

# Proskauer Receives Top Rankings across 54 Practice Areas in 2023 Chambers USA

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*Annual Guide Recognizes 106 Lawyers as Leaders in their Field*

**NEW YORK, June 5, 2023** – Proskauer, a leading international law firm, is pleased to announce that it has received top-tier rankings across 54 practice areas in the 2023 edition of Chambers USA. Additionally, 106 lawyers were recognized as leaders in their field, including 11 newly ranked attorneys.

*Chambers USA* ranked 11 of the Firm's practice areas in Band 1, including Banking & Finance, Employee Benefits & Executive Compensation, Health Care, Labor & Employment, Litigation, Private Equity and Sports Law. Twenty-two lawyers were ranked as Band 1 and six of the Firm's lawyers earned recognition in the Eminent Practitioner, Star Individual or Senior Statespeople categories. Six Proskauer lawyers were also named to the Up & Coming category.

Since 1999, *Chambers and Partners* has been researching the global legal profession, identifying the leading lawyers and law firms. *Chambers* rankings are determined by interviews with thousands of lawyers and their clients worldwide. The results are audited independently and are based on a range of professional qualities most valued by clients.

## **Band 1-Ranked Practices:**

- Nationwide: Employee Benefits & Executive Compensation
- Nationwide: Health Care: Highly Regarded
- Nationwide: Labor & Employment
- Nationwide: Sports Law
- Massachusetts: Banking & Financing
- Massachusetts: Labor & Employment
- Massachusetts: Private Equity: Fund Formation

- New York: Employee Benefits & Executive Compensation
- New York: Health Care
- New York: Labor & Employment: The Elite
- New York: Litigation: General Commercial: Highly Regarded

#### **Additional Practices Recognized:**

- Nationwide: Advertising Litigation
- Nationwide: Banking and Finance
- Nationwide: Bankruptcy/Restructuring: The Elite
- Nationwide: Corporate/M&A: Highly Regarded
- Nationwide: ERISA Litigation
- Nationwide: Hedge Funds
- Nationwide: Insurance: Dispute Resolution: Policyholder
- Nationwide: Investment Funds: Investor Representation
- Nationwide: Leisure & Hospitality
- Nationwide: Private Equity: Fund Formation
- Nationwide: Real Estate
- Nationwide: Registered Funds
- Nationwide: REITs
- Nationwide: Tax: Corporate & Finance
- California: Banking & Finance
- California: Employee Benefits & Executive Compensation: Los Angeles & Surrounds
- California: Labor & Employment: The Elite
- California: Life Sciences
- California: Litigation: General Commercial: The Elite
- California: Tax: Southern California
- District of Columbia: Employee Benefits & Executive Compensation
- Illinois: Bankruptcy/Restructuring
- Illinois: Insurance: Dispute Resolution: Policyholder
- Illinois: Labor & Employment: The Elite

- Louisiana: Labor & Employment
- Massachusetts: Bankruptcy/Restructuring
- Massachusetts: Intellectual Property
- Massachusetts: Litigation: General Commercial
- Massachusetts: Real Estate
- Massachusetts: Tax
- New York: Banking & Finance
- New York: Bankruptcy/Restructuring: The Elite
- New York: Corporate/M&A: Highly Regarded
- New York: Environment: Mainly Transactional
- New York: Insurance: Dispute Resolution: Policyholder
- New York: Litigation: White-Collar Crime & Government Investigations: The Elite
- New York: Media & Entertainment: Corporate
- New York: Media & Entertainment: Litigation
- New York: Outsourcing
- New York: Real Estate: Mainly Corporate & Finance
- New York: Real Estate: Mainly Dirt
- New York: Tax
- New York: Technology

#### **Eminent Practitioners, Senior Statespeople and Star Individuals:**

- Steven Ellis (Eminent Practitioner – Massachusetts: Banking & Finance)
- Peter Fass (Senior Statespeople – Nationwide: REITs)
- Kathleen McKenna (Star Individual – New York: Labor & Employment)
- Robin Painter (Star Individual – Massachusetts: Private Equity: Fund Formation)
- Steven Weise (Senior Statespeople – California: Banking & Finance)
- Bart Williams (Star Individual – California: Litigation: General Commercial)

#### **Band 1-Ranked Individuals:**

- Mark Batten (Massachusetts: Labor & Employment)

- Martin Bienenstock (Nationwide: Bankruptcy/Restructuring; New York: Bankruptcy/Restructuring)
- Robert Cleary (New York: Litigation: White-Collar Crime & Government Investigations)
- Stuart Coleman (Nationwide: Registered Funds)
- Charles Dale (Massachusetts: Bankruptcy/Restructuring)
- Scott Faust (Massachusetts: Labor & Employment)
- Paul Hamburger (District of Columbia: Employee Benefits & Executive Compensation)
- Colleen Hart (California: Employee Benefits & Executive Compensation: Los Angeles & Surrounds)
- Edward Kornreich (New York: Health Care)
- Joseph Leccese (Nationwide: Sports Law)
- David Manko (New York: Health Care)
- Anthony Oncidi (California: Labor & Employment)
- Jon Oram (Nationwide: Sports Law)
- Brendan O'Rourke (New York: Intellectual Property: Trademark, Copyright & Trade Secrets)
- Robert Plaze (Nationwide: Investment Funds: Regulatory & Compliance)
- Marc Rosenthal (Illinois: Insurance: Dispute Resolution)
- Myron Rumeld (Nationwide: ERISA Litigation)
- Bradley Ruskin (Nationwide: Sports Law)
- Paul Salvatore (New York: Labor & Employment; New York: Labor Relations)
- Ronald Sernau (New York: Real Estate: Mainly Dirt)
- Peter J.W. Sherwin (Nationwide: International Arbitration: Enforcement)
- Bart Williams (Nationwide: Litigation: Trial Lawyers)

