

Gregg A. Eisenberg

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Overview

Gregg Eisenberg has served as Benesch's Managing Partner since 2015, leading with vision, energy and a relentless focus on people. Under his leadership, Benesch has achieved extraordinary growth, opening offices in Chicago, San Francisco and New York, and advancing 79 places on the Am Law 200 list, where the firm is currently ranked #116.

A trusted advisor to public and private companies, Gregg maintains an active corporate practice focused on mergers and acquisitions and debt and equity financings. He counsels clients across all stages of growth, from early-stage planning to private equity investments to exit strategies. Gregg frequently represents clients abroad in their international expansion efforts and works with clients on complex international joint venture, supply chain and distribution agreements, as well as complex mergers and acquisitions. He is known for his ability to see the whole field and help clients make the right strategic move at the right time.

As a leader, Gregg is as committed to culture as he is to performance. He is widely regarded for his ability to build trust, rally teams and foster an environment where people are inspired to grow. He has been described by clients and colleagues as a "quarterback," a connector, a culture-shaper and a friend–someone who makes time for people and leads with both heart and purpose.

Among his many accolades, Gregg was named a finalist for the 2024 EY Entrepreneur Of The Year® East Central Award by Ernst & Young LLP and recognized as a Most Loved CEO by the Best Practice Institute. He was named a BTI Client Service All-Star in 2021 and has been recognized by The Best Lawyers in America® since 2018 in Corporate Law, Mergers and Acquisitions Law, and Securities / Capital Markets Law. In 2010, Gregg was honored with the M&A Advisor's 40 Under 40 Award, recognizing the top emerging M&A professionals nationwide.

Gregg is frequently asked to serve as a member of the board of directors of his clients and currently serves or has served on the boards of multiple private companies, including Leaf Home Solutions, Kaulig Capital, MediQuant, RevAir, Alliance Staffing Solutions and Lighthouse Insurance Group.

Representative Matters

- Represented Smartlink, LLC, a nationwide provider of telecommunications infrastructure services, in the sale of all of its equity to Recognize.
- Represented Gridiron Capital in the sale of Foundation Wellness, a leading consumer wellness platform that designs, manufactures, markets, and sells high-value branded wellness products, to Bansk Group.
- Represented Gridiron Capital in its establishment of GarageCo Holdings, a platform comprised of market-leading brands within the residential and commercial garage door services industry, and multiple add-on acquisitions.
- Represented Turning Tech Holdings, LLC, a portfolio company of Talisman Capital Partners, in the sale of its membership interests to Brockway Moran & Partners for $94 million, helping Turning Tech to solidify and enhance its leadership position in its various end markets.
- The company plans to accelerate investment in product and network expansion, both in the US and internationally.
- Represented Capitalworks, a private equity fund, in connection with its acquisition of Magna-Tech Manufacturing.
- Representation of LeafFilter, a provider of gutter guards for homeowners in North America, in its sale to Gridiron Capital, LLC.
- Represented Gridiron Capital LLC in its acquisition of a controlling stake of Rough Country, a provider of branded off-road suspension products and accessories.

Credentials

EDUCATION

- The Ohio State University, Moritz College of Law, 1997, J.D.
- University of Rochester, 1994, B.A., *magna cum laude*
  - Phi Beta Kappa

BAR & COURT ADMISSIONS

- Ohio

Memberships

- Board Member, Greater Cleveland Partnership
- Board Member, Kaulig Giving
- Board Member, Empower Sports
- Former Board Member, Cuyahoga Community College
- Former Board Member, Cystic Fibrosis Foundation, Rainbow Chapter
- Former Board Member, March Of Dimes
- Former Board Member, Youth Opportunities Unlimited
- Former Board Member, Boy Scouts Of America – Greater Cleveland Council
- Member, Ohio State Bar Association
- Member, Cleveland State Bar Association

Awards & Recognition

- Named, Lawdragon's 100 Managing Partners You Need to Know, 2026
- Listed, Best Practice Institute's Top Most Loved CEOs, 2024
- Finalist, (EY US) Entrepreneur Of The Year® 2024 East Central Award
- Listed, Cleveland Magazine's "Cleveland 500" List, 2022-2025
- Listed, *The Best Lawyers in America®,* Corporate Law; Mergers and Acquisitions Law; Securities / Capital Markets Law, 2018-2027
- Listed, Crain's Cleveland Business "Power 150" list, 2022
- BTI Client Service All-Star, 2021
- Listed, Cleveland Magazine's 2019 Power 100 List
- Recipient, M&A Advisor's 40 Under 40 Award, 2010
- Listed, Super Lawyers – Rising Stars 2005, 2006, 2007
- AV Rated Martindale-Hubbell Peer Review

News & Insights

- Benesch Welcomes Three Former Summer Associates as New Attorneys in California
  November 9, 2026 | Press Releases
- Benesch Welcomes Five Former Summer Associates as New Attorneys in New York
  October 23, 2026 | Press Releases

- Benesch Welcomes 10 Former Summer Associates as New Attorneys in Ohio
  October 16, 2026 | Press Releases
- Benesch Recognized in Law.com's 2026 Global 200 Ranking
  September 15, 2026 | Media Mentions
- Benesch Managing Partner Gregg Eisenberg and Executive Chairman Ira Kaplan Named to Cleveland Magazine's "Cleveland 500" for Fifth Consecutive Year
  August 26, 2026 | Press Releases
- 126 Benesch Attorneys Recognized in 2027 Best Lawyers® Rankings
  August 20, 2026 | Press Releases
- Benesch Recognized as #1 Largest Law Firm in Northeast Ohio for Second Consecutive Year
  August 17, 2026 | Media Mentions
- Benesch Managing Partner Gregg Eisenberg Quoted in The American Lawyer on Big Law Profitability Trends
  August 10, 2026 | Media Mentions
- Law.com Quotes Benesch Managing Partner Gregg Eisenberg on Rising Costs, AI Investment and Big Law Profitability
  August 10, 2026 | Media Mentions
- Law360 Highlights Benesch's Addition of 20-Lawyer Real Estate Finance Team and Expansion into Miami
  August 5, 2026 | Media Mentions

Speaking & Events

PAST EVENTS

- What Went Wrong? Why Top Partner Candidates Are Choosing Other Firms | Gregg A. Eisenberg
  April 16, 2026 | Speaking Engagement