

# Practical and Ethical Issues for Attorneys Practicing Dual Occupations

## *Insight*

Engaging in a second occupation may appeal to some attorneys, but lawyers must always consider the practical and ethical challenges involved with actively practicing dual occupations, advises Laura Drossman.

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# Arlene Switzer Steinfield Recognized in the Dallas 500

## *News*

Dykema Cox Smith announced that Arlene Switzer Steinfield, Dallas-based Senior Counsel in the firm's Labor and Employment Practice, was recognized in D CEO's special edition,

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# Akerman Continues New York Office Growth

## *News*

Akerman LLP, a top 100 U.S. law firm serving clients across the Americas, announced the continued expansion of its second largest office, with the addition of New York partners John

Campo and Sanford Davis.

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## **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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# 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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# 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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## **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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# **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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# **Grant Thornton LLP Legal Counsel Team Wins Four First**

# Chair Awards

## **News**

Four members of Grant Thornton LLP's Risk, Regulatory and Legal Affairs team have received First Chair Awards for excellence in legal counsel.

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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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# 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.

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## **Thomson Reuters Practical Law Launches New Podcast: ‘Down the Hall with Practical Law’**

### ***Insight***

Thomson Reuters Practical Law today launched a new podcast called “Down the Hall with Practical Law.”

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## **Litigator Craig Woods Joins Dykema’s Dental Service Organizations Industry Group in Dallas**

### ***News***

Dykema, a national law firm, announced the addition of Craig Woods to its Commercial Litigation Practice Group and Dental Service Organizations Industry Group as a member in the firm’s Dallas office.

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# **Godwin Bowman & Martinez Names Bruce W. Bowman Jr. President, Managing Shareholder**

## ***News***

Board certified commercial litigation attorney Bruce W. Bowman Jr. has been named president and managing shareholder of the Dallas-based trial and appellate law firm Godwin Bowman & Martinez PC, effective Oct. 1, 2016.

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# **Former Whitewater Counsel Robert Ray Joins Thompson & Knight in NY**

## ***News***

Robert W. Ray has joined Thompson & Knight's New York office as a partner in the Trial Practice Group.

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# **Littler Adds Two Shareholders**

# to Kansas City Office

## *News*

Little has added Jeffrey D. Hanslick and Curtis R. Summers as shareholders in the Kansas City office. The addition follows the arrival of shareholder Anthony Romano who joined the firm's Kansas City office in August.