

# Neal Gerber Eisenberg Expands IP Group, Adding Olivia Luk Bedi as Partner

## *News*

Neal, Gerber & Eisenberg LLP expanded its intellectual property practice with the addition of partner Olivia Luk Bedi, formerly a shareholder with the boutique intellectual property firm Niro Law.

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# Buchalter Adds to New Japan Practice Group

## *News*

Buchalter announced that it has added Masahisa (“Masa”) Mitsunaga to the firm’s Los Angeles office, where he is a member of the Corporate, Intellectual Property and Japan practice groups.

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# Lex Machina Expands Legal Analytics Platform to Cover

# Antitrust Litigation

## **News**

The new module enables attorneys to make data-driven decisions about federal antitrust case strategies and tactics and gives lawyers a competitive advantage in antitrust litigation

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## Why Are They Calling These Women Big?

### **News**

Dallas litigation boutique Estes Thorne & Carr PLLC has been recognized among the 100 largest women-owned businesses in North Texas by the *Dallas Business Journal*.

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## Goodell DeVries Wins Tier One Rankings in U.S. News Best Law Firms

### **News**

Goodell DeVries Received Tier One Rankings on the 2017 U.S. News & World Report and Best Lawyers® “Best Law Firm” List.

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# Herbert Smith Freehills' New York Office Hires First LatAm Project Finance Partner

## *News*

Edward Dougherty is joining Herbert Smith Freehills as a partner in New York focusing on project finance, trade finance and syndicated lending in the infrastructure, mining, power, oil & gas and financial sectors across Latin America.

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# Partner Luis Zambrano, Senior Counsel Sarah Bradbury Join Estes Thorne & Carr

## *News*

Dallas litigation boutique Estes Thorne & Carr PLLC has added trial lawyer Luis Zambrano as partner and former in-house counsel Sarah Bradbury as senior counsel.

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# Orsinger, Nelson, Downing & Anderson Earns National Best Law Firms Honors

## *News*

For the first time, family law boutique Orsinger, Nelson, Downing & Anderson, LLP, has earned both national and metropolitan Best Law Firms honors in three practice areas from U.S. News & World Report and The Best Lawyers in America.

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# Patent Attorney Steve Levine Joins Dallas-based Carrington Coleman

## *News*

Carrington, Coleman, Sloman & Blumenthal, LLP, is expanding its intellectual property practice with the addition of patent attorney Stephen L. Levine.

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# AZA Named to Best Law Firms in U.S. List For Fifth Year

## *News*

The commercial litigation and intellectual property firm

Ahmad, Zavitsanos, Anaipakos, Alavi & Mensing P.C., or AZA, is being recognized among the nation's Best Law Firms by *U.S. News & World Report* and *The Best Lawyers in America*.

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## **Quarles & Brady Partner Receives Niels Friedrichs Legacy Award**

### **News**

W. David Braun, partner in Quarles & Brady's Chicago office, will receive the Niels Friedrichs Legacy Award from the German-American Chamber of Commerce of the Midwest (GACC Midwest).

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## **Godwin Bowman & Martinez Promotes Two to Shareholder, One to Senior Counsel**

### **News**

Godwin Bowman & Martinez PC announced the promotion of senior attorneys Elisaveta "Leiza" Dolghih and Laci Bowman to shareholders and Stefanie Major McGregor to senior counsel, effective Nov. 1.

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# **Marcos G. Ronquillo Joins Renamed Fishman Jackson Ronquillo in Dallas**

## ***News***

Business law and trial attorney Marcos G. Ronquillo has joined Fishman Jackson, PLLC, as a name partner in the newly renamed Fishman Jackson Ronquillo, PLLC, in Dallas.

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# **Farrell Fritz Receives Tier 1 Ranking in U.S. News Law Firm Ranking**

## ***News***

For the fifth consecutive year, Farrell Fritz has received a Tier 1 Ranking by Best Lawyers. The listing will be in the 2017 Edition of U.S. News – Best Lawyers’ “Best Law Firms.”

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# **Matthew T. Connelly and**

# Martin Syvertsen Join Freeborn as Litigators

## **News**

Matthew T. Connelly and Martin Syvertsen have joined Freeborn & Peters LLP in Chicago as associates in the Litigation Practice Group.

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# D'Arcy Conrique New Senior Advisor at Barnes & Thornburg

## **News**

D'Arcy Conrique, a 27-year-veteran of the international film industry, has joined Barnes & Thornburg LLP in its entertainment practice.

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# Hankinson Among Benchmark Litigation's Top Texas Appellate Attorneys

## **News**

Dallas lawyer Deborah Hankinson has earned recognition in *Benchmark Litigation* as a Local Litigation Star among Texas appellate attorneys.

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# Hogan Lovells and Fujian Fidelity Law Firm Join in Shanghai FTZ

## *News*

Global law firm Hogan Lovells and Fujian Fidelity Law Firm have entered into a formal association in the China (Shanghai) Free Trade Zone.

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# DLA Piper Adds White-Collar Partner Matthew Graves in Washington, DC

## *News*

Matthew Graves has joined DLA Piper's Litigation and White Collar practices as a partner in Washington, DC. Graves previously served as the acting chief of the Fraud and Public Corruption Section at the DC US Attorney's Office.

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# Paul Matecki Joins Greensfelder Securities & Financial Services Industry Group

## *News*

Paul Matecki has joined Greensfelder, Hemker & Gale, P.C. in St. Louis as of counsel and a member of the firm's Securities & Financial Services industry group.