

# Best Lawyers 2019 Recognizes 137 Proskauer Lawyers

**August 15, 2018**

August 15, 2018 (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 2019* guide.

In addition, two of our lawyers were recognized as the exclusive Lawyers of the Year in their respective practices: Joseph Leccese was recognized for Sports Law and Steven Weise for Banking and Finance Law. 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:

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Jeff Marwil (Chicago)

Paul Possinger (Chicago)

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### **Corporate Governance Law**

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