



Practice Area Guide

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Introduction

While there are a range of valuable resources for law school students who are evaluating their options for their 2L summer and beyond, we offer this supplemental resource, crafted from over 35 years (collectively) of experience as headhunters in the New York market. In our roles, we have behind the scenes access to the nuances of the boutiques' and AmLaw 200 law firms' practice areas – their strengths, their industry focuses, and their overall recognizability in New York. We also have unfettered access to the stories of the attorneys in those practice areas – the experience they gain, the options available to them as part of their respective platforms, the pervading culture, and beyond. We hope the information below will help students make the decision that is right for their career, both short and long-term.

*Please note that, within the lists we compiled of firms best known in each respective practice area, we bolded the firms that we feel stand out among that already selective list.

Antitrust

Firms to Consider for Antitrust:

- Arnold & Porter
- **Axinn**
- **Boies Schiller & Flexner**
- Cahill Gordon & Reindel
- **Constantine Cannon**
- **Cravath Swaine & Moore**
- **Davis Polk & Wardwell**
- Debevoise & Plimpton
- Gibson Dunn & Crutcher
- Kelley Drye & Warren
- Linklaters
- Morgan Lewis & Bockius
- Paul Weiss Rifkind Wharton & Garrison
- Shearman & Sterling
- Simpson Thacher & Bartlett
- **Skadden Arps Slate Meagher & Flom**
- **Sullivan & Cromwell**
- **Wachtell Lipton Rosen & Katz**
- Weil Gotshal & Manges
- White & Case
- Willkie Farr & Gallagher
- Wilson Sonsini Goodrich & Rosati
- Winston & Strawn

Bankruptcy

Firms to Consider for Creditor Practices:

- **Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld**
- Brown Rudnick
- **Cleary Gottlieb Steen & Hamilton**
- **Davis Polk & Wardwell**
- Dechert
- Kelley Drye & Warren
- **Kramer Levin Naftalis & Frankel**
- Latham & Watkins
- **Milbank**
- Morrison & Foerster
- Otterbourg Steindler Houston & Rose
- **Paul Weiss Rifkind Wharton & Garrison**
- Proskauer Rose
- Ropes & Gray
- **Skadden Arps Slate Meagher & Flom**
- **Stroock & Stroock & Lavan**
- **Wachtell Lipton Rosen & Katz**
- Weil Gotshal & Manges
- **White & Case**

Firms to Consider for Debtor Practices:

- Debevoise & Plimpton
- Gibson Dunn & Crutcher
- Jones Day
- **Kirkland & Ellis**
- **Latham & Watkins**
- Paul Weiss Rifkind Wharton & Garrison
- Ropes & Gray
- **Skadden Arps Slate Meagher & Flom**
- **Weil Gotshal & Manges**
- Willkie Farr & Gallagher

Firms to Consider for Bankruptcy Litigation:

- Davis Polk & Wardwell
- Kasowitz Benson Torres
- Kobre & Kim
- Kramer Levin Naftalis & Frankel
- **Quinn Emanuel Urquhart & Sullivan**
- **Wachtell Lipton Rosen & Katz**
- White & Case
- Willkie Farr & Gallagher

Banking, Regulatory & Financial Institutions (“FIG”)

Firms to Consider for Banking, Regulatory & Financial Institutions:

- **Arnold & Porter**
- **Cleary Gottlieb Steen & Hamilton**
- **Covington & Burling**
- Cravath Swaine & Moore
- **Davis Polk & Wardwell**
- **Debevoise & Plimpton**
- Milbank
- Morgan Lewis & Bockius
- Shearman & Sterling
- Sidley Austin
- Simpson Thacher & Bartlett
- **Skadden Arps Slate Meagher & Flom**
- **Sullivan & Cromwell**
- Weil Gotshal & Manges

Investment Management/Fund Formation

Firms to Consider for Investment Management/Fund Formation:

