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Erika Labelle represents public and private businesses in transactional tax, REIT, and controversy matters. She focuses her practice on corporate and partnership tax planning and structuring, including taxable and tax-free corporate mergers, stock and asset acquisitions, reorganizations, divestitures and restructurings. She also regularly represents business entities in federal controversy matters with the Internal Revenue Service, including matters related to acquisitions, restructurings, transfer pricing, excise taxes, and research credits.

Related Professional Experience

- Washington University in St. Louis, Adjunct Professor of Advanced Corporate Taxation, Fall 2013-Spring 2017

Published Work and Lectures

- Practising Law Institute, Tax Strategies for Corporate Acquisitions, Dispositions, Spin-Offs, Joint Ventures, Financings, Reorganizations & Restructurings, Author, "Chapter 2: New Rules—Same Game Impact of Recent Legislation on Acquisition Agreement and Related Due Diligence," 2017-2024
- Denver CLE Institute, Co-Presenter, "Tax Reform: M&A Transactions and Other Issues," November 8, 2018
- Bloomberg Law, *Tax Management Memorandum*, Co-Author, "New Rules—Same Game: Impact of 2017 Tax Act on Acquisitions, Agreements, and Related Due Diligence," August 13, 2018
- Tax Executives Institute, St. Louis Chapter, Co-Presenter, "M&A Transactions After Tax Reform – Same Goal, Different Rules," March 22, 2018
- Tax Executives Institute, St. Louis Chapter, Co-Presenter, "Tax Provisions in Acquisition Agreements – Current Trends and Developments," November 18, 2016

Honors and Distinctions

Areas of Experience

Tax
Corporate Tax
Federal Tax Litigation and Controversy
Data Centers and Digital Infrastructure
Electric Vehicle Infrastructure
Telecommunications, Fiber, and Wireless Facilities Infrastructure
Project Finance and Development
Transactional Risk

Education

LL.M. in Taxation, University of Florida Levin College of Law, 2007
J.D., Saint Louis University, 2006
M.S., Purdue University, 2003
B.S., Purdue University, 2002

Admissions

Bars

Colorado
Missouri

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March 04, 2025

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January 27, 2025

Akerman Represents Hidden Harbor Capital Partners in Strategic Investment in Quaker Valley Foods
January 24, 2025

- *Best Lawyers*, 2023-2025, Listed in Colorado for Tax Law