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## Profile

Paul is a business law attorney with experience representing clients in connection with commercial bankruptcy and business reorganizations, commercial transactions, creditors' rights, and distressed businesses and workouts.

## Honors & Affiliations

- Listed in:
  - *New York Super Lawyers 2016*<sup>®</sup>, Upstate New York Rising Star, Business/Corporate
  - *New York Super Lawyers 2015*<sup>®</sup>, Upstate New York Rising Star, Business/Corporate
- New York State Bar Association
- Onondaga County Bar Association
- ABA/BNA Award for Excellence in the Study of Labor and Employment Law
- National Association of College and University Attorneys (NACUA)
- *NACUANOTES*, Editorial Board Committee Member (2009-present)
- Phi Beta Kappa

## Representative Presentations

- COVID-19 and the Road to Recovery Webinar, Chemung Chamber of Commerce, May 14, 2020
- Choosing the Right Business Entity, Syracuse University, Whitman School of Management Entrepreneurship Bootcamp

## Representative Publications

- Quoted in "Successful Startups Begin With Planning," *Buffalo Law Journal*, March 16, 2019
- Paul J. Avery and Mike Glazier, Co-Authors, "O'Bannon v. NCAA: The District Court Decision," *National Association of College and University Attorneys - NACUANOTES*, October 6, 2014

## Other Activities

## Education

- University at Buffalo School of Law (J.D., *magna cum laude*, 2005)
- Bucknell University (B.A., *magna cum laude*, 1999)

## Bar/Court Admissions

- New York
- U.S. District Court for the Northern District of New York

## Practices

- Higher Education
- Mergers and Acquisitions
- Business Restructuring, Creditors' Rights and Bankruptcy
- Business and Transactions
- Hospitality and Tourism
- Manufacturing
- Financial Institutions Regulatory
- Essential Resources for Business

- Board Member and Secretary, InfoTech WNY, 2019-present
- Board of Directors, Taste of Buffalo, 2023