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Lawyer Name	Specialty	Metro Area
A. Dean Bennett	Employment Law - Management	Boise
Beat Steiner	Mergers and Acquisitions Law	Boulder
Brian M. Mumaugh	Labor Law - Management	Denver
Bryan K. Benard	Labor Law - Management	Salt Lake City
Chris D. Jones	Mining Law	Salt Lake City
Christopher J. Balch	Corporate Law	Denver
Craig Stewart	Bet-the-Company Litigation	Denver
David E. Crandall	Litigation - Trusts and Estates	Denver
Edward M. Garcia	Government Relations Practice	Las Vegas
Edward M. Giles	Banking and Finance Law	Denver
Elizabeth A. Sharrer	Real Estate Law	Denver
George M. Haley	Bet-the-Company Litigation	Salt Lake City
Gregory E. Lindley	Securities / Capital Markets Law	Salt Lake City
Hugh J. O'Halloran	Real Estate Law	Jackson-WY
J. Kevin Bridston	Litigation - Construction	Denver
J. Stephen Peek	Bet-the-Company Litigation	Las Vegas
Joe M. Teig	Personal Injury Litigation - Defendants	Anchorage
Kami Pomerantz	Tax Law	Denver
Lucy Stark	Corporate Compliance Law	Denver
Margot Summers Edwards	Tax Law	Boulder
Michael L. Drapkin	Litigation - Patent	Boulder
Robert A. Faucher	Bankruptcy and Creditor Debtor Rights / Insolvency	Boise
	and Reorganization Law	
Robert J. Cassity	Litigation - Banking and Finance	Las Vegas
Scott S. Havlick	Copyright Law	Boulder
Steven J. Vuyovich	Water Law	Salt Lake City
Timothy P. Getzoff	Litigation - Intellectual Property	Boulder
W. Scott Mitchell	Workers' Compensation Law - Employers	Billings
Walter F. Eggers III	Administrative / Regulatory Law	Cheyenne

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Lawyer Name	Specialty
Anchorage, AK	
Joe M. Teig	Bet-the-Company Litigation
_	Commercial Litigation
	Personal Injury Litigation - Defendants
Aspen, CO	
Mark E. Hamilton	Water Law
Christopher Heaphey	Litigation - Real Estate

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Lawyer Name	Specialty
Billings, MT	
Shane P. Coleman	Litigation - ERISA
	Litigation - Intellectual Property
	Litigation - Patent
	Patent Law
Kyle Gray	Appellate Practice
	Insurance Law
Charles W. Hingle	Banking and Finance Law
	Bankruptcy and Creditor Debtor Rights / Insolvency and
	Reorganization Law
William Mercer	Commercial Litigation
	Natural Resources Law
W. Scott Mitchell	Commercial Litigation
	Employment Law - Management
	Litigation - Environmental
	Litigation - Insurance
	Natural Resources Law
	Personal Injury Litigation - Defendants
	Product Liability Litigation - Defendants
	Workers' Compensation Law - Employers
Elizabeth A. Nedrow	Employee Benefits (ERISA) Law
Boise, ID	
A. Dean Bennett	Employment Law - Management
	Litigation - Labor and Employment
Teague I. Donahey	Litigation - Intellectual Property
Robert A. Faucher	Banking and Finance Law
	Bankruptcy and Creditor Debtor Rights / Insolvency and
	Reorganization Law
Murray D. Feldman	Environmental Law
	Litigation - Environmental
	Natural Resources Law
Linda Jones	Natural Resources Law
Tara Martens Miller	Employment Law - Management
	Litigation - Insurance
William G. Myers III	Environmental Law
-	Litigation - Environmental
Larry E. Prince	Administrative / Regulatory Law
	Bankruptcy and Creditor Debtor Rights / Insolvency and
	Reorganization Law
	Litigation - Bankruptcy
B. Newal Squyres	Bet-the-Company Litigation
	Commercial Litigation
	Litigation - Labor and Employment
	Personal Injury Litigation - Plaintiffs



