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Overview

Jordan focuses his practice on the executive compensation, benefits and employment-related aspects of corporate transactions.

Jordan advises clients on mergers and acquisitions involving privately and publicly held companies, spin-offs and divestitures. He negotiates, reviews and drafts transactional documents, analyzes sponsor fund programs, and he conducts due diligence on employment agreements, nonqualified compensation plans and equity arrangements. Jordan also provides guidance on issues arising under the Internal Revenue Code, including Sections 280G and 409A, as well as federal securities laws and exchange regulations.

Beyond transactional work, Jordan designs, drafts and amends compensation plans and agreements, including employment, consulting, termination, severance, change-in-control and restrictive covenant arrangements. He assists clients with day-to-day corporate governance and compliance matters, preparing board and compensation committee resolutions, presentations and employee communications related to corporate transactions. Jordan also has experience with SEC filings, including executive compensation disclosures required under the Securities Act and annual, periodic and event-driven reports related to corporate transactions.

Representative Matters

- Represented Bochi Investments, LLC, in its equity acquisition of Marsee Foods, LLC, a wholesale bakery in Portland, Oregon.

- Represented Rover Group, Inc., the world's largest online marketplace for pet care, in its acquisition of Meowtel Inc., the leading cat-sitting marketplace.
- Represented American Equipment Solutions, a portfolio company of Rotunda Capital Partners, in its divestiture of Kanawha Scales & Systems.
- Represented Palmetto in its acquisition of The Cool Down, the world's leading clean lifestyle media platform, marking the first time a clean energy company has acquired a clean lifestyle platform and expanding Palmetto's reach in the home energy marketplace.

Credentials

EDUCATION

- University of Arizona James E. Rogers College of Law, J.D.
- Northwestern Pritzker School of Law, LL.M., Tax

BAR & COURT ADMISSIONS

- Illinois

News & Insights

- [Benesch Advises Rover Group, Inc. on Acquisition of Meowtel, Inc.](#)
February 4, 2026 | Press Releases
- [Jordan Hartman and Annie Hartmann mentioned in Crain's Chicago People on the Move](#)
December 17, 2025 | Media Mentions
- [Benesch Advises American Equipment Holdings LLC and Kanawha Scales & Systems in Sale to Investcorp](#)
November 17, 2025 | Press Releases
- [Benesch Advises Riata Capital Group on Acquisition of Government Window](#)
October 10, 2025 | Press Releases
- [Benesch Represents Truven in Springbuk Acquisition, Offering Employers a Powerful Health Intelligence Combination](#)
September 11, 2025 | Press Releases
- [Benesch More Than Triples Size of Executive Compensation & Benefits Team in One Year, Welcoming Three New Attorneys in Past Month](#)
June 17, 2025 | Press Releases