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John's practice focuses on the representation of mutual funds, exchange-traded funds (ETFs), closed-end funds and business development companies (BDCs) and their independent board members. He advises clients on a range of matters, including the formation, operation, merger and liquidation of mutual funds, closed-end funds, ETFs, and BDCs. John has extensive experience working on transactions involving registered funds, such as adviser acquisitions, fund adoptions and product launches.

Education

- The George Washington University Law School (J.D.)
- Williams College (B.A.)
 - cum laude

Bar & Court Admissions

- District of Columbia
- New York

Awards & Honors

- *Best Lawyers in America*® (2024-2026)
- Recommended by *The Legal 500 U.S.* (2012-2013, 2016, 2018-2025)

Capabilities

- Corporate Governance & Board Advisory
- Financial Services
- Investment Advisers, Commodity Trading Advisors & Institutional Investors
- Investment Management
- Registered Funds & Independent Trustees
- Exchange-Traded Funds