Lawyer Name	Specialty
Kim C. Stanger	Health Care Law
Erik F. Stidham	Commercial Litigation
Boulder, CO	
Andrea Anderson	Trademark Law
Charles A. Cotter	Corporate Law
	Mergers and Acquisitions Law
	Venture Capital Law
Michael L. Drapkin	Litigation - Patent
-	Patent Law
Margot Summers Edwards	Tax Law
	Trusts and Estates
Timothy P. Getzoff	Litigation - Intellectual Property
	Trade Secrets Law
Christopher A. Gunlikson	Construction Law
	Real Estate Law
James E. Hartley	Antitrust Law
	Litigation - Antitrust
	Litigation - Intellectual Property
	Litigation - Patent
Scott S. Havlick	Copyright Law
	Litigation - Intellectual Property
	Litigation - Patent
	Trademark Law
S. Kent Karber	Real Estate Law
J. Marcus Painter	Real Estate Law
Beat Steiner	Land Use and Zoning Law
	Litigation - Real Estate
	Mergers and Acquisitions Law
	Real Estate Law
Mark B. Wiletsky	Litigation - Labor and Employment
Cheyenne, WY	
Bradley T. Cave	Employment Law - Management
	Labor Law - Management
Patrick R. Day	Commercial Litigation
	Litigation - Environmental
Walter F. Eggers III	Administrative / Regulatory Law
Matt J. Micheli	Government Relations Practice
Jack D. Palma II	Energy Law
	Environmental Law
	Litigation - Environmental
	Natural Resources Law

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Lawyer Name	Specialty
Thomas L. Sansonetti	Environmental Law
	Government Relations Practice
	Native American Law
	Oil and Gas Law
Denver, CO	
Matthew D. Abell	Copyright Law
	Trademark Law
Christopher J. Balch	Corporate Law
	Leveraged Buyouts and Private Equity Law
	Mergers and Acquisitions Law
	Venture Capital Law
Michael S. Beaver	Insurance Law
	Litigation - ERISA
	Litigation - Labor and Employment
Jonathan Bender	Commercial Litigation
	Tax Law
Robert E. Benson	Construction Law
	Litigation - Construction
Brenda R. Berg	Employee Benefits (ERISA) Law
	Tax Law
Amy Bowler	Mergers and Acquisitions Law
Leslie S. Boyle	Corporate Law
J. Kevin Bridston	Construction Law
	Litigation - Construction
William Caile	Natural Resources Law
Michael J. Carrigan	Commercial Litigation
	Insurance Law
Christopher A. Chrisman	Litigation - Environmental
Adam M. Cohen	Tax Law
	Trusts and Estates
David E. Crandall	Litigation - Trusts and Estates
	Tax Law
	Trusts and Estates
Todd Criger	Mergers and Acquisitions Law
James Crowe	Corporate Law
	Mergers and Acquisitions Law
Thomas L. DeVine	Real Estate Law
Laura A. Dinan	Tax Law
	Trusts and Estates
Shawn Eady	Litigation - Insurance
A 17- # 1-:	Personal Injury Litigation - Defendants
Samuel Holland Edwards	Mergers and Acquisitions Law
Jack M. Englert, Jr.	Insurance Law
Andrew A. Folkerth	Real Estate Law



