

SIX HODGSON RUSS ATTORNEYS NAMED BEST LAWYERS 2012 BUFFALO 'LAWYERS OF THE YEAR'

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Best Lawyers, a respected peer-review publication in the legal profession, has named the following Hodgson Russ partners “Best in Buffalo” in their respective fields.

Peter K. Bradley—2012 Buffalo Employee Benefits (ERISA) Law Lawyer of the Year

Paul R. Comeau—2012 Buffalo Tax Law Lawyer of the Year

Garry M. Graber—2012 Buffalo Bankruptcy and Creditor Debtor Rights/Insolvency and Reorganization Law Lawyer of the Year

Christian G. Koelbl III—2012 Buffalo Banking and Finance Law Lawyer of the Year

Lance J. Madden—2012 Buffalo Immigration Law Lawyer of the Year

Robert J. Olivieri—2012 Buffalo Mergers & Acquisitions Law Lawyer of the Year

More Hodgson Russ attorneys have received this honor than any other Western New York-based law firm.

After more than 25 years in publication, *Best Lawyers* is designating for 2012 “Lawyers of the Year” in high-profile legal specialties in large legal communities. Only a single lawyer in each specialty in each community is being honored. *Best Lawyers* compiles its lists of outstanding attorneys by conducting peer-review surveys in which thousands of leading lawyers confidentially evaluate their peers. The lawyers being honored as “Lawyers of the Year” have received particularly high ratings in these surveys for their abilities, professionalism, and integrity.

Attorneys

Peter Bradley

Paul Comeau

Lance Madden

Practices & Industries

Banking & Finance

Bankruptcy, Restructuring & Commercial Litigation

Corporate & Business

Employee Benefits

Immigration