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Jed Zobitz is Managing Partner of the Corporate Department and Co-Head of the Finance Practice. He works in all areas of the Firm's corporate practice. Currently, he focuses his practice on complex syndicated loan and direct lending transactions, including acquisition and leveraged finance and asset-based lending, as well as securities, mergers and acquisitions and general corporate representations.

Mr. Zobitz has represented JPMorgan Chase Bank and Credit Suisse in numerous financings. He has also represented many borrowers, including Viatris, WestRock, Ashland, Qualcomm, Crown Castle, Biogen, Valvoline, Brightline and Gannett. In addition to financing transactions, Mr. Zobitz has worked on mergers and acquisitions and general corporate matters for companies such as UAL Corporation, Millipore, Alcon, Johnson & Johnson, Brink's, Qualcomm, Dassault Systèmes and Amblin Partners.

Mr. Zobitz has been repeatedly recognized as one of the country's leading practitioners in banking and finance by, among others, *Chambers USA*, *Chambers Global*, *The Legal 500 US*, *IFLR1000*, *Lawdragon* and *PLC Which Lawyer?* He has also been recognized for his work in bankruptcy law by *The Best Lawyers in America* and *Lawdragon*. Mr. Zobitz has been recognized by *The Legal 500 US* for his transactional work in the technology industry, for his transactional work in the telecoms and broadcast industry, for his work in municipal bankruptcy and for his work in trade secrets.

Mr. Zobitz was born in New York, New York. He received a B.A. from Franklin & Marshall College in 1991 and a J.D. *cum laude* from New York University in 1995.

Mr. Zobitz joined Cravath in 1995 and was elected a partner in 2002.

EDUCATION

- J.D., 1995, New York University School of Law
with Honors, cum laude
- B.A., 1991, Franklin & Marshall College

ADMITTED IN

- New York

RANKINGS

Best Lawyers in America

- Bankruptcy and Creditor Debtor Rights/Insolvency and Reorganization Law (2023-2020)

Chambers Global

- Banking & Finance - USA (2025-2012)

Chambers USA

- Banking & Finance (2024-2007)

Euromoney Legal Media Group's Expert Guides

- Guide to the World's Leading Banking Lawyers (2016, 2009)

IFLR1000

- Banking - US (2024-2013, 2009-2005)
- Restructuring & Insolvency Lawyer of the Year - US (2021)

Lawdragon

- 500 Leading Lawyers in America (2025, 2024, 2023)
- 500 Leading Global Bankruptcy & Restructuring Lawyers (2024)
- 500 Leading Bankruptcy & Restructuring Lawyers (2023)
- 500 Leading Dealmakers in America (2024-2021)

The Legal 500 US

- Commercial Lending (2023-2016, 2012, 2008)
- Litigation: Trade Secrets (2016, 2015)
- Municipal Bankruptcy (2015, 2014)
- Technology Transactions (2016-2010)
- Telecoms and Broadcast: Transactions (2014, 2013)

Super Lawyers

- New York (2024, 2023, 2022, 2019-2012)