

# 71 HODGSON RUSS ATTORNEYS RANKED IN 2023 EDITION OF BEST LAWYERS IN AMERICA

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Hodgson Russ is pleased to announce that 71 of its attorneys have been selected by their peers for inclusion in the 2023 edition of *Best Lawyers in America* listings.

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

Four of the 71 attorneys have also been honored as 2023 *Best Lawyers in America: Lawyers of the Year*. This designation “based on their extremely high overall feedback within specific practice areas and metropolitan regions.”

- [Catherine B. Eberl](#) – Trusts & Estates
- [Michael E. Maxwell](#) – Personal Injury Litigation – Defendants, Product Liability Litigation – Defendants
- [Peter C. Godfrey](#) – Employment Law – Management, Labor Law – Management
- [Sujata Yalamanchili](#) – Real Estate Law

Sixty-five Hodgson Russ attorneys have been named to the *Best Lawyers in America* 2023 edition. They are listed below, along with the practice area(s) in which they are recognized.

- [Jill A. Apa](#) – Immigration Law
- [Joseph L. Braccio](#) – Employment Law – Management, Labor Law – Management, Litigation – Labor & Employment
- [Peter K. Bradley](#) – Employee Benefits (ERISA) Law
- [Peter J. Brevorka](#) – Litigation – Trusts & Estates, Trusts & Estates
- [Jane Bello Burke](#) – Health Care Law
- [Elizabeth Buscaglia](#) – Immigration Law
- [Richard F. Campbell](#) – Corporate Law, Tax Law
- [Christopher C. Canada](#) – Economic Development Law, Public Finance Law
- [Katherine E. Cauley](#) – Trusts & Estates

## Attorneys

Luisa Bostick  
Joseph Braccio  
Peter Bradley  
Peter Brevorka  
Jane Bello Burke  
Richard Campbell  
Christopher Canada  
Katherine Cauley  
Thomas Collura  
Paul Comeau  
Ryan Cummings  
Glen Doherty  
Ariele Doolittle  
Reetuparna Dutta  
Catherine Eberl  
Joseph Endres  
Christofer Fattey  
Amy Fitch  
Carol Fitzsimmons  
Rob Fluskey  
Kenneth Friedman  
Jodyann Galvin  
Kevin Gluc  
Peter Godfrey  
Julia Hilliker  
Patrick Hines  
Elizabeth Holden  
Richard Kaiser  
Charles H. Kaplan  
Rick Kennedy  
Alan Laurita  
Ryan Lucinski

- [Thomas J. Collura](#) – Tax Law, Trusts & Estates
- [Paul R. Comeau](#) – Tax Law, Trusts & Estates
- [Ryan K. Cummings](#) – Commercial Litigation, Litigation – Insurance, Product Liability Litigation – Defendants
- [Glen P. Doherty](#) – Employment Law – Management
- [Reetuparna Dutta](#) – Criminal Defense – White-Collar
- [Catherine B. Eberl](#) – Trusts & Estates
- [Joseph N. Endres](#) – Tax Law
- [Christofer C. Fattey](#) – Banking & Finance Law
- [Amy J. Fitch](#) – Real Estate Law
- [Carol A. Fitzsimmons](#) – Tax Law
- [Robert B. Fleming, Jr.](#) – Antitrust Law, Corporate Law
- [Robert J. Fluskey](#) – Commercial Litigation, Litigation - Intellectual Property
- [Kenneth P. Friedman](#) – Corporate Law, Mergers & Acquisitions Law
- [Jodyann Galvin](#) – Litigation - Securities
- [Terrence M. Gilbride](#) – Construction Law, Real Estate Law
- [Kevin K. Gluc](#) – Trusts & Estates
- [Peter C. Godfrey](#) – Employment Law – Management, Labor Law – Management
- [Garry M. Graber](#) – Bankruptcy & Creditor Debtor Right /Insolvency & Reorganization Law, Litigation – Bankruptcy
- [Julia M. Hilliker](#) – Commercial Litigation, Product Liability Litigation – Defendants
- [Elizabeth A. Holden](#) – Real Estate Law
- [Thomas R. Hyde](#) – Trusts & Estates
- [Ranjana Kadle](#) – Patent Law
- [Richard W. Kaiser](#) – Employee Benefits (ERISA) Law
- [Charles H. Kaplan](#) – Labor Law - Management
- [Kevin M. Kearney](#) – Commercial Litigation
- [Stephen W. Kelkenberg](#) – Commercial Litigation, Litigation – Securities
- [Rick W. Kennedy](#) – Environmental Law

