

## People



### Josh DeBottis

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Josh DeBottis focuses his practice on project finance transactions for energy and infrastructure assets, with a particular focus on solar, wind, storage, and other clean energy assets as well as data centers. He represents lenders, investors, and sponsors in a variety of debt and tax equity investment structures, including partnership-flip and sale-leaseback transactions. Josh also represents both buyers and sellers in tax credit transfers under the Inflation Reduction Act.

### Honors and Distinctions

- *Charlotte Business Journal*, 2025, 40 Under 40 Award
- *The Legal 500*, 2023, Recommended for Energy Transactions: Electric Power
- *Best Lawyers*, 2021-2023, Listed in North Carolina for Energy Law and Project Finance Law as "One to Watch;" 2023, Listed in North Carolina for Banking and Finance Law as "One to Watch"

### Areas of Experience

Energy and Infrastructure  
Project Finance and Development  
Renewable Energy and Electric Power  
Corporate

### Education

J.D., Columbia Law School, 2012  
B.A., Duke University, 2009

### Admissions

#### Bars

North Carolina  
New York

### Related Content

Akerman Expands Recently Established Charlotte Office With Renewable Energy Partner Art Howson  
April 22, 2025

Akerman Partner Josh DeBottis Named 40 under 40 by *Charlotte Business Journal*  
April 04, 2025

Akerman Expands National Footprint with New Charlotte Office Lease  
January 27, 2025