Lawyer Name	Specialty
Edward M. Giles	Banking and Finance Law
Rachel K. Gillette	Tax Law
Heidi S. Glance	Tax Law
Marcy G. Glenn	Appellate Practice
Gregory E. Goldberg	Bet-the-Company Litigation
	Commercial Litigation
	Criminal Defense: White-Collar
Timothy W. Gordon	Construction Law
	Eminent Domain and Condemnation Law
	Litigation - Construction
Teryl R. Gorrell	Real Estate Law
J. Lee Gray	Product Liability Litigation - Defendants
Christina Groll	Corporate Law
	Venture Capital Law
Steven M. Gutierrez	Employment Law - Individuals
	Litigation - Labor and Employment
Sean Hanlon	Litigation - Construction
	Litigation - Real Estate
Janet N. Harris	Oil and Gas Law
Rebecca L. Hudson	Employee Benefits (ERISA) Law
Arthur A. Hundhausen	Nonprofit / Charities Law
	Tax Law
	Trusts and Estates
John M. Husband	Employment Law - Management
	Labor Law - Management
	Litigation - Labor and Employment
Robert R. Keatinge	Corporate Governance Law
	Corporate Law
	Tax Law
Katherine LeVoy	Corporate Law
	Mergers and Acquisitions Law
Stephen G. Masciocchi	Appellate Practice
Chelsea L. May	Tax Law
	Trusts and Estates
Wiley E. Mayne	Commercial Litigation
Billi R. McCullough	Corporate Law
Jane Michaels	Commercial Litigation
	Litigation - Intellectual Property
	Litigation - Patent
Elizabeth A. Mitchell	Environmental Law
Brian M. Mumaugh	Employment Law - Management
	Labor Law - Management
Thorvald A. Nelson	Communications Law



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Susan L. Oakes	Corporate Law
	Mergers and Acquisitions Law
	Venture Capital Law
Matthew Ochs	Real Estate Law
Peter J. Perla	Tax Law
Wendy J. Pifher	Copyright Law
	Technology Law
Kami Pomerantz	Tax Law
	Trusts and Estates
Joe A. Ramirez	Insurance Law
	Litigation - Insurance
Helen Rogers	Trusts and Estates
Mary Ellen Scanlan	Corporate Law
	Health Care Law
Rebecca Klock Schroer	Litigation - Trusts and Estates
Anthony J. Shaheen	Energy Law
	Natural Resources Law
Elizabeth A. Sharrer	Real Estate Law
John F. Shepherd	Administrative / Regulatory Law
	Energy Law
	Litigation - Environmental
	Natural Resources Law
Mark F. Sheridan	Litigation - Antitrust
Sandra A. Snodgrass	Environmental Law
Holly Stein Sollod	Commercial Litigation
	Securities / Capital Markets Law
Lucy Stark	Corporate Compliance Law
	Corporate Law
	Energy Law
	Leveraged Buyouts and Private Equity Law
	Mergers and Acquisitions Law
	Securities / Capital Markets Law
	Venture Capital Law
Craig Stewart	Bet-the-Company Litigation
	Commercial Litigation
Christopher H. Toll	Bet-the-Company Litigation
	Commercial Litigation
	Litigation - Banking and Finance
Roger Y. Tsai	Employment Law - Management
	Immigration Law
Ashley K. Wald	Corporate Law
Carol Warnick	Litigation - Trusts and Estates
	Tax Law
	Trusts and Estates



Lawyer Name	Specialty
W. Craig Willis	Real Estate Law
John R. Wilson	Tax Law
	Trusts and Estates
Maureen Reidy Witt	Commercial Litigation
	Litigation - Labor and Employment
	Product Liability Litigation - Defendants
Risa Lynn Wolf-Smith	Bankruptcy and Creditor Debtor Rights / Insolvency and
	Reorganization Law
Jackson, WY	
Paula A. Fleck	Commercial Litigation
	Employment Law - Individuals
Matthew Kim-Miller	Real Estate Law
Hugh J. O'Halloran	Real Estate Law
Las Vegas, NV	
Gian A. Brown	Business Organizations (including LLCs and Partnerships)
	Corporate Law
Robert J. Cassity	Litigation - Banking and Finance
Matthew Cecil	Employment Law - Management
	Litigation - ERISA
	Litigation - Labor and Employment
Lars K. Evensen	Bankruptcy and Creditor Debtor Rights / Insolvency and
	Reorganization Law
	Construction Law
	Litigation - Bankruptcy
	Litigation - Construction
	Real Estate Law
Edward M. Garcia	Government Relations Practice
	Land Use and Zoning Law
Gregory S. Gilbert	Construction Law
	Real Estate Law
Bryce K. Kunimoto	Commercial Litigation
	Litigation - Banking and Finance
J. Stephen Peek	Bet-the-Company Litigation
	Commercial Litigation
Joseph G. Went	Commercial Litigation
Reno, NV	
Bryce C. Alstead	Real Estate Law
Fritz Battcher	Corporate Law
Douglas C. Flowers	Real Estate Law
Megan M. Fogarty	Real Estate Law
David A. Garcia	Corporate Law
	Venture Capital Law
Matthew Hippler	Litigation - Real Estate
Dora Lane	Litigation - Labor and Employment



