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# Super Lawyers 2011 Names 71 Husch Blackwell Attorneys from Missouri and Nebraska; an Additional 15 Listed as Rising Stars

Husch Blackwell is pleased to announce 71 of its attorneys have been listed among *Great Plains* and *Missouri & Kansas Super Lawyers* 2011. Of those named, four were in the Top 100, four were in the Top 50 Kansas City and two women were among the Top 50 female attorneys. The honorees include lawyers from the firm's Jefferson City, Kansas City, St. Louis and Springfield, Mo., offices as well as the firm's Omaha, Neb., office. An additional 15 Husch Blackwell attorneys from Kansas City, St. Louis and Springfield offices were also named *Missouri & Kansas Rising Stars* 2011.

The following Husch Blackwell attorneys working in Jefferson City were named *Missouri & Kansas Super Lawyers* 2011:

G. Alex Bartlett

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The following Husch Blackwell attorneys working in Kansas City were named *Missouri & Kansas Super Lawyers* 2011:

Stephen T. Adams

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Steven F. Carman Curt J. Chase John J. Cruciani (Top 100, Top 50 Kansas City) David A. Fenley Michael D. Fielding Patrick M. Gavin Gary D. Gilson James G. Goettsch James D. Griffin (Top 100, Top 50 Kansas City) Allan V. Hallquist Jeffrey D. Hanslick Charles D. Horner Kimberly A. Jones (Top 50 Female) Martin M. Loring William A. Lynch Benjamin F. Mann (Top 100, Top 50 Kansas City) Patrick A. McInerney Bruce A. Moothart Paul F. Pautler John R. Phillips (Top 100, Top 50 Kansas City) Patrick A. Randolph Jr. David B. Raymond Christopher J. Redmond

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David L. West
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The following Husch Blackwell attorneys working in St. Louis were named <i>Missouri &amp; Kansas Super Lawyers</i> 2011:
Mark G. Arnold
Craig S. Biesterfeld
Thomas M. Carney
Joseph P. Conran
Samuel Digirolamo
Gary H. Feder
Kenneth R. Heineman
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Gregory J. Minana

James F. Monafo

Joseph C. Orlet Matthew G. Perlow Maury B. Poscover David G. Richardson Kenneth A. Slavens Gregory R. Smith Randall S. Thompson Robert J. Tomaso The following Husch Blackwell attorneys working in Springfield were named Missouri & Kansas Super Lawyers 2011: David C. Agee Virginia L. Fry (Top 50 Female) Gary A. Powell Randy P. Scheer The following Husch Blackwell attorneys working in Omaha, Neb. were named Great Plains Super Lawyers 2011: Thomas H. Dahlk Michael S. Degan Joyce A. Dixon Robert V. Ginn John S. Katelman The following Husch Blackwell attorneys working in Kansas City were named Missouri & Kansas Rising Stars 2011: Mary R. Daniel

Amy M. Fowler

Michael S. Hargens

Kathryn Goldsmith Lee

David A. Schatz

Amber Steinbeck

Derek T. Teeter

Cori Casey Turner

Christi Hilker Vaglio

Ryan J. Watson

The following Husch Blackwell attorneys working in St. Louis were named *Missouri & Kansas Rising Stars* 2011:

Marshall C. Turner

The following Husch Blackwell attorneys working in Springfield were named *Missouri & Kansas Rising Stars* 2011:

Cory L. Collins

Ginger K. Gooch

S. Jacob Sappington

Paul D. Satterwhite

Only up to five percent of attorneys in a state are named *Super Lawyers*. Selecting the attorneys involves an in-depth, measurable process. Peer nominations by seasoned attorneys followed by detailed evaluations are matched against third-party research. Each candidate is evaluated on 12 indicators of peer recognition and professional achievement. Selections are made on a state-by-state basis annually.

No more than two-and-a-half percent of attorneys in a state are named *Rising Stars*. The lawyers who make this list must be under 40 years old and have less than 10 years of legal experience. They go through the same selection process as *Super Lawyers*, excluding the peer evaluations.