

# Arrin K. Richards

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Arrin assists early-stage and growth-stage businesses in commercial, regulatory, risk, strategy, corporate and governance matters.

Arrin regularly advises clients on corporate formation and governance, commercial transactions, and mergers and acquisitions. Arrin has experience negotiating multi-year manufacturing, supplier and service provider agreements for cosmetics, food and beverage and apparel companies. Arrin also has experience drafting media production and licensing agreements, corporate governance documents and transactional documents in connection with corporate restructuring and capital raises. Arrin's clients cut across multiple sectors and also include fintech businesses and other financial institutions.

Arrin brings in-house counsel experience, having previously served as Assistant General Counsel for Vanderbilt University. While there, his primary clients included the school's technology commercialization center, trademark licensing department, office of sponsored research, athletic department and innovation and entrepreneurship center.

### **Education**

J.D., Vanderbilt Law School, 2015

B.A., Morehouse College (*cum laude*), Business Administration, 2010

#### **Services**

Business & Corporate Finance

Beauty & Wellness

Consumer Brands

**Emerging Companies** 

Fashion & Apparel

Financial Services

Food & Beverage

Luxury Law

Mergers & Acquisitions

Sports, Arts & Entertainment

Charitable & Tax-Exempt Organizations

Commercial & IP Transactions

#### Admissions

District of Columbia, 2023

Tennessee, 2015

U.S. District Court, Eastern District of Tennessee

U.S. District Court, Middle District of Tennessee

U.S. District Court, Western District of Tennessee



## **Professional Activities**

National Bar Association, Member

Nashville Affiliate, Former President

## **Community Activities**

Big Brothers Big Sisters of Middle Tennessee

Former Big Brother and Young Adult Board Member

Make A Play Foundation, Inc., Mentor and Board Member

## **News**

Foster Garvey Welcomes Arrin Richards to the Firm's Business & Corporate Finance Practice Foster Garvey Newsroom, 9.1.22