Lawyer Name	Specialty
Timothy A. Lukas	Bankruptcy and Creditor Debtor Rights / Insolvency and
	Reorganization Law
	Litigation - Bankruptcy
James Newman	Corporate Law
	Mergers and Acquisitions Law
Stephen V. Novacek	Real Estate Law
Robert C. Ryan	Litigation - Intellectual Property
Frederick J. Schmidt	Energy Law
Salt Lake City, UT	•
James L. Barnett	Litigation - ERISA
Carl W. Barton	Real Estate Law
Adrienne Bell	Real Estate Law
Blaine J. Benard	Commercial Litigation
	Litigation - Regulatory Enforcement (SEC, Telecom, Energy)
Bryan K. Benard	Employment Law - Management
	Labor Law - Management
	Litigation - Labor and Employment
David K. Broadbent	Real Estate Law
Mark K. Buchi	Litigation and Controversy - Tax
	Tax Law
Kathryn J. Carlisle-Kesling	Real Estate Law
Richard D. Flint	Commercial Litigation
Angela L. Franklin	Oil and Gas Law
George M. Haley	Bet-the-Company Litigation
	Commercial Litigation
	Litigation - Antitrust
	Litigation - Environmental
	Litigation - Intellectual Property
	Litigation - Regulatory Enforcement (SEC, Telecom, Energy)
Christopher R. Hogle	Commercial Litigation
Loren R. Hulse	Patent Law
Mickell Jimenez	Litigation - Labor and Employment
Brent E. Johnson	Commercial Litigation
Chris D. Jones	Mining Law
	Oil and Gas Law
J. Scott Karren	Patent Law
Derek Kearl	Commercial Litigation
Gregory E. Lindley	Corporate Law
	Mergers and Acquisitions Law
	Securities / Capital Markets Law
John Ludlum	Tax Law
Eric G. Maxfield	Commercial Litigation
	Litigation - Intellectual Property



Lawyer Name	Specialty
Kevin R. Murray	Energy Law
	Environmental Law
	Bankruptcy and Creditor Debtor Rights / Insolvency and
Sherilyn Olsen	Reorganization Law
	Commercial Finance Law
Ashley Peck	Environmental Law
Marc C. Porter	Corporate Law
	Mergers and Acquisitions Law
	Venture Capital Law
Joshua Randall	Patent Law
Stephen Sansom	Litigation - Intellectual Property
Gregory Saylin	Litigation - Labor and Employment
Emily Schilling	Environmental Law
Cory Talbot	Commercial Litigation
Engels Tejeda	Commercial Litigation
	Litigation - Bankruptcy
Steven E. Tyler	Real Estate Law
Steven J. Vuyovich	Water Law
Shawn T. Welch	Natural Resources Law
	Oil and Gas Law
Jody L. Williams	Agriculture Law
	Environmental Law
	Litigation - Environmental
	Natural Resources Law
	Water Law
Matthew T. Wirthlin	Land Use and Zoning Law
	Real Estate Law
Steven P. Young	Litigation and Controversy - Tax
	Tax Law
Santa Fe, NM	
Bradford C. Berge	Litigation - Environmental
	Natural Resources Law
	Personal Injury Litigation - Defendants
	Product Liability Litigation - Defendants
Timothy S. Crisp	Banking and Finance Law
	Commercial Litigation
	Corporate Law
	Equipment Finance Law
	Litigation - Banking and Finance
Michael H. Feldewert	Natural Resources Law
	Oil and Gas Law
Larry J. Montaño	Commercial Litigation
Robert J. Sutphin, Jr.	Commercial Litigation



