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More than 70 Husch Blackwell Attorneys Named to *The Best Lawyers in America*® "Ones to Watch"

Services

Appellate
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Corporate
Energy Regulation
ERISA & Employee Benefits Litigation
Insolvency & Commercial Bankruptcy
Intellectual Property
Intellectual Property Litigation
Labor & Employment
Land Use
Litigation & Alternative Dispute Resolution
Mergers & Acquisitions
Patent Preparation & Prosecution
Private Equity
Product Liability
Securities & Corporate Governance

The *Best Lawyers in America*® has named 72 Husch Blackwell lawyers to its 2022 "Ones to Watch" listing, 23 of whom are being listed for the first time. The “Ones to Watch” list, established last year, recognizes attorneys who are earlier in their careers for outstanding professional excellence in private practice in the United States.

New "Ones to Watch" honorees are listed in **bold** type.

ARIZONA

Phoenix

Brian J. Hembd – Commercial Litigation (2021)

Sean J. Quinn – Health Care Law (2021)

COLORADO

Denver

Ragini A. Acharya – Health Care Law

Sonia N. Ramirez Anderson – Labor and Employment Law - Management; Litigation - Labor & Employment (2021)

Marshall Custer – Corporate Law (2021)

Jamie H. Steiner – Commercial Litigation (2021)

ILLINOIS

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Chicago

Karen L. Courtheoux – Education Law

Nida Shakir Ghaffar – Real Estate Law (2021)

Matthew M. Kamps – Litigation - Intellectual Property (2021)

Danielle R. Luisi – Mass Tort Litigation/Class Action - Defendants; Product Liability Litigation – Defendants (2021)

Femi Masha – Intellectual Property Law (2021)

James P. O'Shea – Mass Tort Litigation/Class Action - Defendants; Product Liability Litigation – Defendants (2021)

MISSOURI

Jefferson City

Emily M. Park – Health Care Law

Kansas City

Jordan W. Bergkamp – Employee Benefits (ERISA) Law (2021)

Andrew T. Bergman – Corporate Law

Taylor Concannon Hausmann – Commercial Litigation, Product Liability Litigation – Defendants

Chris Kline – Land Use and Zoning Law, Real Estate Law

Christopher C. Miles – Bankruptcy and Creditor Debtor Rights/Insolvency and Reorganization Law (2021)

JR Montgomery – Alternative Dispute Resolution, Commercial Litigation

Bryce Navarro – Mergers & Acquisitions Law (2021)

Katherine Pearlstone – Labor and Employment Law - Management

Michael T. Raupp – Commercial Litigation (2021)

Jennifer Witt – Leveraged Buyouts & Private Equity Law (2021)

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Springfield

Laura C. Robinson – Commercial Litigation (2021)

Larissa M. Whittingham – Labor and Employment Law - Management; Litigation - Labor & Employment (2021)

St. Louis

Matthew D. Ahlers – Real Estate Law

Myers Dill – Intellectual Property Law; Litigation - Patent (2021)

Adam Doerr – Labor and Employment Law - Management

Patrick J. Eckelkamp – Public Finance Law, Real Estate Law (2021)

Robert J. Hurtt – Product Liability Litigation – Defendants (2021)

Kathryn A. Jenner – Real Estate Law

Cynthia M. Juedemann – Commercial Litigation (2021)

Kaytlin E. Kopen – Labor and Employment Law - Management; Litigation - Labor & Employment (2021)

Scott D. Meyers – Labor and Employment Law – Management (2021)

Kathryn L. Modeer – Mass Tort Litigation/Class Action - Defendants; Product Liability Litigation – Defendants (2021)

Mohsen Pasha – Appellate Defense

Shannon D. Peters – Intellectual Property Law (2021)

Paul L. Smelcer – Intellectual Property Law; Litigation - Intellectual Property

Brendan R. Zee-Cheng – Intellectual Property Law; Litigation - Intellectual Property

Sarah L. Zimmerman – Commercial Litigation (2021)

PENNSYLVANIA

Enola

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Magda S. Patitsas – Commercial Litigation (2021)

TENNESSEE

Chattanooga

Ariel M. Anthony – Commercial Litigation; Trusts & Estates (2021)

Ryan A. Burgett – Bankruptcy and Creditor Debtor Rights/Insolvency and Reorganization Law

Caleb T. Holzaepfel – Bankruptcy and Creditor Debtor Rights/Insolvency and Reorganization Law (2021)

TEXAS

Austin

Maria C. Faconti – Administrative/Regulatory Law; Energy Law (2021)

Danielle A. Gilbert – Commercial Litigation (2021)

Micah J. King – Land Use and Zoning Law, Real Estate Law

Theresa Langley – Health Care Law (2021)

Tim P. Ribelin – Commercial Litigation (2021)

Ashley E. Todd – Health Care Law (2021)

Dallas

Catherine A. Curtis – Commercial Litigation (2021)

Alison Hollender – Health Care Law

Nikki D. Tate – Real Estate Law (2021)

Houston

Anthony Franklyn – Commercial Litigation

Rufino Gaytan III – Labor and Employment Law - Management

Ben Stephens – Real Estate Law (2021)

Nicholas D. Stepp – Appellate Practice, Commercial Litigation

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WISCONSIN

Madison

Andrew Brenton – Health Care Law (2021)

Erin E. Burns – Health Care Law (2021)

Jacob B. Harris – Commercial Litigation (2021)

Iana A. Vladimirova—Bankruptcy and Creditor Debtor Rights/Insolvency and Reorganization Law (2021)

Milwaukee

Ketajh Brown – Commercial Litigation; Litigation – Construction

Scott Brunner – Corporate Law; Mergers and Acquisitions Law

Adam R. Finkel – Litigation – Real Estate; Real Estate Law

Angela B. Harden – Commercial Litigation; Litigation - Real Estate (2021)

Margaret K. Heitkamp – Commercial Litigation; Product Liability Litigation – Defendants (2021)

Valerie Johnston – Real Estate Law (2021)

Laura L. Malugade – Labor and Employment Law - Management (2021)

Brianna M. Schonenberg – Intellectual Property Law; Patent Law (2021)

Emily Logan Stedman – Alternative Dispute Resolution, Commercial Litigation (2021)

Jacqueline B. Wilcox – Corporate Law (2021)

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