

Global M&A Network Names Brandon McCoy as M&A Rising Star

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Haynes Boone Partner **Brandon McCoy** was selected by *Global M&A Network* as one of the nation's rising star M&A dealmakers from the North and South American regions.

Brandon and the other rising stars were recognized at the 13th-Annual Americas Growth & Deals Virtual Forum for their "dedication," "excellence," and "leadership qualities," according to *Global M&A Network*.

Chair of the Mergers and Acquisitions Practice Group, Brandon focuses on complex business transactions for both private and public clients in a range of industries, with a focus on mergers, acquisitions, private equity investments, and joint ventures. He also helps clients with premerger notification compliance under the Hart Scott Rodino Act.

In 2021, Brandon was included in the "Ones to Watch" category of *Best Lawyers in America*, Woodward/White, Inc., and was selected by *The Deal* as one of the nation's top M&A lawyers. Brandon is a Certified Public Accountant, and prior to attending law school, he worked as a tax accountant at Ernst & Young LLP.

Haynes Boone's M&A Practice Group has comprehensive experience handling middle-market deals, having helped clients close more than 500 transactions in the last five years, with an aggregate value exceeding \$40 billion. The firm routinely represents private equity firms, closely held corporations, founders, large financial institutions and Fortune 500 public companies. The M&A team prides itself on crafting strategic solutions that advance clients' business objectives by anticipating and evaluating the roadblocks and opportunities that clients face on the way to closing a deal successfully.

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