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Chambers USA Recognizes Husch Blackwell with Multiple Top Rankings

Services

Banking & Finance

Cannabis

Commercial Litigation

Corporate

Employee Benefits & Executive Compensation

Energy Regulation

Environmental

Export Controls & Economic Sanctions

Government Contracts

Higher Education

Insurance

Intellectual Property

Labor & Employment

Land Use

Litigation & Alternative Dispute Resolution

Mergers & Acquisitions

Product Liability

Toxic Tort

White Collar, Internal Investigations, &

Chambers USA recognized 87 Husch Blackwell attorneys in the 2024 guide released today, an increase of 14 ranked attorneys from 2023. In addition, 15 lawyers, who did not appear in the 2023 edition of *Chambers USA,* earned rankings.

Chambers also ranked Husch Blackwell in 39 departments spanning 17 of the firm's practice areas with the firm's Energy & Natural Resources, Higher Education, and Insurance practices earning national rankings for the first-time.

Since 2021, Husch Blackwell has more than doubled its attorney and firm rankings.

The firm is recognized in:

Nationwide

Cannabis Law

Government Contracts: Highly Regarded

Healthcare: Highly Regarded

*Higher Education

*Insurance: Dispute Resolution: Insurer

International Trade: Export Controls & Economic Sanctions: Highly Regarded

Product Liability: Toxic Torts

*Projects: Renewables & Alternative Energy

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Colorado

Banking & Finance

Labor & Employment

Real Estate

Massachusetts

Healthcare

Missouri

Corporate/M&A (Kansas City & Surrounds; St. Louis & Surrounds)

*Employee Benefits & Executive Compensation

Environment (St. Louis & Surrounds)

Healthcare

Insurance

Insurance: Transactional & Regulatory

Intellectual Property

Labor & Employment (Kansas City & Surrounds; St. Louis & Surrounds)

Litigation: General Commercial (Kansas City & Surrounds; St. Louis & Surrounds)

Litigation: White-Collar Crime & Government Investigations

Real Estate (St. Louis & Surrounds)

Nebraska

Corporate/Commercial

Tennessee

Real Estate

Texas

Energy: State Regulatory & Litigation (Electricity)

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Healthcare

Insurance

Litigation: General Commercial (Austin & Surrounds)

Real Estate

Real Estate: Zoning/Land Use

Wisconsin

Banking & Finance

Corporate/M&A

Labor & Employment

*Litigation: General Commercial

Real Estate

Individual attorneys recognized by Chambers are:

Nationwide

Hilary Bricken – Cannabis Law: Western United States – Band 1

Marshall Custer – Cannabis Law: Western United States – Band 2

Jen Dlugosz – Product Liability: Toxic Torts – Band 1

Kyle Gilster – Political Law – Band 4

*Hayley Hanson – Higher Education – Band 1

Beau Jackson – International Trade: Intellectual Property (Section 337) – Band 5
*Missouri – Intellectual Property – Band 3

Tessa Jacob – E-Discovery & Information Governance – Band 3

*Marci Kawski – Financial Services Regulation: Consumer Finance (Compliance) – Band 4

Jennifer Lee – Product Liability: Toxic Torts – Band 1

Steve Levine – Cannabis Law: Western United States – Band 1

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J.Y. Miller – Product Liability: Toxic Torts – Band 1

Cortney O'Toole Morgan – International Trade: Export Controls & Economic Sanctions – Band 4

Hal Perloff – Government Contracts – Band 5

David Stauss – Privacy & Data Security: Privacy – Band 5

*Sean Tassi – Higher Education – Band 2

Brian Waagner – Government Contracts – Band 4

Linda Walsh – Energy: Electricity (Regulatory & Litigation) – Band 4

Colorado

Steve Agee – Banking & Finance – Band 2

Dan Bray – Banking & Finance – Band 2

*Jessica Collier – Insurance – Band 2

*Ashley DeVerna – Insurance – Up and Coming

Barbara Grandjean – Labor & Employment – Band 2

Ashley Jordaan – Labor & Employment – Band 3

Chris Ottele – Labor & Employment – Band 3

Kansas

Kyle Russell – Labor & Employment – Band 3

Missouri

Mike Annis – Intellectual Property – Band 3

Curt Chase – Healthcare – Band 1

Catherine Hanaway – Litigation: White-Collar Crime & Government Investigations – Band 2