- **Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld**
- Cleary Gottlieb Steen & Hamilton
- Davis Polk & Wardwell
- **Debevoise & Plimpton**
- Dechert
- **Fried Frank Harris Shriver & Jacobson**
- Gibson Dunn & Crutcher
- Gunderson Dettmer Stough Villeneuve Franklin & Hachigian
- Katten Muchin Rosenman
- **Kirkland & Ellis**
- Latham & Watkins
- Lowenstein Sandler
- Morgan Lewis & Bockius
- **Paul Weiss Rifkind Wharton & Garrison**
- Proskauer Rose
- **Ropes & Gray**
- **Schulte Roth & Zabel**
- **Seward & Kissel**
- Shearman & Sterling
- Sidley Austin
- **Simpson Thacher & Bartlett**
- Skadden Arps Slate Meagher & Flom
- Weil Gotshal & Manges
- **Willkie Farr & Gallagher**

Mergers & Acquisitions

Firms to Consider for Mergers & Acquisitions:

- Arnold & Porter
- Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld
- Baker Botts
- Baker & McKenzie
- Cleary Gottlieb Steen & Hamilton
- Clifford Chance
- Cooley
- **Cravath Swaine & Moore**
- Covington & Burling
- **Davis Polk & Wardwell**
- **Debevoise & Plimpton**
- **Freshfields Bruckhaus Deringer**
- Fried Frank Harris Shriver & Jacobson
- **Gibson Dunn & Crutcher**
- Goodwin Procter
- Jones Day
- **Kirkland & Ellis**
- Kramer Levin Naftalis & Frankel
- **Latham & Watkins**
- Milbank
- Morgan Lewis & Bockius
- **Paul Weiss Rifkind Wharton & Garrison**
- Proskauer Rose
- Ropes & Gray
- Schulte Roth & Zabel
- Shearman & Sterling
- **Simpson Thacher & Bartlett**
- **Skadden Arps Slate Meagher & Flom**
- **Sullivan & Cromwell**
- **Wachtell, Lipton, Rosen & Katz**
- **Weil Gotshal & Manges**
- White & Case
- Willkie Farr & Gallagher
- Winston & Strawn

Securities/Capital Markets

Firms to Consider for Securities/Capital Markets:

- Baker Botts
- **Cahill Gordon & Reindel**
- **Cleary Gottlieb Steen & Hamilton**
- Cooley
- **Cravath Swaine & Moore**
- **Davis Polk & Wardwell**
- **Debevoise & Plimpton**
- Freshfields Bruckhaus Deringer
- **Fried Frank Harris Shriver & Jacobson**
- Gibson Dunn & Crutcher
- Goodwin Procter
- Jones Day
- **Kirkland & Ellis**
- **Latham & Watkins**
- Milbank
- Mintz Levin Cohn Ferris Glovsky & Popeo
- Morgan Lewis & Bockius
- **Paul Weiss Rifkind Wharton & Garrison**
- Proskauer Rose
- Ropes & Gray
- Shearman & Sterling
- Sidley Austin
- **Simpson Thacher & Bartlett**
- **Skadden Arps Slate Meagher & Flom**
- **Sullivan & Cromwell**
- Weil Gotshal & Manges
- **White & Case**
- Wilson Sonsini Goodrich & Rosati

Emerging Companies/Venture Capital

Firms to Consider for Emerging Companies/Venture Capital:

- **Cooley**
- Covington & Burling
- Dentons
- DLA Piper
- **Fenwick & West**
- Foley Hoag
- Fox Rothschild
- **Goodwin Procter**
- **Gunderson Dettmer Stough Villeneuve Franklin & Hachigian**
- Hand Baldachin & Associates
- Kimelberg
- **Latham & Watkins**
- Loeb & Loeb
- **Lowenstein Sandler**
- Mintz Levin Cohn Ferris Glovsky & Popeo
- Morrison Cohen
- Orrick Herrington & Sutcliffe
- Pillsbury Winthrop Shaw Pittman
- Sheppard, Mullin, Richter & Hampton
- WilmerHale
- **Wilson Sonsini Goodrich & Rosati**

Energy

Firms to Consider for Energy:

