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Following is a list of the attorneys named and the areas in which they are recognized:

**Fort Lauderdale**
- Gary M. Bagliebter: Commercial Litigation, Criminal Defense: White-Collar, Litigation – Banking and Finance
- Brendan Aloysius Barry: Real Estate Law
- Marshall J. Emas: Real Estate Law
- Joseph M. Goldstein: Administrative/Regulatory Law
- Sandra E. Krumbein: Real Estate Law
- Edward J. O'Sheehan: Litigation—Bankruptcy

**Miami**
- Alfred G. Smith: Corporate Law
- Arthur J. Furia: Banking and Finance Law, Corporate Law
- Bryan S. Wells: Banking and Finance Law
- Gary J. Cohen: Tax Law
- Donald Wasil: Real Estate Law
- Jeffrey M. Landau: Insurance Law
- John E. Meagher: Insurance Law, Personal Injury Litigation - Defendants
- Joseph D. Bolton: Real Estate Law
- Kevin D. Cowan: Real Estate Law
- Lee D. Mackson: Bankruptcy and Creditor Debtor Rights/Insolvency and Reorganization Law, Litigation – Bankruptcy
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- **Luis A. de Armas**: Corporate Law, International Trade and Finance Law, Mergers and Acquisitions Law
- **Margaret A. Rolando**: Real Estate Law
- **Rene J. Gonzalez-Llorens**: Employment Law – Management
- **Robert G. Fracasso**: Bankruptcy and Creditor Debtor Rights/Insolvency and Reorganization Law
- **Sheila M. Cesarano**: Employment Law – Management, Labor Law – Management
- **Stephen B. Gillman**: Commercial Litigation, Litigation – Antitrust, Litigation – Banking and Finance, Litigation—Securities
- **Michael Jay Rune II**: Construction Law
- **Steven M. Ebner**: Commercial Litigation
- **William F. Smith**: Banking and Finance Law
- **Thomas Cookson**: Corporate Law, Securities/Capital Markets Law
- **Francis E. Rodriguez**: Corporate Law
- **Florentino L. Gonzalez**: Real Estate Law

**Orlando**

- **Andrew M. Brumby**: Bankruptcy and Creditor Debtor Rights/Insolvency and Reorganization Law, Litigation – Bankruptcy
- **Brent C. Bell**: Litigation - Construction
- **Charles Robinson Fawsett**: Employment Law – Management, Labor Law – Management, Litigation – Labor and Employment
- **Daniel T. O’Keefe**: Real Estate Law
- **Donald J. Curotto**: Litigation – Real Estate, Real Estate Law
- **Gregory Humphries**: Corporate Law
- **Jack C. McElroy**: Commercial Litigation, Litigation – Banking and Finance
- **James F. Johnston**: Government Relations Practice, Real Estate Law
- **James G. Willard**: Real Estate Law
- **Jennifer Slone Tobin**: Real Estate Law
- **John H. Dannecker**: Litigation – Construction
- **Juli Simas James**: Land Use and Zoning Law, Real Estate Law
- **Mary Ruth Houston**: Employment Law – Management, Labor Law – Management, Litigation – Labor and Employment
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- Michael J. Grindstaff: Litigation – Real Estate, Real Estate Law
- Michael L. Gore: Litigation – Banking and Finance
- Roderick N. Jones: Banking and Finance Law
- Todd F. Kobrin: Litigation – Construction
- Charles B. Costar III: Land Use and Zoning Law, Real Estate Law
- Michael Crosbie: Litigation—Intellectual Property
- Russell P. Hintze: Mergers and Acquisitions Law, Tax Law
- Jason G. Williams: Real Estate Law

Sarasota
- John Patterson: Real Estate Law

Tampa
- Eric S. Adams: Commercial Litigation
- Lonnie L. Simpson: Commercial Litigation
- Mark P. Rankin: Criminal Defense: General Practice, Criminal Defense: White-Collar
- Olga M. Pina: Corporate Law
- Alan Higbee: Agriculture Law, Corporate Compliance Law, Corporate Governance Law, Corporate Law, Mergers and Acquisitions Law
- Robert H. Waltuch: Trusts and Estates
- Steven K. Barber: Employee Benefits (ERISA) Law
- Timothy D. Woodward: Construction Law
- Tirso M. Carreja, Jr.: Commercial Litigation
- Suzanne Labrit: Commercial Litigation
- Michael P. Silver: Commercial Litigation
- Adam S. Woodruff: Corporate Law
- Brian K. Wright: Health Care Law
- Meredith Freeman: Litigation—Construction, Litigation—Real Estate
West Palm Beach

- Alfred A. LaSorte, Jr.: Commercial Litigation, Litigation – Real Estate
- Arnold L. Berman: Commercial Litigation
- Arthur J. Menor: Real Estate Law
- David A. Gart: Trusts and Estates
- Lee Worsham: Environmental Law, Litigation – Environmental
- Eric C. Christu: Commercial Litigation
- James A. Farrell: Health Care Law
- Patricia A. Leonard: Commercial Litigation, Litigation—Banking and Finance
- Raymond W. Royce: Land Use and Zoning Law, Real Estate Law
- Steven R. Parson: Real Estate Law
- Hank Jackson: Litigation—Intellectual Property

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