

Press Release

U.S. News – Best Lawyers Once Again Ranks Akerman Among ‘Best Law Firms’ Nationally

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Firm Again Achieves Top Rankings in Corporate, Real Estate, and Litigation Practice Areas

Akerman LLP, a top 100 U.S. law firm serving clients across the Americas, today announced that *U.S. News – Best Lawyers* has once again recognized the firm among the “Best Law Firms” in the United States. The publication awarded Akerman with 34 national practice rankings, including Tier 1 rankings in Corporate, Real Estate, Commercial Litigation and Banking & Finance Litigation, among others.

Akerman received a record 86 Tier 1 rankings in total, including numerous Tier 1 Metropolitan Area rankings that recognize the firm’s strength in key business centers throughout the nation, including Chicago, Miami, New York, and Washington, D.C.

The *U.S. News – Best Lawyers* rankings are based on overall firm performance, client feedback, and peer recognition derived from 5.5 million evaluations from across the United States. The rankings follow the recently released 2017 version of *The Best Lawyers in America* list, which recognizes the top 4 percent of practicing lawyers in the nation. The firm once again achieved impressive results with more than 150 Akerman lawyers named to the 2017 list in 70 areas of law across the United States.

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A list of the Akerman practices ranked nationally by *U.S. News – Best Lawyers* include:

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Litigation – Construction
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For a list of Akerman practices ranked by metropolitan area, please [click here](#).

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Akerman LLP is a leading transactions and trial law firm known for its core strengths in middle market M&A, within the financial services and real estate industries, and for a diverse Latin America practice. With more than 650 lawyers and government affairs professionals and a network of 24 offices, it is ranked among the top 100 law firms in the United States by *The American Lawyer* (2016). Akerman also is ranked among the top 50 law firms for diversity in *The American Lawyer's* Diversity Scorecard (2016).