

# AZA Names Nine New Hires

## NEWS

Houston-based Ahmad, Zavitsanos, Anaipakos, Alavi & Mensing has added nine attorneys.

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# Trial Lawyer Regina Rodriguez Joins Hogan Lovells in Denver

## NEWS

Hogan Lovells announces that Regina (Gina) Rodriguez has joined the Litigation and Arbitration Practice Group as a partner in the firm's Denver office.

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# Rose•Walker Law Firm Adds Attorney Faith Eaton in Dallas

## NEWS

The national trial and business law firm Rose•Walker LLP has added attorney Faith Eaton in the firm's Dallas office.

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# Rudy Giuliani Leaves Bracewell's for New Crisis Management Role

## **NEWS**

Former New York City mayor Rudy Giuliani is leaving Houston-based Bracewell Giuliani to joining New York-based Greenberg Traurig as global chair of their cybersecurity and crisis management practice.

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# Schiff Hardin Adds Financial Markets Partner in New York

## **NEWS**

Schiff Hardin LLP announces that Domenick Pugliese has joined the firm's New York office as a partner in the Financial Markets and Products Group.

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# Wilson Elser Opens New Orleans Office with Lisa Africk at the Helm

## **NEWS**

National law firm Wilson Elser announced the opening of a New

Orleans office, the firm's 30th U.S. office and the fourth opened in the past 12 months.

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## **Texas Law Firm GODWIN PC Names R. Alan York Managing Shareholder, COO**

### **NEWS**

GODWIN PC has named Houston appellate attorney and firm President R. Alan York as Managing Shareholder and Chief Operating Officer, effective January 6, 2016.

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## **Former Judge Jonathan Lippman Joins Latham & Watkins in New York**

### **NEWS**

Lippman retired as Chief Judge of the State of New York and Chief Judge of the New York Court of Appeals last month after a four-decade career, including service in both trial and appellate courts.

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# Patrice B. Childress Elected to Beck Redden Partnership

## **NEWS**

Patrice B. Childress has been elected to the partnership of Beck Redden LLP.

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# Schiff Hardin Welcomes Tax Associate in Ann Arbor

Schiff Hardin LLP announced that Marcy Rosen has joined the firm's Ann Arbor, Michigan office as an associate in the Tax Group.

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# Whistleblower Law Firm Selects iCONNECT-XERA Doc Review

## **NEWS**

Personal injury and whistleblower law firm Waters Kraus & Paul has selected XERA e-discovery software by iCONNECT to help manage the firm's e-discovery.

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# Segal McCambridge Shareholder Named One of the '40 Illinois Attorneys Under 40 to Watch'

Segal McCambridge Singer & Mahoney, Ltd. attorney Misty Martin has been included in the 2015 edition of 40 Illinois Attorneys Under Forty to Watch, published by the *Chicago Daily Law Bulletin*.

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# Robert C. Creighton Elected Managing Partner at Farrell Fritz

## **NEWS**

Robert C. Creighton has been named managing partner of Farrell Fritz, effective Jan. 1, 2016.

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# Kennedy Law Opens Houston

# Office and Hires Two New Attorneys

## **NEWS**

Kennedy Law L.L.P. has opened its second Texas office in Houston and has hired two new partners.

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# Culhane Meadows Expands to Houston, Adds 9 Lateral Texas Partners

## **NEWS**

Culhane Meadows is one of the nation's largest non-traditional law firms and has announced its expansion into the Houston market plus the addition of nine lateral partners to its Texas offices.

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# Former Dallas Judge Marilea Lewis Joins Family Law Boutique

## **NEWS**

Family law practitioners Marilea Lewis and Lon Loveless have joined Texas-based family law boutique Orsinger, Nelson,

## **Gardere Earns National Recognition in 2016 'Best Law Firms' Rankings**

### **NEWS**

Gardere Wynne Sewell LLP has been ranked in the 2016 edition of U.S. News & World Report and Best Lawyers "Best Law Firms."

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## **Akerman Combines Practices to Launch National Fraud and Recovery Team**

### **NEWS**

The firm said the new team leverages the combined strengths of lawyers from the firm's litigation, healthcare, bankruptcy, and data law practices.

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# Wilson Elser Grows Texas Region with 11 Attorneys and New Beaumont Office

## **NEWS**

Wilson Elser has grown its presence in Texas, adding nine attorneys to its Houston office and opening a Beaumont office with two attorneys.

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# U.S. News & World Report Names DLA Piper 'Law Firm of the Year' in Franchise Law

## **NEWS**

DLA Piper has been recognized the firm as the 2016 Law Firm of the Year in Franchise Law in the newest edition of U.S. News – Best Lawyers “Best Law Firms.”