Sarah Hellmann – Healthcare – Band 2

Jennifer Hoekel – Intellectual Property – Band 3

Jeff Jensen – Litigation: White-Collar Crime & Government Investigations – Band 2

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*Craig Kovarik – Employee Benefits & Executive Compensation – Band 1

Jason Reschly – Tax – Band 1

Christopher Smith – Healthcare – Band 2

Rudy Telscher – Intellectual Property – Band 1

Harvey Tettlebaum – Healthcare – Band 2

Cori Turner – Healthcare – Band 2

*Mark Welker – Employee Benefits & Executive Compensation – Band 1

Missouri-Kansas City

Paul Pautler – Labor & Employment – Band 3

Charles Renner – Real Estate – Band 2

Kirstin Salzman – Corporate/M&A – Band 3

Jeff Simon – Litigation: General Commercial – Band 4

Julianne Story – Labor & Employment – Band 3

Ed Wilson – Corporate/M&A – Band 2

Missouri-St. Louis

Chris Erker – Environment – Band 1

Joe Glynias – Labor & Employment – Band 2

Courtney Hill – Real Estate – Band 3

Bill Hof – Real Estate – Band 3

David Linenbroker – Real Estate – Band 1

Jim Monafo – Litigation: General Commercial – Band 3

Mary Anne O'Connell – Corporate/M&A – Band 2

David Richardson – Real Estate – Band 1

Matthew Schneider – Corporate/M&A – Band 3

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Gregory Smith – Real Estate – Senior Statespeople

Melissa Smith-Groff – Real Estate – Band 3

Bob Tomaso – Labor & Employment – Eminent Practitioners

Amy Wachs – Environment – Band 1

Nebraska

David Gardels – Corporate/Commercial – Band 1

Marnie Jensen – Litigation: General Commercial – Band 3

Victoria Sitz – Corporate/Commercial – Band 1

New Jersey

*Ryan DiClemente – Litigation: General Commercial – Band 4

Tennessee

Tim Capria – Intellectual Property – Band 2

*Ronald Feldman – Real Estate – Band 3

*Andrew Hodgson – Real Estate – Up and Coming

Texas

*Lute Barber – Banking & Finance – Associates to watch

Diane Carter – Healthcare – Band 2

Carrie Collier-Brown – Energy: State Regulatory & Litigation (Electricity) – Band 3

Michael Crowe – Healthcare – Band 4

Scott Davis – Insurance – Band 4

Joe Geraci – Healthcare – Band 1

David Hilgers – Healthcare – Senior Statespeople

*Lorinda Holloway – Healthcare – Band 5

Hal Katz – Healthcare – Band 1

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Nikelle Meade – Real Estate: Zoning/Land Use – Band 3

Chris Reeder – Energy: State Regulatory & Litigation (Electricity) – Band 3

Reuben Rosof – Banking & Finance – Band 5

*Jody Rudman – Litigation: White-Collar Crime & Government Investigations – Band 4

David Timmins – Insurance – Band 3

Wisconsin

Brad Dallet – Real Estate – Band 4

David Eckhardt – Employee Benefits & Executive Compensation – Band 2

Phil Koutnik – Corporate/M&A – Band 3

*Ann Maher – Litigation: General Commercial – Band 3

Rebecca Mitich – Real Estate – Band 2

Brian Potts – Natural Resources & Environment – Band 2

Lynda Templen – Banking & Finance – Band 3

Nate Volz – Banking & Finance – Band 3

David Zoppo – Natural Resources & Environment – Band 3

*Indicates practices and attorneys not ranked in previous year's *Chambers USA*

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