

48 HODGSON RUSS ATTORNEYS NAMED TO VARIOUS BEST LAWYERS LISTINGS

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Forty-eight Hodgson Russ attorneys have been selected by their peers for inclusion in various “*Best Lawyers*” listings.

Hodgson Russ is also pleased to announce four of its attorneys have been honored as 2019 “*Lawyers of the Year*.” They include: Benjamin M. Zuffranieri, Jr., Kenneth P. Friedman, Peter C. Godfrey, and Terrence M. Gilbride.

The names of all 48 of Hodgson Russ’s included attorneys follow, along with the practice area or areas in which they are listed in the guide.

Because *Best Lawyers* is based on an in-depth, peer-review survey in which attorneys cast votes on the legal abilities of lawyers outside their firm who practice in the same legal and geographic areas, inclusion in *Best Lawyers* may be considered a singular honor.

John P. Amershadian
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Labor Law – Management
Litigation - Labor and Employment

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Employee Benefits (ERISA) Law

Jane Bello Burke
Health Care Law

Richard Campbell
Corporate Law
Tax Law

Katherine E. Cauley
Trusts and Estates

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Amy Fitch
Carol Fitzsimmons
Kenneth Friedman
Kevin Gluc
Peter Godfrey
Richard Kaiser
Rick Kennedy
Alan Laurita
Ryan Lucinski
Michael Maxwell
Elizabeth McPhail
Michael O’Neill
Adam Perry
Hugh Russ III
Gary Schober
A. Joseph Scott III
Jeffrey Stravino
Jeffrey Swiatek
James Thoman
Paul Vallone
James Wadsworth
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Sujata Yalamanchili
John Zak
Benjamin Zuffranieri Jr.

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Tax Law

Robert B. Fleming, Jr.
Antitrust Law Corporate Law

Kenneth P. Friedman
Corporate Law (*Lawyer of the Year*)
Mergers and Acquisitions Law

Terrence M. Gilbride Construction Law
Real Estate Law (*Lawyer of the Year*)

Kevin K. Gluc
Trusts and Estates

Peter C. Godfrey
Employment Law – Management
Labor Law – Management (*Lawyer of the Year*)

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Bankruptcy and Creditor Debtor Rights / Insolvency and Reorganization Law
Litigation – Bankruptcy

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Commercial Litigation
Criminal Defense: White-Collar

Thomas R. Hyde
Trusts and Estates

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Immigration Law

Ranjana Kadle, Ph.D.
Patent Law

Richard W. Kaiser
Employee Benefits (ERISA) Law

Kevin M. Kearney
Commercial Litigation

Rick W. Kennedy
Environmental Law

Mark S. Klein
Litigation and Controversy - Tax
Tax Law

Robert J. Lane, Jr.
Commercial Litigation
Litigation - Intellectual Property
Litigation- Patent
Litigation – Securities

Alan J. Laurita
Real Estate Law

Ryan J. Lucinski
Product Liability Litigation – Defendants

Michael E. Maxwell
Commercial Litigation
Personal Injury Litigation – Defendants
Product Liability Litigation – Defendants

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Employment Law – Management

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Commercial Litigation

Robert J. Olivieri
Corporate Compliance Law
Corporate Governance Law



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Mergers and Acquisitions Law
Securities / Capital Markets Law

Michael C. O'Neill
Insurance Law

Mario J. Papa
Corporate Law

Adam W. Perry
Commercial Litigation

Hugh M. Russ, III
Commercial Litigation
Product Liability Litigation – Defendants

Gary M. Schober
Corporate Law

Joseph Scott, III
Public Finance Law

Jeffrey C. Stravino
Commercial Litigation

Jeffrey F. Swiatek
Education Law

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Commercial Litigation
Litigation – Construction (*Lawyer of the Year*)
Personal Injury Litigation - Defendants

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