

81 Fredrikson & Byron Attorneys Listed in The Best Lawyers in America© 2020

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81 Fredrikson & Byron attorneys were included in *The Best Lawyers in America*© 2020.

Five of these Fredrikson attorneys were also named a “Lawyer of the Year” by *Best Lawyers*®. Only one attorney in each practice area and designated metropolitan area is honored as the “Lawyer of the Year.”

Best Lawyers 2020 “Lawyer of the Year”

- J. Marc Ward, *Best Lawyers*® 2020 – Closely Held Companies and Family Business Law “Lawyer of the Year” in Des Moines
- Patrick D. Smith, *Best Lawyers*® 2020 Litigation – Labor and Employment “Lawyer of the Year” in Des Moines
- Philip S. Bubb, *Best Lawyers*® 2020 Litigation – Construction “Lawyer of the Year” in Des Moines
- John M. Koneck, *Best Lawyers*® 2020 Litigation – Real Estate “Lawyer of the Year” in Minneapolis
- Terrence J. Fleming, *Best Lawyers*® 2020 – Bet-the-Company Litigation “Lawyer of the Year” in Minneapolis

The Best Lawyers in America 2020

Bismarck, North Dakota

- Lawrence Bender – Energy Law, Natural Resources Law, Oil and Gas Law
- William P. Pearce – Energy Law, Natural Resources Law, Oil and Gas Law

Des Moines, Iowa

- Philip S. Bubb – Litigation – Construction
- Bret A. Dublinske – Communications Law, Energy Regulatory Law
- Bridget R. Penick – Employment Law – Management, Immigration Law, Labor Law – Management, Litigation – Labor and Employment

- Emily S. Pontius – Employment Law – Management, Litigation – Labor and Employment
- Patrick D. Smith – Litigation – Labor and Employment
- J. Marc Ward – Banking and Finance Law, Business Organizations (including LLCs and Partnerships), Closely Held Companies and Family Businesses Law, Corporate Law, Financial Services Regulation Law, Mergers and Acquisitions Law

Fargo, North Dakota

- Kristy L. Albrecht – Employment Law – Management
- William L. Guy III – Trusts and Estates
- Todd E. Zimmerman – Bet-the-Company Litigation, Commercial Litigation, Litigation – Banking and Finance, Litigation – Real Estate, Litigation – Securities, Product Liability Litigation – Defendants

Minneapolis, Minnesota

- James L. Baillie – Bankruptcy and Creditor Debtor Rights / Insolvency and Reorganization Law, Litigation – Bankruptcy
- Steven Beck – Health Care Law
- Brian T. Benkstein – Employment Law - Management
- Frank B. Bennett – Mergers and Acquisitions Law
- Jeffrey R. Benson – Real Estate Law
- Robert C. Boisvert – Employment Law – Management
- James Brand – Bankruptcy and Creditor Debtor Rights / Insolvency and Reorganization Law
- William J. Brody – Litigation – Trusts and Estates, Non-Profit / Charities Law, Trusts and Estates
- Christina K. Brusven – Administrative / Regulatory Law
- David P. Bunde – Commercial Litigation
- Joseph J. Cassioppi – Litigation – Trusts and Estates
- Bronwen L. Cound – Trusts and Estates
- Clinton E. Cutler – Bankruptcy and Creditor Debtor Rights / Insolvency and Reorganization Law, Litigation – Bankruptcy
- Laura J. Danielson – Immigration Law
- Joseph T. Dixon, III – Commercial Litigation
- Christopher J. Dolan – Real Estate Law
- James E. Dorsey – Commercial Litigation, Land Use and Zoning Law
- John E. Drawz – Eminent Domain and Condemnation Law

- Judy S. Engel – Family Law
- John J. Erhart – Tax Law
- Grant D. Fairbairn – Litigation – Intellectual Property
- Linda H. Fisher – Environmental Law, Land Use and Zoning Law
- Terrence J. Fleming – Bet-the-Company Litigation, Commercial Litigation, Litigation – Bankruptcy, Litigation – Securities
- Dulce J. Foster – Criminal Defense: White-Collar
- Lora Friedemann – Litigation – Intellectual Property
- David B. Gollin – Litigation – Trusts and Estates, Trusts and Estates
- Kevin P. Goodno – Government Relations Practice
- Karen L. Grandstrand – Banking and Finance Law, Financial Services Regulation Law
- Mark W. Greiner – Litigation – Trusts and Estates, Trusts and Estates
- David C. Grorud – Corporate Law, Mergers and Acquisitions Law, Securities / Capital Markets Law, Securities Regulation
- John R. Houston – Corporate Governance Law, Corporate Law, Mergers and Acquisitions Law
- Christopher B. Hunt – Litigation – Trusts and Estates, Trusts and Estates
- Loan T. Huynh – Immigration Law
- Leigh-Erin Irons – Mergers and Acquisitions Law
- Steven Z. Kaplan – Litigation and Controversy – Tax
- Gregory E. Karpenko – Commercial Litigation, Medical Malpractice Law – Defendants
- Sean P. Kearney – Mergers and Acquisitions Law, Tax Law
- John M. Koneck – Litigation – Real Estate, Mortgage Banking Foreclosure Law, Real Estate Law
- Mary M. Krakow – Employment Law – Management
- Kenneth S. Levinson – Litigation and Controversy – Tax, Tax Law
- Keith A. Libbey – Corporate Law, Mergers and Acquisitions Law
- Debra J. Linder – Employee Benefits (ERISA) Law
- Patrick D.J. Mahlberg – Administrative / Regulatory Law
- David R. Marshall – Commercial Litigation, Litigation – Banking and Finance
- Brian S. McCool – Real Estate Law
- Sjur Midness – Banking and Finance Law
- Ryan G. Miest – Mergers and Acquisitions Law
- Thomas R. Muck – Litigation and Controversy – Tax

- Ryan T. Murphy – Bankruptcy and Creditor Debtor Rights / Insolvency and Reorganization Law, Litigation – Bankruptcy
- Sue Ann Nelson – Litigation and Controversy – Tax
- Kurt J. Niederluecke – Litigation – Intellectual Property
- John G. Patterson – Litigation – Construction
- Steven J. Quam – Eminent Domain and Condemnation Law
- Anne M. Radolinski – Employment Law – Management, Litigation – Labor and Employment
- Mary S. Ranum – Real Estate Law
- Robert K. Ranum – Corporate Law, Mergers and Acquisitions Law
- Simon C. Root – Mergers and Acquisitions Law
- Melodie R. Rose – Securities / Capital Markets Law
- Howard A. Roston – Eminent Domain and Condemnation Law
- Mark D. Savin – Eminent Domain and Condemnation Law
- Karen G. Schanfield – Employment Law – Management, Labor Law – Management
- Dale J. Schoonover – Litigation – Trusts and Estates, Trusts and Estates
- Cameron R. Seybolt – Trusts and Estates
- Joseph M. Sokolowski – Litigation – Labor and Employment
- John H. Stout – Corporate Governance Law
- Teresa M. Thompson – Employment Law – Management, Litigation – Labor and Employment
- Robert B. Whitlock – Banking and Finance Law
- Thomas R. Wilhelmy – Litigation and Controversy – Tax
- Todd A. Wind – Commercial Litigation, Litigation – Antitrust
- John F. Wurm – Corporate Law

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