Peter Lutz  
Charles Malcomb  
Christopher Massaroni  
Michael Maxwell  
Elizabeth McPhail  
Michelle Merola  
Timothy Noonan  
Michael O'Neill  
Adam Perry  
Hugh Russ III  
Peter Sahasrabudhe  
Aaron Saykin  
Matthew Scherer  
Gary Schober  
A. Joseph Scott III  
Daniel Spitzer  
Jeffrey Stravino  
Melissa Subject  
Jeffrey Swiatek  
James Thoman  
Paul Vallone  
Amy Walters  
David Wilks  
Sujata Yalamanchili  
John Zak  
Henry Zomerfeld  
Benjamin Zuffranieri Jr.

### **Practices & Industries**

Antitrust, Trade Regulation & Anticorruption  
Banking & Finance  
Bankruptcy, Restructuring & Commercial Litigation  
Business Crimes & Criminal Investigations

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- [Mark S. Klein](#) – Litigation & Controversy – Tax, Tax Law
  - [Alan J. Laurita](#) – Real Estate Law
  - [Ryan J. Lucinski](#) – Personal Injury Litigation – Defendants, Product Liability Litigation - Defendants
  - [Peter C. Lutz](#) – Real Estate Law
  - [Charles Malcomb](#) – Land Use & Zoning Law, Litigation – Municipal, Municipal Law
  - [Lizabeth A. Martin](#) – Immigration Law
  - [Christopher Massaroni](#) – Commercial Litigation
  - [Michael E. Maxwell](#) – Commercial Litigation, Personal Injury Litigation – Defendants, Product Liability Litigation – Defendants
  - [Elizabeth D. McPhail](#) – Employment Law – Management
  - [Michelle Merola](#) – Litigation & Controversy – Tax
  - [Timothy P. Noonan](#) – Tax Law
  - [Daniel C. Oliverio](#) – Bet-the-Company Litigation, Commercial Litigation
  - [Michael C. O'Neill](#) – Insurance Law
  - [Adam W. Perry](#) – Commercial Litigation
  - [Hugh M. Russ III](#) – Commercial Litigation, Product Liability Litigation – Defendants
  - [Aaron Saykin](#) – Commercial Litigation
  - [Gary M. Schober](#) – Corporate Law
  - [A. Joseph Scott III](#) – Public Finance Law
  - [Daniel A. Spitzer](#) – CleanTech Law
  - [Jeffrey C. Stravino](#) – Commercial Litigation
  - [Melissa N. Subjeck](#) – Cannabis Law, Commercial Litigation, Gaming Law
  - [Jeffrey F. Swiatek](#) – Education Law
  - [James C. Thoman](#) – Bankruptcy & Creditor Debtor Rights / Insolvency & Reorganization Law
  - [Paul J. Vallone](#) – Corporate Law
  - [Amy P. Walters](#) – Employee Benefits (ERISA) Law
  - [David J. Wilks](#) – Immigration Law
- Business Litigation
  - Business Tax
  - Cleantech
  - Construction
  - Corporate & Business
  - Design Protection & Design Patents
  - Education
  - Employee Benefits
  - Environmental
  - Healthcare
  - Immigration
  - Intellectual Property Litigation
  - Labor & Employment
  - Land Use & Economic Development
  - Mergers & Acquisitions
  - Patent Prosecution
  - Product Liability & Complex Tort
  - Public Authority
  - Real Estate Development
  - Real Estate Leasing
  - Securities/Directors & Officers Litigation
  - State & Local Tax
  - Tax Credits
  - Trusts & Estates

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- [Sujata Yalamanchili](#) – Real Estate Law
- [John J. Zak](#) – Corporate Law
- [Benjamin M. Zuffranieri, Jr.](#) – Bet-the-Company Litigation, Commercial Litigation, Litigation – Construction, Personal Injury Litigation - Defendants

In addition, six Hodgson Russ attorneys have been named to the *Best Lawyers in America: Ones to Watch 2023* edition. These attorneys are noted below, along with the practice area(s) in which they are listed in this category.

- [Luisa Bostick](#) – Labor & Employment Law - Management
- [Ariele Doolittle](#) – Litigation & Controversy – Tax, Tax Law
- [Patrick Hines](#) – Commercial Litigation, Personal Injury Litigation – Defendants
- [Peter Sahasrabudhe](#) – Commercial Litigation
- [Matthew Scherer](#) – Corporate Law
- [Henry A. Zomerfeld](#) – Commercial Litigation

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