

# Former DEA Attorney Jason Hedges Joins Hogan Lovells

## *News*

Jason Hedges joins law firm Hogan Lovells in Washington D.C. as a partner in the Government Regulatory practice group, focusing his work in the Pharmaceuticals and Biotechnology Regulatory Practice.

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# Manatt Adds Former African Development Bank General Counsel Kalidou Gadio in Washington, D.C.

## *News*

Manatt, Phelps & Phillips, LLP, announced that Kalidou Gadio has joined the firm's Washington, D.C., office as a partner and co-chair of its Africa and Middle East/North Africa (MENA) practice.

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# Valin Woodward Joins Langley

# **& Banack in New Braunfels, Texas Office**

## **News**

Valin L. Woodward has joined Langley & Banack, Inc. in its New Braunfels, Texas office. Woodward is a native of New Braunfels and an active member of the community.

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# **Former FTC Chairman Timothy J. Muris Joins Sidley in Washington, D.C.**

## **News**

Former FTC chairman Timothy J. Muris has joined Sidley Austin LLP as senior counsel in the firm's Antitrust/Competition practice.

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# **Hogan Lovells Confirms 2017 Board Appointments**

## **News**

Hogan Lovells has recently modified its board. Bruce Oakley has been elected to represent The Americas, Leopold von Gerlach has been re-elected to represent Continental Europe representative and Ben Higson will continue to hold the 45 and

under seat.

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## **John Rah joins DLA Piper's Litigation practice in Washington, DC**

### ***News***

DLA Piper announced that healthcare and life sciences compliance lawyer John Rah has joined the firm's Litigation practice as a partner in Washington, DC.

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## **17th Annual Women's Advocacy Awards May 10 in Dallas**

### ***Event, May 10, 6-8 p.m.***

Legal Aid of Northwest Texas will present the 17th Annual Women's Advocacy Awards on Wednesday, May 10, 2017, at Arlington Hall at Lee Park, 3333 Turtle Creek Blvd. in Dallas.

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# Winston & Strawn Adds Three Partners in Dallas

## *News*

Winston & Strawn LLP has added three more partners to its litigation team in the firm's recently opened Dallas office.

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# Barnes & Thornburg Expands Real Estate Practice in Dallas

## *News*

Will Russ has joined Barnes & Thornburg LLP in its Dallas office as a partner in the Real Estate Department.

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# Litigator Raphael Larson Joins DLA Piper in DC

## *News*

DLA Piper announced that Raphael Larson has joined the firm's litigation practice group as a partner in Washington, DC.



# Incubator to Provide Counsel for Emerging Businesses

## News

The program includes participation from lawyers across multiple specialty areas, including intellectual property, labor and employment, tax and corporate, and provides startups access to seasoned legal counsel at a price that is scaled based on growth.

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# Buchalter Adds Four Lawyers to New Sacramento Office, Brings Total to 13 in New Office

## News

Buchalter announces it has added four additional lawyers to its growing Sacramento office from LeClair Ryan. Robert McWhorter joins as a shareholder, Kevin Collins joins as of counsel, and Jacqueline Vu and Jarrett Osborne both join as associates.

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# Hogan Lovells Adds to Global M&A and Tech Practice in Northern California

## *News*

Hogan Lovells announced it will add high-profile M&A partners Richard Climan, Keith Flaum and Jane Ross, and IP and technology transactions partner John Brockland to its global corporate team.

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# Carey Gunn Venditti Joins DLA Piper's Real Estate Practice in Austin

## *News*

Carey Gunn Venditti has joined the DLA Piper's realEstate practice as a partner in the Austin office. Venditti joins the firm from Greenberg Traurig where she was a shareholder.

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# Dallas-Based Bailey Brauer Earns Spot Among BTI's 'Best

# Branded' Law Firms

## *News*

Dallas-based litigation boutique Bailey Brauer PLLC has been recognized by BTI Consulting Group as one of the law firms with the “best brand standing” in the country, based on a survey of corporate counsel and executives at the world’s largest organizations.

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# Akerman Adds Land Use Lawyer Jack George and Team in Chicago

## *News*

A former assistant attorney general and assistant corporation counsel for the City of Chicago, Jack George joins from Schuyler, Roche & Crisham P.C.

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## **Julie Campanini Joins Magna Legal Services**

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Julie Campanini has joined Magna Legal Services as a senior litigation consultant in its New York office.