



## Jacob C. Lavis

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### Overview

**Jacob brings a variety of corporate legal experiences in litigation and transactional matters to the Commercial Finance & Banking Practice Group. Prior to joining Benesch, he spent time developing his legal skills in both law firm and in-house counsel settings.**

### Representative Matters

- Represented a national financial institution as administrative and documentation agent in connection with a secured syndicated credit facility for a leading mechanical contractor
- Represented a national financial institution as administrative agent and lender in connection with a syndicated term loan facility supporting the acquisition of a portfolio of skilled nursing and assisted living facilities across New York
- Represented a regional financial institution as administrative and collateral agent in connection with a syndicated revolving credit facility to a food and beverage manufacturer and its affiliates to fund working capital.
- Represented a private equity-backed platform aggregating home services companies, as a borrower, of more than half a billion dollars through a syndicated facility, involving the upsizing of an existing senior credit facility and the introduction of a new junior debt facility.
- Represented a private equity buyer in its acquisition of a wholesale distributor of pipes, valves, and fittings.
- Represented the buyer in its add-on acquisition of a provider of disaster restoration services.

- Represented Gridiron Capital, LLC in its growth investment in Legacy Service Partners, LLC, a leading provider of residential heating, ventilation, and air-conditioning (HVAC), plumbing, and electrical services.

## Credentials

### EDUCATION

- Cleveland State University College of Law, 2021, Juris Doctor
- Cleveland State University, Monte Ahuja College of Business, 2021, Master of Business Administration
- Case Western Reserve University, 2018, Bachelor of Arts, History, minors in Business Management & Economics

### BAR & COURT ADMISSIONS

- Ohio
- Illinois

## Memberships

- Downtown Cleveland Alliance, President of the City Advocate Board

## News & Insights

- [Benesch Advises Rotunda on Strategic Investment in Capital Machine Technologies](#)  
April 22, 2025 | Press Releases
- [Benesch Advises Blue Marlin Partners on Acquiring Strategic Stake in Mo' Bettahs](#)  
October 25, 2024 | Press Releases
- [Benesch Advises Client Rotunda Capital Partners on Strategic Investment in Lehman Pipe and Supply, Inc.](#)  
September 6, 2024 | Press Releases
- [Benesch Facilitates Acquisition for Trivest, Marking a Strategic Investment into the Restructuring and Financial Advisory Market via its \\$1.3 Billion Trivest Recognition Fund](#)  
July 23, 2024 | Press Releases
- [Gridiron Capital Partners with Legacy Service Partners](#)  
January 18, 2023 | Press Releases
- [Gridiron Capital Partners Invest in M&D Distributors](#)  
September 9, 2022 | Press Releases

- [Benesch Adds Associate to Finance Team in Cleveland](#)  
June 7, 2022 | Press Releases
- [My Benesch My Team - Clarendon Capital](#)  
October 14, 2020 | My Benesch My Team: Client Feature Ads