- **Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld**
- **Baker Botts**
- **Bracewell**
- Cleary Gottlieb Steen & Hamilton
- Davis Polk & Wardwell
- Debevoise & Plimpton
- DLA Piper
- Freshfields Bruckhaus Deringer
- Gibson Dunn & Crutcher
- Haynes & Boone
- Hunton Andrews Kurth
- Jones Day
- King & Spalding
- Kirkland & Ellis
- **Latham & Watkins**
- Milbank
- Morgan Lewis & Bockius
- **Norton Rose Fulbright**
- Orrick Herrington & Sutcliffe
- Paul Hastings
- Pillsbury Winthrop Shaw Pittman
- Shearman & Sterling
- Sidley Austin
- **Simpson Thacher & Bartlett**
- **Skadden Arps Slate Meagher & Flom**
- Strock & Strock & Lavan
- Sullivan & Cromwell
- **Troutman Pepper**
- **Vinson & Elkins**
- **White & Case**
- Winston & Strawn

Executive Compensation & Employee Benefits

Firms to Consider for Executive Compensation & Employee Benefits:

- Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld
- Cadwalader Wickersham & Taft
- **Cleary Gottlieb Steen & Hamilton**
- **Cravath Swaine & Moore**
- **Davis Polk & Wardwell**
- **Debevoise & Plimpton**
- Dechert
- Fried Frank Harris Shriver & Jacobson
- Kirkland & Ellis
- **Latham & Watkins**
- Morgan Lewis & Bockius
- **Paul Weiss Rifkind Wharton & Garrison**
- Pillsbury Winthrop Shaw Pittman
- **Proskauer Rose**
- Ropes & Gray
- Schulte Roth & Zabel
- Seyfarth Shaw
- Shearman & Sterling
- **Simpson Thacher & Bartlett**
- **Skadden Arps Slate Meagher & Flom**
- **Sullivan & Cromwell**
- **Wachtell Lipton Rosen & Katz**
- **Weil Gotshal & Manges**
- Willkie Farr & Gallagher

Entertainment, Sports & Media

Firms to Consider for Entertainment, Sports & Media:

- Baker Botts
- Ballard Spahr
- **Covington & Burling**
- **Cowan DeBaets Abrahams & Sheppard**
- **Cowan Liebowitz & Latman**
- Cravath Swaine & Moore
- Davis & Gilbert
- Davis Wright Tremaine
- Debevoise & Plimpton
- Dentons
- DLA Piper
- **Frankfurt Kurnit Klein & Selz**
- **Franklin Weinrib Rudell & Vassallo**
- **Fried Frank Harris Shriver & Jacobson**
- Gibson Dunn & Crutcher
- Greenberg Traurig
- **Grubman Shire & Meisalas**
- Hughes Hubbard & Reed
- Jenner & Block
- **Levine Plotkin & Menin**
- **Loeb & Loeb**
- Morgan Lewis & Bockius
- Mitchell Silberberg & Knupp
- O'Melveny & Myers
- Patterson Belknap Webb & Tyler
- Paul Weiss Rifkind Wharton & Garrison
- **Proskauer Rose**
- **Pryor Cashman Sherman & Flynn**
- Quinn Emanuel Urquhart & Sullivan
- **Reed Smith**
- **Schreck Rose Dapello Adams Berlin Dunham**
- Weil Gotshal & Manges
- Winston & Strawn

Leveraged Finance

Firms to Consider for Leveraged Finance:

- Arnold & Porter
- **Cahill Gordon & Reindel**
- Cleary Gottlieb Steen & Hamilton
- Clifford Chance
- Covington & Burling
- **Cravath Swaine & Moore**
- **Davis Polk & Wardwell**
- **Debevoise & Plimpton**
- Dechert
- Fried Frank Harris Shriver & Jacobson
- Gibson Dunn & Crutcher
- Goodwin Procter
- Jones Day
- King & Spalding
- **Kirkland & Ellis**
- **Latham & Watkins**
- Linklaters
- **Milbank**
- Morgan Lewis & Bockius
- Orrick Herrington & Sutcliffe
- Otterbourg Steindler Houston & Rose
- **Paul Hastings**
- **Paul Weiss Rifkind Wharton & Garrison**
- **Proskauer Rose**
- Ropes & Gray
- Schulte Roth & Zabel
- **Shearman & Sterling**
- **Simpson Thacher & Bartlett**
- **Skadden Arps Slate Meagher & Flom**
- **Sullivan & Cromwell**
- Vinson & Elkins
- Wachtell Lipton Rosen & Katz
- **Weil Gotshal & Manges**
- **White & Case**
- Willkie Farr & Gallagher
- Winston & Strawn

