

A Dozen Wiley Rein Practices Recognized in "Best Law Firms" Rankings

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Twelve Wiley Rein practice areas have been recognized in the 2011-2012 "Best Law Firms" rankings, published annually by *U.S. News & World Report*. For the second consecutive year, Wiley Rein's preeminent Communications Practice is ranked in the top tier nationally. The list places the firm's Bankruptcy and Creditor Debtor Rights/Insolvency and Reorganization Law, and Insurance Law Practices in the top tier of groups in the Washington, DC region. Notably, Wiley Rein also is rated in the top tier of DC-area firms for its administrative and regulatory law capabilities.

U.S. News Media Group, which teamed with "Best Lawyers" to produce its 2011-2012 "Best Law Firms" rankings, commended the rated firms for demonstrating a "unique combination of excellence and breadth of expertise." The rated practice areas reflect the depth and scope of the legal, regulatory and public policy expertise that has made Wiley Rein a legal institution in the nation's capital.

U.S. News recognized Wiley Rein's capabilities as being among the best in the nation and in Washington, DC in:

- Communications Law
- Environmental Law
- FDA Law
- Insurance Law

A dozen Wiley Rein practice areas were ranked as among the best in Washington, DC:

- Administrative / Regulatory Law

Practice Areas

Class Actions and Complex Multi-Jurisdiction Litigation
Climate Change
Copyright
D&O and Financial Institution Liability
E&O for Lawyers, Accountants and Other Professionals
Endangered Species
Enforcement of Arbitration Clauses
Environment & Product Regulation
Environmental Regulation, Litigation, and Counseling
Extended Producer Responsibility and Recycling
Federal Preemption
First Amendment/Commercial Speech
Food & Drug
General Liability
Hatch-Waxman Act Litigation
Hazardous Materials Transportation
Health Care
Insurance
Insurance Appellate
Intellectual Property
Issues and Appeals
Judicial Review of Agency Action
Litigation
Media
Patent
Pesticides and FIFRA
Policy Drafting and Product Development
Professional Liability Defense
Property Coverage
Rights-of-Way Litigation and Counseling

- Appellate Practice
- Bankruptcy and Creditor Debtor Rights/Insolvency and Reorganization Law
- Commercial Litigation
- Communications Law
- Environmental Law
- FDA Law
- Franchise Law
- Health Care Law
- Insurance Law
- Litigation - Bankruptcy
- Litigation - Intellectual Property

Technology Transactions
Telecom, Media & Technology
TMT Appellate
Tower Siting and Wireless Facilities Access
Trademark
Video Programming and Cable Franchising
Wireless

These rankings were based on research that included the 3.9 million evaluations of 41,284 individual leading lawyers collected by Best Lawyers® in its most recent annual survey.