Lawyer Name	Specialty
Washington, D.C.	
Richard E. Schwartz	Environmental Law
	Litigation - Environmental
	Natural Resources Law

2022 Best Lawyers: Ones to Watch:

Lawyer Name	Specialty
Aspen, CO	
Justin Nyberg	Real Estate Law
Billings, MT	
Matthew Dolphay	Environmental Law
Vicki Marquis	Environmental Law
	Litigation - Environmental
Brianne McClafferty	Commercial Litigation
	Litigation - Bankruptcy
	Litigation - Labor and Employment
John Sullivan	Appellate Practice
	Commercial Litigation
	Criminal Defense: White-Collar
Boise, ID	
Lisa Carlson	Corporate Law
	Health Care Law
Lauren Prew Fouser	Corporate Law
	Mergers and Acquisitions Law
	Venture Capital Law
Benjamin Gibbons	Employee Benefits (ERISA) Law
Alexandra Grande	Commercial Litigation
	Health Care Law
	Labor and Employment Law - Management
Stefan Hasselblad	Commercial Litigation
Alison Hunter	Environmental Law
Emily M. Klick	Corporate Governance and Compliance Law
	Corporate Law
	Mergers and Acquisitions Law
Christopher McCurdy	Commercial Litigation
William K. Smith	Appellate Practice
	Labor and Employment Law - Management
Zach Zollinger	Commercial Litigation
Boulder, CO	
Jordan Bunch	Real Estate Law
Per Larsen	Intellectual Property Law
	Litigation - Intellectual Property



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Catherine Miller	Intellectual Property Law
Kazuyo Morita	Intellectual Property Law
Nathan Mutter	Intellectual Property Law
	Patent Law
Amy Tindell	Intellectual Property Law
Cheyenne, WY	
Laurie Rogers	Labor and Employment Law - Management
Denver, CO	
Desta Asfaw	Trusts and Estates
Tina Van Bockern	Environmental Law
	Oil and Gas Law
Chris Boling	Project Finance Law
Christopher H. Butler	Intellectual Property Law
Rachel Carnaggio	Intellectual Property Law
Paige Coriden	Mergers and Acquisitions Law
Nate Davis	Corporate Law
Richard Kiely	Trusts and Estates
Madelon Lapidus	Intellectual Property Law
Kevin McAdam	Alternative Dispute Resolution
	Commercial Litigation
Kristin Nichols	Administrative / Regulatory Law
	Energy Law
	Environmental Law
Nneka Obiokoye	Project Finance Law
Austin Rueschhoff	Environmental Law
Jessica Smith	Commercial Litigation
Paul Swanson	Commercial Litigation
Robert Thomas	Commercial Litigation
Las Vegas, NV	
Brian Downing	Commercial Litigation
David Freeman	Commercial Litigation
Jenapher Lin	Commercial Litigation
Jon Pearson	Mass Tort Litigation / Class Actions - Defendants
Michael Wadley	Real Estate Law
Jessica Whelan	Appellate Practice
	Commercial Litigation
Reno, NV	
Joshua Halen	Commercial Litigation
S. Jordan Walsh	Labor and Employment Law - Management
Salt Lake City, UT	
Nathan Archibald	Commercial Litigation
Allison Phillips Belnap	Land Use and Zoning Law
Ian Clouse	Intellectual Property Law



Lawyer Name	Specialty
Phil Harris	Intellectual Property Law
	Patent Law
Jennifer Huntsman	Environmental Law
	Land Use and Zoning Law
	Project Finance Law
Chris LeCates	Environmental Law
Trent Maxwell	Environmental Law
	Real Estate Law
Brittany Merrill	Labor and Employment Law - Management
	Litigation - Labor and Employment
Nate Runyan	Commercial Litigation
	Litigation and Controversy - Tax
Karina Sargsian	Commercial Litigation
	Labor and Employment Law - Management
Santa Fe, NM	
Kaitlyn Luck	Oil and Gas Law
Adam Rankin	Environmental Law
	Oil and Gas Law