Project Finance

Firms to Consider for Project Finance:

- Allen & Overy
- Ashurst
- **Baker Botts**
- Baker & McKenzie
- Bracewell
- Cleary Gottlieb Steen & Hamilton
- Clifford Chance
- Debevoise & Plimpton
- DLA Piper
- Freshfields Bruckhaus Deringer
- Gibson Dunn & Crutcher
- **Hunton Andrews Kurth**
- **Latham & Watkins**
- Linklaters
- Mayer Brown
- **Milbank**
- Morgan Lewis & Bockius
- **Norton Rose Fulbright**
- Orrick
- Paul Hastings
- **Shearman & Sterling**
- Simpson Thacher & Bartlett
- **Skadden Arps Slate Meagher & Flom**
- Sullivan & Cromwell
- Troutman Sanders
- **White & Case**
- **Winston & Strawn**
- **Vinson & Elkins**

Structured Finance & Derivatives

Firms to Consider for Structured Finance & Derivatives:

- Allen & Overy
- Alston & Bird
- Arnold & Porter
- Bryan Cave Leighton Paisner
- **Cadwalader Wickersham & Taft**
- Chapman & Cutler
- Cleary Gottlieb Steen & Hamilton
- Clifford Chance
- **Davis Polk & Wardwell**
- Dechert
- **Dentons**
- DLA Piper
- Freshfields Bruckhaus Deringer
- Hunton Andrews Kurth
- Jones Day
- **Latham & Watkins**
- Linklaters
- **Katten Muchin Rosenman**
- Kramer Levin Naftalis & Frankel
- **Mayer Brown**
- McDermott Will & Emery
- Milbank
- **Morgan Lewis & Bockius**
- Morrison & Foerster
- **Orrick Herrington & Sutcliffe**
- Paul Hastings
- Paul Weiss Rifkind Wharton & Garrison
- Schulte Roth & Zabel
- Shearman & Sterling
- **Sidley Austin**
- Skadden Arps Slate Meagher & Flom
- Sullivan & Cromwell
- Weil Gotshal & Manges
- Willkie Farr & Gallagher

FinTech

Firms to Consider for FinTech:

- Cooley
- Covington & Burling
- Davis Polk & Wardwell
- Debevoise & Plimpton
- DLA Piper
- Goodwin Procter
- Hogan Lovells
- Jones Day
- Latham & Watkins
- Linklaters
- Manatt Phelps & Phillips
- Morrison & Foerster
- Orrick Herrington & Sutcliffe
- Paul Hastings
- Perkins Coie
- Sullivan & Cromwell
- Weil Gotshal & Manges
- White & Case

** FinTech is a burgeoning practice area in New York, following the lead of other geographic regions, including Washington, DC and Northern California.

Healthcare

Firms to Consider for Healthcare:

- **Arent Fox**
- Cadwalader Wickersham & Taft
- Covington & Burling
- Crowell & Moring
- Debevoise & Plimpton
- Dentons
- **Epstein Becker & Green**
- Faegre Drinker Biddle & Reath
- Garfunkel Wild
- Goodwin Procter
- Greenberg Traurig
- Hodgson Russ
- Hogan Lovells
- Katten Muchin Rosenman
- **Manatt Phelps & Phillips**
- **McDermott Will & Emery**
- Mintz Levin Cohn Ferris Glovsky & Popeo
- **Nixon Peabody**
- **Proskauer Rose**
- **Ropes & Gray**
- Sheppard Mullin

Insurance

Firms to Consider for Transactional & Regulatory Insurance:

- **Clifford Chance**
- **Debevoise & Plimpton**
- **Drinker Biddle**
- **Eversheds Sutherland**
- **Hogan Lovells**
- **Mayer Brown**
- **McDermott Will & Emery**
- **Sidley Austin**
- **Skadden Arps Slate Meagher & Flom**
- **Stroock & Stroock & Lavan**
- **Sullivan & Cromwell**
- **Willkie Farr & Gallagher**

Firms to Consider for Insurer/Reinsurer-Side Representation:

