

Larry Makel

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Larry provides legal and other business counsel to mezzanine, equity firms, and other financial institutions.

Larry concentrates his practice in the structured finance, venture capital, and financial services areas, as well as in the formation of small businesses, investment corporations, and private investment funds. He is adept at planning and structuring all aspects of a financing, from preparing documentation and agreements to meeting the complex compliance challenges associated with raising capital to finance corporate expansion.

Select Experience

Larry has represented numerous financial institutions in connection with:

- Leveraged buyouts
- Leveraged recapitalizations
- Refinancings
- Subordinated debt investments

Professional Affiliations

- Alliance Hockey Association, Board, President
- Washington and Jefferson College, Board of Trustees
- Dallas Citizens Council
- Oak Hill School Founder, Director and Executive Committee Member
- Woodall Rodgers Park Foundation Board Member
- Founder, Director, and Board Member of:
 - Resource Bank, N.A.
 - Texas Capital Bank, N.A.
 - Highlands Bank, N.A.
 - Dallas Capital Bank, N.A.

Accolades

- *Thomson Reuters*, "Stand-Out Lawyer," 2024-2025

Education

- New York University School of Law (LL.M., 1980)
- West Virginia University College of Law (J.D., 1978)
- Washington and Jefferson College (B.A., 1975)
 - *cum laude*

Bar Admissions

- Texas

- Listed in *Best Lawyers in America*®, 2007-2021, (*Woodward White, Inc.*)
- Waltersdorf Leadership Award for Alumni of Washington and Jefferson College, U.S. DOJ, 2007

Select Presentations

- Larry speaks regularly on the subjects of junior capital, structured products and fund formation.

Insights

August 27, 2019

SBIC Annual Recertification of Institutional Investor Unfunded Commitments

March 1, 2017

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