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Law360 Names Practice Groups Of The Year

Law360 (November 29, 2020, 8:02 PM EST) -- Law360 congratulates the winners of its 2020 Practice Groups of the Year awards, which honor the law firms behind the litigation wins and major deals that resonated throughout the legal industry in the past year.



With an eye toward landmark matters and general excellence, Law360 selected 185 winning groups across 40 practice areas. In the award program's 11th year, the Practice Groups of the Year hailed from 81 law firms and rose to the top of more than 775 submissions.

Covington & Burling LLP and Latham & Watkins LLP led the pack this year, picking up spots as **Firms of the Year** with eight wins each, followed closely by Kirkland & Ellis LLP and Skadden Arps Slate Meagher & Flom LLP with seven wins each.

But they weren't the only firms to score multiple Practice Group of the Year honors. Gibson Dunn & Crutcher LLP, Mayer Brown LLP, Simpson Thacher & Bartlett LLP and Sullivan & Cromwell LLP all secured six wins, while Cravath Swaine & Moore LLP, Dechert LLP, Jones Day, O'Melveny & Myers LLP and Sidley Austin LLP earned five wins apiece.

Congratulations to this year's Practice Groups of the Year winners:

Appellate

Jones Day
Kirkland & Ellis
O'Melveny

Williams & Connolly
Gibson Dunn

Banking

Covington & Burling
Cravath
Latham & Watkins
Mayer Brown
McGuireWoods

Bankruptcy

Brown Rudnick
Cravath
Kramer Levin
Pachulski Stang
Weil Gotshal

Benefits

Cravath
Keller Rohrback
Mayer Brown
Skadden
Wachtell

Cannabis

Cozen O'Connor
Dentons
Jenner & Block

Capital Markets

Cleary Gottlieb
Kirkland & Ellis
Latham & Watkins
Paul Weiss
Simpson Thacher

Class Action

Cohen Milstein
Covington & Burling
DiCello Levitt
Edelson PC
Hagens Berman
Kirkland & Ellis

Competition

Berger Montague
Cravath
Dechert
Morgan Lewis
Skadden
WilmerHale

Compliance

Covington & Burling
Paul Hastings
Sidley Austin
Sullivan & Cromwell

Construction

Bradley Arant
Greenberg Traurig

Jones Day
King & Spalding
Schiff Hardin

Cybersecurity

Cooley
DiCello Levitt
Edelson PC
Latham & Watkins
Robbins Geller

Employment

Gibson Dunn
Jones Day
Keker Van Nest
Orrick
Outten & Golden
Seyfarth Shaw

Energy

Baker Botts
Gibson Dunn
Kirkland & Ellis
Latham & Watkins
Simpson Thacher

Environmental

Baron & Budd
Beveridge & Diamond
Bracewell
Cohen Milstein
Hunton Andrews Kurth

Fintech

Davis Polk
O'Melveny
Sidley Austin
Skadden
White & Case

Fund Formation

Debevoise
Fried Frank
Paul Weiss
Simpson Thacher
Weil Gotshal

Government Contracts

Arnold & Porter
Covington & Burling
Crowell & Moring
Wiley Rein

Health Care

Bass Berry
Jones Day
Ropes & Gray

Hospitality

DLA Piper
Greenberg Traurig

Immigration

Mintz Levin

Insurance

Morgan Lewis

O'Melveny

Pillsbury

Reed Smith

Steptoe & Johnson

Intellectual Property

Debevoise

Fish & Richardson

Irell & Manella

Kirkland & Ellis

Mayer Brown

Quinn Emanuel

International Arbitration

Foley Hoag

Hughes Hubbard

King & Spalding

Sidley Austin

Squire Patton Boggs

International Trade

Crowell & Moring

Hogan Lovells

Kelley Drye

Sidley Austin

Wiley Rein

Life Sciences

Arnold & Porter

Cohen Milstein

Covington & Burling

Dechert

Gibson Dunn

Media & Entertainment

Davis Wright Tremaine

Gibson Dunn

Munger Tolles

O'Melveny

Mergers & Acquisitions

Cleary Gottlieb

Latham & Watkins

Simpson Thacher

Skadden

Wachtell

Private Equity

Davis Polk

Latham & Watkins

Paul Weiss

Ropes & Gray

Simpson Thacher

Product Liability

Baum Hedlund
Covington & Burling
King & Spalding
Motley Rice
Skadden
Sullivan & Cromwell

Project Finance

Mayer Brown
Morgan Lewis
O'Melveny
Orrick
White & Case

Real Estate

Dechert
DLA Piper
Fried Frank
Kirkland & Ellis
Kramer Levin
Paul Hastings

Securities

Bernstein Litowitz
Cohen Milstein
Latham & Watkins
Paul Weiss
Robbins Geller
Sullivan & Cromwell

Sports & Betting

Latham & Watkins
Sullivan & Cromwell
Wilkinson Stekloff
Winston & Strawn

Structured Finance

Dechert
Kasowitz Benson
King & Spalding
Mayer Brown
Sidley Austin

Tax

Baker McKenzie
Cravath
Davis Polk
Eversheds Sutherland
Skadden

Technology

Covington & Burling
Simpson Thacher
Wachtell

Telecommunications

DLA Piper
Sullivan & Cromwell
Wiley Rein

Transportation

Crowell & Moring
Hogan Lovells
Mayer Brown

Trials

Gibson Dunn
Irell & Manella
Kirkland & Ellis
Quinn Emanuel
Skadden

White Collar

Covington & Burling
Dechert
Jones Day
Sullivan & Cromwell

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