- **Cahill Gordon & Reindel**
- **Chaffetz Lindsey**
- **Clyde & Co.**
- **Debevoise & Plimpton**
- **Dentons**
- **Eversheds Sutherland**
- **Hogan Lovells**
- **Mound Cotton Wollan & Greengrass**
- **O'Melveny & Myers**
- **Quinn Emanuel Urquhart & Sullivan**
- **Rivkin Radler**
- **Simpson Thacher & Bartlett**
- **Squire Patton Boggs**
- **Stroock & Stroock & Lavan**
- **Wollmuth Maher & Deutsch**

Firms to Consider for Policyholder-Side Representation:

- **Anderson Kill**
- **Jones Day**
- **McKool Smith**
- **Proskauer Rose**
- **Reed Smith**
- **Willkie Farr & Gallagher**

International – Latin America

Firms to Consider for Latin America:

- Allen & Overy
- Ashurst
- Baker & McKenzie
- **Cleary Gottlieb Steen & Hamilton**
- **Clifford Chance**
- Covington & Burling
- **Cravath Swaine & Moore**
- Curtis Mallet-Prevost Colt & Mosle
- Davis Polk & Wardwell
- **Debevoise & Plimpton**
- **Freshfields Bruckhaus Deringer**
- Gibson Dunn & Crutcher
- **Hogan Lovells**
- Holland & Knight
- Hughes Hubbard & Reed
- **Jones Day**
- **Latham & Watkins**
- Linklaters
- Mayer Brown
- **Milbank**
- Morgan Lewis & Bockius
- Norton Rose Fulbright
- **Paul Hastings**
- Proskauer Rose
- **Shearman & Sterling**
- Skadden Arps Slate Meagher & Flom
- Sidley Austin
- **Simpson Thacher & Bartlett**
- Sullivan & Cromwell
- **White & Case**

International – Middle East

Firms to Consider for the Middle East:

- Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld
- **Allen & Overy**
- Cleary Gottlieb Steen & Hamilton
- Dentons
- **DLA Piper**
- Gibson Dunn & Crutcher
- **King & Spalding**
- **Latham & Watkins**
- **Linklaters**
- Milbank
- Norton Rose Fulbright
- Reed Smith
- Shearman & Sterling
- **White & Case**

International – Asia

Firms to Consider for Asia:

- Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld
- **Allen & Overy**
- **Baker & McKenzie**
- Blank Rome
- Clifford Chance
- Covington & Burling
- Debevoise & Plimpton
- Dechert
- Dentons
- Dorsey & Whitney
- **Freshfields Bruckhaus Deringer**
- Gibson Dunn & Crutcher
- Haynes & Boone
- Jones Day
- K&L Gates
- Kirkland & Ellis
- Latham & Watkins
- Linklaters
- Milbank
- Morrison & Foerster
- Mayer Brown
- Norton Rose Fulbright
- Paul Hastings
- Paul Weiss Rifkind Wharton & Garrison
- Ropes & Gray
- Shearman & Sterling
- **Sidley Austin**
- Simpson Thacher & Bartlett
- **Skadden Arps Slate Meagher & Flom**
- Sullivan & Cromwell
- **White & Case**

Intellectual Property – Patent Litigation & Prosecution

Firms to Consider for Patent Litigation & Prosecution:

- Arnold & Porter
- **Baker Botts**
- Cravath Swaine & Moore
- **Desmarais**
- Fish & Richardson
- **Gibson Dunn & Crutcher**
- **Goodwin Procter**
- Hunton Andrews Kurth
- **Jones Day**
- King & Spalding
- **Kirkland & Ellis**
- Mayer Brown
- O'Melveny & Myers
- Orrick Herrington & Sutcliffe
- **Patterson Belknap Webb & Tyler**
- **Paul Hastings**
- **Paul Weiss Rifkind Wharton & Garrison**
- **Quinn Emanuel Urquhart & Sullivan**
- Ropes & Gray
- Sidley Austin
- Skadden Arps Slate Meagher & Flom
- **Venable**
- Weil Gotshal & Manges
- White & Case
- Willkie Farr & Gallagher
- **WilmerHale**

Intellectual Property – Trademark & Copyright (“Soft IP”)

Firms to Consider for Soft IP:

