

LEWIS ROCA LAWYERS RECOGNIZED AS *THE BEST LAWYERS IN AMERICA*® 2024

Honors & Recognitions

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PHOENIX (August 17, 2023) – Lewis Roca announced more than 100 lawyers have been named as *Best Lawyers*. The firm has eight lawyers named “Lawyer of the Year” by *The Best Lawyers in America*® 2024 and 87 lawyers recognized as *The Best Lawyers in America*® 2024. The firm also has 19 lawyers who have been named *The Best Lawyers in America*® Ones to Watch for 2024.

Lewis Roca Lawyers Named “Lawyer of The Year”:

Phoenix, AZ

- Bryant D. Barber - Municipal Law
- Jennifer A. Van Kirk - Copyright Law, Trademark Law

Las Vegas, NV

- Daniel F. Polsenberg - Appellate Practice

Denver, CO

- Frederick J. Baumann - Litigation - Securities

Tucson, AZ

- Lewis D. Schorr - Real Estate Law
- Matthew C. Sweger - Corporate Law
- Rob Charles - Bankruptcy and Creditor Debtor Rights / Insolvency and Reorganization Law, Litigation - Bankruptcy

Albuquerque, NM

- Ross L. Crown - Construction Law

Lewis Roca *Best Lawyers* 2023:

Professionals

- Amy E. Altshuler
- Edwin A. Barkel
- Trevor G. Bartel
- Nick Bauman
- Frederick J. Baumann
- Kendra N. Beckwith
- Gary Bendinger
- David M. Bixby
- John E. Bragonje
- Stephen M. Bressler
- Michael Charles Brown
- Ogonna M. Brown
- Scott M. Browning
- Chad S. Caby
- Tyler J. Carrell
- John Carson
- A. Joseph Chandler
- Samuel S. Chang
- Rob Charles
- Emily Charlesworth
- Brent R. Cohen
- Howard E. Cole
- Joshua G. Crandell
- Ross L. Crown
- Michael J. Curry
- Dale A. Danneman
- Pat Derdenger
- Scott D. DeWald
- Thomas J. Dougherty
- Todd Feltus
- Susan M. Freeman
- Jessica L. Fuller
- Jason C. Furedy
- Garrett D. Gordon

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Colorado Springs, CO

- William Mahaffey - Tax Law

Denver, CO

- Trevor G. Bartel - Commercial Litigation, Real Estate Law
- Frederick J. Baumann - Bet-the-Company Litigation, Commercial Litigation, Litigation - Regulatory Enforcement (SEC, Telecom, Energy), Litigation - Securities
- Kendra N. Beckwith - Appellate Practice, Commercial Litigation
- Scott M. Browning - Commercial Litigation, Construction Law
- Chad S. Caby - Bankruptcy and Creditor Debtor Rights / Insolvency and Reorganization Law, Litigation - Bankruptcy
- Emily Charlesworth - Real Estate Law
- Brent R. Cohen - Bankruptcy and Creditor Debtor Rights / Insolvency and Reorganization Law
- Thomas J. Dougherty II - Administrative / Regulatory Law, Eminent Domain and Condemnation Law
- Jessica L. Fuller - Commercial Litigation, Insurance Law
- Abby Harder - Commercial Litigation
- David D. Harrell - Litigation - Intellectual Property
- Kris Kostolansky - Commercial Litigation, Litigation - Labor and Employment
- Gregory D. Leibold - Patent Law
- Darren Lemieux - Commercial Litigation
- James M. Lyons - Arbitration, Bet-the-Company Litigation, Commercial Litigation, Criminal Defense: White-Collar, Mediation
- Jay Mankamyler - Real Estate Law
- Ben M. Ochoa - Litigation - Real Estate
- Michael D. Plachy - Mass Tort Litigation / Class Actions - Defendants
- Brian Spano - Commercial Litigation
- Susan Strebel Sperber - Commercial Litigation
- Abby Harder
- David D. Harrell
- Stephen M. Hart
- Frances J. Haynes
- Dietrich C. Hoefner
- Jennifer K. Hostetler
- Steve Hulsman
- J. Christopher Jorgensen
- Lawrence A. Kasten
- Sivan R. Korn
- Robert Kort
- Kris J. Kostolansky
- Dale (Malani) Kotchka-Alanes
- Jimmy Y. Kwun
- Peter A. Larson
- Gregory D. Leibold
- Darren J. Lemieux
- Glenn J. Light
- Laura A. Lo Bianco
- Karen Jurichko Lowell
- James M. Lyons
- Scott Y. MacTaggart
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- Jack "Jay" Mankamyler II
- Kristen L. Martini
- Paul A. Matteoni
- Michael J. McCue
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- Linda M. Mitchell
- Ben M. Ochoa
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- Mark D. Patton
- Michael J. Phalen
- Michael D. Plachy
- Daniel F. Polsenberg
- John M. Rawicz
- Adam Reich
- E. Leif Reid
- Foster Robberson

