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Three Akerman Partners Recognized in *Lawyers of Color* Nation's Best List

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Darrick Hooker, Elsa Manzanares, and Michael Marsh have been recognized in *Lawyers of Color's* inaugural Nation's Best list. Honorees were selected based on their noteworthy accomplishments and commitment to diversity and inclusion in the legal profession.

Hooker, based in Chicago, is a counselor and a litigator who routinely counsels and represents clients with a variety of intellectual property issues, including patent litigation and counseling relating to litigation, as well as trade secret, trademark, copyright, and entertainment matters.

Manzanares, a partner in Akerman's Government Affairs and Public Policy team in Dallas, advises clients on U.S. and international regulations governing the import and export of goods, services, software, and technology.

Miami-based Marsh is a member of the Firm's Executive Committee. He is an accomplished first-chair trial lawyer and trusted counselor representing public and private organizations in high stakes business disputes nationwide.

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