- Baker & Hostetler
- Baker McKenzie
- Cowan DeBaets Abrahams & Sheppard
- Cowan Liebowitz & Latman
- Davis & Gilbert
- Davis Wright Tremaine
- Debevoise & Plimpton
- Dorsey & Whitney
- Frankfurt Kurnit Klein & Selz
- Fross Zelnick Lehrman & Zissu
- Greenberg Traurig
- Jenner & Block
- Kilpatrick Townsend & Stockton
- Kirkland & Ellis
- Lathrop Gage
- Norton Rose Fulbright
- Patterson Belknap Webb & Tyler
- Pryor Cashman
- Stroock & Stroock & Lavan
- Weil Gotshal & Manges

Intellectual Property & Technology Transactions

Firms to Consider for Intellectual Property & Technology Transactions:

- **Cleary Gottlieb Steen & Hamilton**
- **Covington & Burling**
- Davis & Gilbert
- Debevoise & Plimpton
- Dechert
- Fenwick & West
- **Gibson Dunn & Crutcher**
- Goodwin Procter
- Gunderson Dettmer Stough Villeneuve Franklin & Hachigian
- Hughes Hubbard & Reed
- **Kirkland & Ellis**
- Loeb & Loeb
- Morrison & Foerster
- **Paul Weiss Rifkind Wharton & Garrison**
- **Perkins Coie**
- **Proskauer Rose**
- Ropes & Gray
- Simpson Thacher & Bartlett
- **Skadden Arps Slate Meagher & Flom**
- **Sullivan & Cromwell**
- **Weil Gotshal & Manges**
- **White & Case**

Labor & Employment

Firms to Consider for Labor & Employment:

- Arnold & Porter
- Bond Schoeneck & King
- Davis & Gilbert
- Davis Wright Tremaine
- **Epstein Becker & Green**
- Holland & Knight
- **Jackson Lewis**
- **Jones Day**
- Kasowitz Benson Torres
- **Kramer Levin Naftalis & Frankel**
- **Little Mendelson**
- Morgan Lewis & Bockius
- Oglethorpe Deakins
- Orrick Herrington & Sutcliffe
- Paul Hastings
- Proskauer Rose
- Seyfarth Shaw
- Skadden Arps Slate Meagher & Flom
- **Weil Gotshal & Manges**

Litigation – General Commercial

Firms to Consider for General Commercial Litigation:

- Arnold & Porter
- **Boies Schiller & Flexner**
- Cahill Gordon & Reindel
- Cleary Gottlieb Steen & Hamilton
- Cohen & Gresser
- **Cooley**
- Covington & Burling
- **Cravath Swaine & Moore**
- **Davis Polk & Wardwell**
- **Debevoise & Plimpton**
- DLA Piper
- Freshfields Bruckhaus Deringer
- Fried Frank Harris Shriver & Jacobson
- Friedman Kaplan Seiler & Adelman
- **Gibson Dunn & Crutcher**
- **Goodwin Procter**
- Hughes Hubbard & Reed
- Jenner & Block
- Jones Day
- Kasowitz Benson & Torres
- **King & Spalding**
- **Kirkland & Ellis**
- **Kramer Levin Naftalis & Frankel**
- **Latham & Watkins**
- Mayer Brown
- Milbank
- Mintz Levin Cohn Ferris Glovsky & Popeo
- Patterson Belknap Webb & Tyler
- **Paul Weiss Rifkind Wharton & Garrison**
- Proskauer Rose
- **Quinn Emanuel Urquhart & Sullivan**
- Schulte Roth & Zabel
- Shearman & Sterling
- **Simpson Thacher & Bartlett**
- **Skadden Arps Slate Meagher & Flom**
- **Sullivan & Cromwell**
- Wachtell Lipton Rosen & Katz
- Weil Gotshal & Manges
- Willkie Farr & Gallagher
- **WilmerHale**
- Winston & Strawn

Litigation – International Arbitration

Firms to Consider for International Arbitration:

