

Practice Areas

General Corporate

Mergers & Acquisitions

Education

Yale Law School, L.L.B., 1967

Stanford University, A.B., 1963,
with Distinction and with Honors in
History

Bar Admissions

Connecticut, 1967

Court Admissions

U.S. Court of Appeals, Second
Circuit

Honors and Awards

Named the "Best Lawyers' 2012
Stamford Mergers & Acquisitions
Law Lawyer of the Year," *Best
Lawyers*, 2012

Recognized as a *Connecticut
Super Lawyer* in Mergers &
Acquisitions,
Business/Corporate, 2012

Leading lawyer in *The Best
Lawyers in America*, 1995-2012



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Jon Hirschhoff's practice includes the representation of clients in connection with business acquisitions and with respect to corporate and securities matters. His clients have included privately and publicly held companies, and over the years have ranged in size from start-up enterprises and family-owned businesses to *Fortune* 500 companies.

Mr. Hirschhoff has counseled clients with respect to strategic planning, including anti-takeover defense, proxy contests and related matters.

Mr. Hirschhoff has taught law school courses in corporate finance and mergers and acquisitions, most recently at Yale Law School. He is included in *The Best Lawyers in America* in the areas of Corporate Law, Mergers & Acquisitions Law and Securities Law ([View selection criteria](#)).

Associations and Memberships

Law Clerk to Hon. J. Joseph Smith, United States Court of Appeals for the Second Circuit, 1967-68

American Bar Association
Committee on Mergers and Acquisitions
Chair, M&A Jurisprudence Subcommittee
(publishes annual survey of M&A cases in *The Business Lawyer*)

Connecticut Bar Association
Executive Committee of Business Law Section

Publications

Reporter, Model Asset Purchase Agreement with Commentary, published by the American Bar Association

Speaking Engagements

Visiting Lecturer, Yale Law School, 2001, 2004 and 2007; taught course in Negotiated Mergers and Acquisitions

Chair, Committee Forum: The Increasing Uncertainties of Successor Liability – Are They Insurable? ABA Annual Meeting, San Francisco, 2007

Co-chair, panel on The Model Entity Transactions Act – New Ways to do Deals and Restructure Businesses, ABA Bus Law Sec. Meeting, Tampa, 2006

Panelist, "Buyer Beware: Changing Laws on Environmental Liability for Successor Corporations, ABA Annual Meeting, Atlanta, 2004