- Douglas B. Tumminello - Commercial Litigation, Product Liability Litigation - Defendants
- James R. Walker - Litigation - Trusts and Estates, Litigation and Controversy - Tax, Nonprofit / Charities Law, Tax Law, Trusts and Estates
- Karen L. Witt - Business Organizations (including LLCs and Partnerships), Corporate Law

Glendale, CA

- Brian G. Arnold - Litigation - Intellectual Property, Litigation - Patent
- John Carson - Trademark Law

Las Vegas, NV

- John E. Bragonje - Arbitration, Commercial Litigation
- Ogonna M. Brown - Bankruptcy and Creditor Debtor Rights / Insolvency and Reorganization Law, Commercial Litigation
- Howard E. Cole - Employment Law - Management, Labor Law - Management, Litigation - Labor and Employment
- Jennifer K. Hostetler - Employment Law - Management, Litigation - Labor and Employment
- Christopher Jorgensen - Commercial Litigation
- Glenn J. Light - Gaming Law
- Scott Y. MacTaggart - Corporate Law
- Michael J. McCue - Copyright Law, Litigation - Intellectual Property, Litigation - Patent, Trademark Law
- Daniel F. Polsenberg - Appellate Practice, Bet-the-Company Litigation, Commercial Litigation
- Karl F. Rutledge - Gaming Law
- Dan R. Waite - Litigation - Banking and Finance
- Meng Zhong - Litigation - Intellectual Property

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- Stephen M. Bressler - Insurance Law, Mass Tort Litigation / Class Actions - Defendants, Product Liability Litigation - Defendants
- Joseph Chandler - Real Estate Law
- Samuel Sungjin Chang - Real Estate Law
- Dale A. Danneman - Bet-the-Company Litigation, Commercial Litigation, Litigation - Antitrust, Litigation - Intellectual Property, Litigation - Patent, Litigation - Securities
- Patrick Derdenger - Litigation and Controversy - Tax, Tax Law
- Scott D. DeWald - Corporate Law, Mergers and Acquisitions Law, Securities / Capital Markets Law
- Todd Feltus - Commercial Litigation, Litigation - Banking and Finance
- Susan M. Freeman - Appellate Practice, Bankruptcy and Creditor Debtor Rights / Insolvency and Reorganization Law, Bet-the-Company Litigation, Litigation - Bankruptcy
- Jason C. Furedy - Corporate Law
- Stephen M. Hart - Gaming Law, Native American Law
- Frances J. Haynes - Commercial Litigation, Construction Law, Litigation - Construction, Real Estate Law
- Steven J. Hulsman - Insurance Law, Personal Injury Litigation - Plaintiffs
- Lawrence A. Kasten - Appellate Practice
- John K. Kim - Copyright Law, Trademark Law
- Robert Kort - Commercial Litigation, Health Care Law
- Peter A. Larson - Native American Law
- Laura A. Lo Bianco - Corporate Law, Nonprofit / Charities Law
- Linda M. Mitchell - Real Estate Law
- Kevin Olson - Corporate Law
- Laura Pasqualone - Litigation - Labor and Employment
- Michael J. Phalen - Land Use and Zoning Law, Real Estate Law
- John M. Rawicz - Real Estate Law
- Adam Reich - Commercial Litigation, Litigation - Insurance
- Foster Robberson - Product Liability Litigation - Defendants

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- Nancy L. White - Corporate Law

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- Leif Reid - Commercial Litigation, Litigation - Real Estate

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- Sivan R. Korn - Commercial Litigation, Trade Secrets Law
- Mark D. Patton - Mergers and Acquisitions Law, Real Estate Law
- Andrew D. Schorr - Real Estate Law
- Lewis D. Schorr - Real Estate Law
- Matthew C. Sweger - Banking and Finance Law, Corporate Law

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- Drew Wilson - Intellectual Property Law

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- Abraham G. Smith - Appellate Practice

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- Michael Charles Brown - Construction Law, Litigation - Real Estate
- Tyler J. Carrell - Real Estate Law
- Michael J. Curry - Patent Law
- Karen Jurichko Lowell - Tax Law
- Molly A. Magestro - Real Estate Law
- Jacob Schellinger - Native American Law
- Amanda L. Thatcher - Closely Held Companies and Family Businesses Law, Tax Law, Trusts and Estates
- Nicole G. True - Employee Benefits (ERISA) Law, Insurance Law, Medical Malpractice Law - Defendants

Reno, NV

- Nicole Scott - Commercial Litigation

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- Joshua Crandell - Real Estate Law
- Jason R. Simon - Banking and Finance Law

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