- **Arnold & Porter**
- Baker Botts
- Baker & McKenzie
- **Chaffetz Lindsey**
- **Cleary Gottlieb Steen & Hamilton**
- **Covington & Burling**
- **Curtis Mallet-Prevost Colt & Mosle**
- **Debevoise & Plimpton**
- Foley Hoag
- **Freshfields Bruckhaus Deringer**
- **Gibson Dunn & Crutcher**
- Hogan Lovells
- Hughes Hubbard & Reed
- **King & Spalding**
- Latham & Watkins
- Norton Rose Fulbright
- Paul Hastings
- Quinn Emanuel Urquhart & Sullivan
- Proskauer Rose
- Shearman & Sterling
- **Sidley Austin**
- **Skadden Arps Slate Meagher & Flom**
- Sullivan & Cromwell
- **White & Case**
- WilmerHale

Litigation – White Collar, Enforcement & Internal Investigations

Firms to Consider for White Collar, Enforcement & Internal Investigations:

- **Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld**
- Allen & Overy
- **Cleary Gottlieb Steen & Hamilton**
- Cahill Gordon & Reindel
- Clifford Chance
- Cohen & Gresser
- Cooley
- **Covington & Burling**
- **Davis Polk & Wardwell**
- **Debevoise & Plimpton**
- **Dechert**
- **Gibson Dunn & Crutcher**
- Goodwin Procter
- Freshfields Bruckhaus Deringer
- Fried Frank Harris Shriver & Jacobson
- Holwell Shuster & Goldberg
- Jenner & Block
- King & Spalding
- Kirkland & Ellis
- Kobre & Kim
- **Kramer Levin Naftalis & Frankel**
- Lankler Siffert & Wohl
- **Latham & Watkins**
- Levine Lee
- **Milbank**
- MoloLamken
- Morrison & Foerster
- Morvillo Abromowitz Grand Iason & Anello
- O'Melveny & Myers
- Orrick Herrington & Sutcliffe
- **Paul Weiss Rifkind Wharton & Garrison**
- Ropes & Gray
- Shearman & Sterling
- Sidley Austin
- Simpson Thacher & Bartlett
- **Skadden Arps Slate Meagher & Flom**
- Smith Villazor
- Spears & Imes
- **Sullivan & Cromwell**
- **Wachtell Lipton Rosen & Katz**
- Weil Gotshal & Manges
- WilmerHale

Litigation – Products Liability & Mass Torts

Firms to Consider for Products Liability & Mass Torts:

- **Arnold & Porter**
- Baker Botts
- Covington & Burling
- **Davis Polk & Wardwell**
- **Dechert**
- **DLA Piper**
- Faegre Drinker Biddle
- Gibbons
- **Gibson Dunn & Crutcher**
- Goodwin Procter
- **Greenberg Traurig**
- **Herbert Smith**
- Hogan Lovells
- Holland & Knight
- **Hughes Hubbard & Reed**
- Jones Day
- Kasowitz Benson Torres
- **King & Spalding**
- **Kirkland & Ellis**
- Mayer Brown
- Morgan Lewis & Bockius
- Morrison & Foerster
- Nixon Peabody
- Norton Rose Fulbright
- Orrick Herrington & Sutcliffe
- Patterson Belknap Webb & Tyler
- Troutman Pepper
- Proskauer Rose
- Quinn Emanuel Emanuel Urquhart & Sullivan
- **Reed Smith**
- **Sidley Austin**
- Simpson Thacher & Bartlett
- Skadden Arps Slate Meagher & Flom
- **Venable**
- Winston & Strawn

Privacy & Cybersecurity

Firms to Consider for Privacy & Cybersecurity:

- Arnold & Porter
- Baker & Hostetler
- **Baker & McKenzie**
- Cleary Gottlieb Steen & Hamilton
- Cohen & Gresser
- **Cooley**
- **Covington & Burling**
- Davis & Gilbert
- Davis Wright Tremaine
- Debevoise & Plimpton
- **DLA Piper**
- Eversheds Sutherland
- **Gibson Dunn & Crutcher**
- Greenberg Traurig
- **Hunton Andrews Kurth**
- **Loeb & Loeb**
- **Manatt, Phelps & Phillips**
- **Morrison & Foerster**
- Norton Rose Fulbright
- **Orrick Herrington & Sutcliffe**
- **Perkins Coie**
- Reed Smith
- **Sidley Austin**
- **Venable**
- WilmerHale
- **ZwillGen**

