kansas City

Katherine Horn, Labor and Employment Law - Management

Miami

Richard G. Cole, Commercial Litigation
Will Collier, Corporate Law
Gabriel Liviano, Commercial Litigation



**Armstrong
Teasdale**

Nicole P. Planell, Commercial Litigation; Litigation - Construction

New York

Emma A. Coppola, Commercial Litigation

Kat Januszkiewicz, Product Liability Litigation - Defendants

Stephanie M. Piper, Intellectual Property Law

Alyssa H. Ruderman, Intellectual Property Law; Litigation - Patent

St. Louis

Patricia B. Beckerle, Real Estate Law

Daniel D. Bracciano, Intellectual Property Law

Eric H. Brunngraber, Intellectual Property Law

Paul L. Brusati, Appellate Practice; Commercial Litigation

John H. Chassaing, Commercial Litigation; Insurance Law; Product Liability Litigation - Defendants

Samra Cordic, Commercial Litigation

Katherine E Doherty, Mass Tort Litigation / Class Actions – Defendants; Product Liability Litigation - Defendants

Erin M. Edelman, Banking and Finance Law; Bankruptcy and Creditor Debtor Rights / Insolvency and Reorganization Law

Emily Goeke, Commercial Litigation

Britney J. Herron, Litigation - Labor and Employment

Hannah Meehan Hope, Appellate Practice; Commercial Litigation; Labor and Employment Law - Management

Melanie E. King, Patent Law

Nicholas B. Krone, Commercial Litigation

Julia M. Lang, Intellectual Property Law; Technology Law

Zachary Langrehr, Corporate Law

Noelle E. Mack, Corporate Law

Margaret A. Mudd, Corporate Governance and Compliance Law; Corporate Law; Mergers and Acquisitions Law

Zackary Nehls, Corporate Law; Mergers and Acquisitions Law

Andrea M. Sciarratta, Mass Tort Litigation / Class Actions - Defendants

Jordan Spicer, Real Estate Law; Trusts and Estates

Margaret R. Szewczyk, Litigation - Intellectual Property

Abigail Twenter, Commercial Litigation