### **Up & Coming:**

- Justin Alex (District of Columbia: Employee Benefits & Executive Compensation)
- Daniel Hendrick (New York: Banking & Finance)
- Jason Krochak (Nationwide: Sports Law)

- Kate Napalkova (California: Employee Benefits & Executive Compensation: Los Angeles & Surrounds)
- Katelyn O'Brien (Massachusetts: Real Estate)
- Lee Popkin (New York: Litigation: General Commercial)

#### **Associate to Watch:**

- Philippe Lebel (California: Labor & Employment)

#### **Additional Individuals Recognized:**

- Neil Abramson (New York: Labor & Employment)
- Michael Album (New York: Employee Benefits & Executive Compensation)
- Peter Antoszyk (Massachusetts: Banking & Financing)
- Monica Arora (Nationwide: Private Equity: Fund Formation)
- Keith Barnett (Massachusetts: Real Estate)
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- Ira Bogner (New York: Employee Benefits & Executive Compensation)
- Sean Boulger (Massachusetts: Real Estate)
- Stephen Boyko (Massachusetts: Banking & Finance)
- Justin Breen (New York: Banking & Finance)
- Guy Brenner (District of Columbia: Labor & Employment)
- Aliza Cinamon (New York: Environment: Mainly Transactional)
- Fangli Chen (Massachusetts: Intellectual Property)
- Mike Choate (Nationwide: REITs)
- Sandra Crawshaw-Sparks (California: Media & Entertainment: Litigation; New York: Media & Entertainment: Litigation)
- Gary Creem (Massachusetts: Banking & Financing)

- Jonathan DeSantis (Nationwide: Capital Markets: Debt & Equity: Eastern U.S.; New York: Banking & Finance)
- Nicole Eichberger (Louisiana: Labor & Employment)
- John Failla (Nationwide: Insurance: Dispute Resolution: Policyholder; New York: Insurance: Dispute Resolution: Policyholder)
- Robert Freeman (New York: Media & Entertainment: Corporate)
- Evandro Gigante (New York: Labor & Employment)
- Kate Gold (California: Labor & Employment)
- Keisha-Ann G. Gray (New York: Labor & Employment)
- Siegmund Gutman (California: Life Sciences: IP/Patent Litigation)
- David Hillman (New York: Bankruptcy/Restructuring)
- Russell Hirschhorn (Nationwide: ERISA Litigation)
- Jeffrey Horwitz (Nationwide: Leisure & Hospitality)
- Vincent Indelicato (New York: Bankruptcy/Restructuring)
- David Jones (Nationwide: Investment Funds: Investor Representation)
- Scott Jones (Massachusetts: Tax)
- Colin Kass (District of Columbia: Antitrust: Litigation Specialists)
- Wayne Katz (Nationwide: Sports Law)
- Gregory Knopp (California: Labor & Employment)
- Nathan Lander (New York: Insurance: Dispute Resolution: Policyholder)
- Christine Lazatin (Nationwide: Sports Law)
- Galen Lewis (Massachusetts: Private Equity: Fund Formation)
- Steven Lichtenfeld (New York: Real Estate: Corporate)
- John Mahon (Nationwide: Registered Funds)
- Jeff Marwil (Illinois: Bankruptcy/Restructuring)
- Arnold May (Massachusetts: Tax)
- Stephen Mears (Nationwide: Venture Capital: Fund Formation; Massachusetts: Private Equity: Fund Formation)
- Don Melamed (Nationwide: Private Equity: Fund Formation)
- David Miller (New York: Tax)

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- Sandra Lee Montgomery (California: Banking & Finance)
- Timothy Mungovan (Massachusetts: Litigation: General Commercial)
- Jeffrey Neuburger (Nationwide: Technology; New York: Outsourcing; New York: Technology)
- Amanda Nussbaum (New York: Tax)
- Robin Painter (Nationwide: Private Equity: Fund Formation; Nationwide: Venture Capital: Fund Formation)
- Steve Pearlman (Illinois: Labor & Employment)
- Steven Peck (Massachusetts: Corporate/M&A)
- Robert Plaze (Nationwide: Registered Funds)
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- Paul Possinger (Illinois: Bankruptcy/Restructuring)
- Robert Projansky (New York: Employee Benefits & Executive Compensation)
- Seetha Ramachandran (New York: Litigation: White-Collar Crime & Government Investigations)
- Andrea Rattner (New York: Employee Benefits & Executive Compensation)
- Marc Rosenthal (Nationwide: Insurance: Dispute Resolution: Policyholder)
- Stuart Rosow (New York: Tax)
- Bradley Ruskin (New York: Litigation: General Commercial)
- Lawrence Sandak (New York: Labor & Employment)
- Seth Safra (District of Columbia: Employee Benefits & Executive Compensation)
- Jurate Schwartz (Florida: Labor & Employment)
- Peter J.W. Sherwin (Nationwide: International Arbitration: Counsel)
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- David Tegeler (Nationwide: Private Equity: Fund Formation; Nationwide: Venture Capital: Fund Formation; Massachusetts: Private Equity: Fund Formation)

- David Teigman (New York: Employee Benefits & Executive Compensation)
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- Mark Theodore (California: Labor & Employment)
- Christopher Wells (Nationwide: Hedge Funds)
- Bart Williams (California: Litigation: White-Collar Crime & Government Investigations)

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Since 1875, Proskauer has been devoted to our clients' successes. Our lawyers are known for their unusually high accessibility, responsiveness and attentiveness. We go the extra mile to understand a client's business — and think like savvy businesspeople in the process.

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