Real Estate – Corporate & Finance

Firms to Consider for Real Estate (Corporate & Finance):

- Arnold & Porter
- Cadwalader Wickersham & Taft
- **Cleary Gottlieb Steen & Hamilton**
- Debevoise & Plimpton
- Dechert
- DLA Piper
- Duval & Stachenfeld
- **Fried Frank Harris Shriver & Jacobson**
- **Gibson Dunn & Crutcher**
- Goodwin Procter
- Goulston & Storrs
- Haynes & Boone
- Herrick Feinstein
- Hunton Andrews Kruth
- Jones Day
- King & Spalding
- **Kirkland & Ellis**
- Latham & Watkins
- Milbank
- **Morrison & Foerster**
- **Paul Weiss Rifkind Wharton & Garrison**
- **Proskauer Rose**
- Riemer & Braunstein
- Schulte Roth & Zabel
- Shearman & Sterling
- **Sidley Austin**
- **Simpson Thacher & Bartlett**
- **Skadden Arps Slate Meagher & Flom**
- Stroock & Stroock & Lavan
- **Sullivan & Cromwell**
- Vinson & Elkins
- Weil Gotshal & Manges
- Willkie Farr & Gallagher

Real Estate – Dirt

Firms to Consider for Real Estate (Dirt):

- **Bryan Cave Leighton Paisner**
- Cleary Gottlieb Steen & Hamilton
- Davis & Gilbert
- Davis Polk & Wardwell
- Debevoise & Plimpton
- **DLA Piper**
- **Fried Frank Harris Shriver & Jacobson**
- **Gibson Dunn & Crutcher**
- **Greenberg Traurig**
- Goulston & Storrs
- Herrick Feinstein
- Holland & Knight
- **Kelley Drye & Warren**
- **Kramer Levin Naftalis & Frankel**
- Loeb & Loeb
- Patterson Belknap Webb & Tyler
- **Paul Hastings**
- **Paul Weiss Rifkind Wharton & Garrison**
- **Proskauer Rose**
- **Skadden Arps Slate Meagher & Flom**
- **Stroock & Stroock & Lavan**
- Vinson & Elkins
- Willkie Farr & Gallagher

Corporate Tax

Firms to Consider for Corporate Tax:

- **Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld**
- Alston & Bird
- Bracewell
- Brown Rudnick
- Cadwalader Wickersham & Taft
- **Cleary Gottlieb Steen & Hamilton**
- Clifford Chance
- Cooley
- **Cravath Swaine & Moore**
- **Davis Polk & Wardwell**
- **Debevoise & Plimpton**
- **Fried Frank Harris Shriver & Jacobson**
- **Gibson Dunn & Crutcher**
- Goodwin Procter
- **Kirkland & Ellis**
- Kramer Levin Naftalis & Frankel
- **Latham & Watkins**
- McDermott Will & Emery
- Milbank
- **Morgan Lewis & Bockius**
- **Paul Weiss Rifkind Wharton & Garrison**
- Proskauer Rose
- Ropes & Gray
- Schulte Roth & Zabel
- Shearman & Sterling
- **Sidley Austin**
- **Simpson Thacher & Bartlett**
- **Skadden Arps Slate Meagher & Flom**
- **Sullivan & Cromwell**
- **Wachtell Lipton Rosen & Katz**
- **Weil Gotshal & Manges**
- White & Case
- Willkie Farr & Gallagher

Trusts & Estates

Firms to Consider for Trusts & Estates:

- Arnold & Porter
- Blank Rome
- Cadwalader Wickersham & Taft
- Carter Ledyard & Milburn
- Cozen O'Connor
- Davis Polk & Wardwell
- **Day Pitney**
- Greenberg Traurig
- Holland & Knight
- **Katten Muchin Rosenman**
- **Loeb & Loeb**
- **McDermott Will & Emery**
- **Milbank**
- **Paul Weiss Rifkind Wharton & Garrison**
- **Proskauer Rose**
- **Skadden Arps Slate Meagher & Flom**
- **Schulte Roth & Zabel**
- Strock & Strock & Lavan
- **Sullivan & Cromwell**
- **White & Case**
- **Willkie Farr & Gallagher**
- **Withers Bergman**