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### **Press Release**

# Akerman Recognized in *Florida Trend's* 2021 Legal Elite List

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Akerman LLP, a top 100 U.S. law firm, is pleased to announce that the firm has been recognized in *Florida Trend*'s 2021 Legal Elite List, with 16 lawyers receiving honors. The firm's Legal Elite honorees represent offices across Florida, including Jacksonville, Miami, Naples, Orlando, Tallahassee, Tampa, and West Palm Beach.

Partners David Ackerman, Silvia Alderman, Karen Buesing, Joni Armstrong Coffey, and Kathi Giddings were once again featured in *Florida Trend*'s Hall of Fame. *Florida Trend* also named two Akerman lawyers as Up & Comers for their record of excellence in the legal community, representing the future of law.

The 2021 Legal Elite list recognizes the state's top lawyers as selected by their peers through a voting process in 27 practice areas. The publication recognizes less than two percent of the more than 106,000 Florida Bar members practicing in the state.

The Akerman lawyers honored in the 2021 Legal Elite list are:

<u>David P. Ackerman</u>, Commercial Litigation <u>Silvia M. Alderman</u>, Environmental & Land Use Jacob A. Brown, Bankruptcy & Workout Karen M. Buesing, Labor & Employment <u>Joni Armstrong Coffey</u>, Environmental & Land Use

## Related People

David P. Ackerman Silvia M. Alderman Joni Armstrong Coffey Alejandro J. Fernandez Daniel Jacobson Arlene K. Kline Richard C. Milstein Stacey Prince-Troutman Scott W. Rostock Ashlea A. Edwards, Labor & Employment – Up & Comer
Zarra R. Elias, Labor & Employment – Up & Comer
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Dee Dee Fischer, Commercial Litigation
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Daniel Jacobson, International
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