

A professional headshot of Jennifer R. Hoover, a woman with long brown hair, wearing a black long-sleeved dress with flared cuffs, standing with her hands on her hips against a grey background.

Jennifer R. Hoover

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Overview

“Jennifer is thoughtful, responsive, and a valuable sounding board. She provides sophisticated counsel and collaborates closely to achieve resolutions.” – Benesch Client, Chambers USA

“She has a wealth of practical knowledge and exceptional commercial insight.” – Benesch Client, Chambers USA

Jennifer has over two decades of experience in both transactional and litigation aspects of bankruptcy reorganizations, liquidations, and out-of-court workouts.

Jennifer regularly represents debtors, Chapter 11 and Chapter 7 trustees, creditors’ committees, secured and unsecured creditors, liquidating trustees and parties to adversary proceedings in Delaware, Pennsylvania, New Jersey and nationwide. Jennifer also represents clients in all stages of litigation before the state and federal courts in Delaware, Pennsylvania and New Jersey. Jennifer’s experience spans a variety of industries, including energy, healthcare, lending, manufacturing, private equity, real estate, retail, technology, telecommunications and transportation.

Additionally, Jennifer maintains a Delaware opinion practice on aspects of Delaware law and certain aspects of federal law, including bankruptcy law.

Representative Matters

- Represented guarantor and its subsidiary borrowers in connection with a \$530,000,000 syndicated mortgage loan secured by a portfolio of 35 shopping center assets located across the nation.

- Represented a private equity-back manufacturer of machine tools in its acquisition of a manufacturer of plastic injection molding & precision machined components for telecom equipment.
- Representation of Official Committee of Unsecured Creditors as Delaware Counsel/Conflicts Counsel
- Representation of defendants in a variety of adversary proceedings (avoidance actions and D&O litigation).
- Representation of assignees in state court assignments for benefit of creditors.
- Representation of a variety of unsecured creditors' interests in bankruptcy proceedings (landlords, credit card processors, executory contract counter parties).
- Representation of purchasers in section 363 sales.
- Representation of DIP lenders in bankruptcy proceedings.

Credentials

EDUCATION

- Franklin & Marshall College, 1998, B.A., Government, cum laude
 - Marshall Scholar
- Villanova University, Charles Widger School of Law, 2001, J.D., cum laude

BAR & COURT ADMISSIONS

- Delaware
- New Jersey
- Pennsylvania
- U.S. District Court for the District of Delaware
- U.S. District Court for the Eastern District of Pennsylvania
- U.S. District Court for the District of New Jersey

Memberships

- Member, American Bar Association
- Member, Pennsylvania Bar Association
- Member, Philadelphia Bar Association
- Member, Eastern District of Pennsylvania Bankruptcy Conference
- Member, Turnaround Management Association

- Member, International Women’s Insolvency & Restructuring Confederation (National, Delaware, and Philadelphia Chapters)
- Member, Professional Women’s Roundtable (Philadelphia)

Awards & recognition

- Named, Lawdragon 500 Leading Global Bankruptcy & Restructuring Lawyers, 2026
- Listed, The Best Lawyers in America®, Bankruptcy and Creditor Debtor Rights / Insolvency and Reorganization Law; Commercial Litigation; Financial Services Regulation Law; Litigation - Bankruptcy, 2022-2026
- Listed, Chambers USA Leading Lawyers, Bankruptcy/Restructuring, 2022-2025
- Listed, Chambers USA Band 4, Bankruptcy/Restructuring, 2022-2025

Beyond the office

Favorite vacation

Catamaran in British Virgin Islands

Hobbies

Traveling, fitness, reading, cooking, spending time with family and friends.

News & Insights

- [Benesch Partner Jennifer Hoover Named to 2026 Lawdragon 500 Leading Global Bankruptcy & Restructuring Lawyers](#)
April 14, 2026 | Press Releases
- [Benesch Partners Jennifer Hoover and Mark Eisen Featured in Law360 on THC Potency Class Action Dismissal](#)
March 17, 2026 | Media Mentions
- [Law360 Features Jennifer Hoover and Juan Martinez on Ex-Hudson Hotel Chapter 11 Escrow Dispute](#)
December 22, 2025 | Media Mentions
- [Benesch Mentioned in Law360 Article on Yellow Corp. Chapter 11 Plan Ruling](#)
November 14, 2025 | Media Mentions
- [Benesch Secures Major Trial Victory for Professional Bull Riders in High-Profile Bankruptcy Dispute](#)
November 3, 2025 | Press Releases

- [Law360 Mentions Hoover, Kinsey, Secco, Moscarino, and Walsh in Coverage of Dr. Phil Media Co. Bankruptcy](#)
October 28, 2025 | Media Mentions
- [Law360 Bankruptcy Authority Mentions Benesch Team Representing Professional Bull Riders in High-Profile Bankruptcy Case](#)
September 23, 2025 | Media Mentions
- [Benesch Attorneys Highlighted in Law360 Bankruptcy Authority Feature](#)
September 17, 2025 | Media Mentions
- [Law360 Bankruptcy Authority Mentions Benesch Team in Coverage of Merit Street Media Case](#)
September 15, 2025 | Media Mentions
- [Jennifer Hoover, Kevin Capuzzi and John Gentile Mentioned in Law360 on Yellow Corp. Chapter 11 Plan Proceedings](#)
September 5, 2025 | Media Mentions