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Overview

Julius is an associate within the Corporate Practice Group. Julius assists private businesses with mergers and acquisitions, divestitures, and corporate governance. Julius attended the University of Illinois College of Law where he served as Associate Editor for the University of Illinois Law Review.

Prior to joining Benesch, Julius served on active duty in the U.S. Marine Corps as a legal services support specialist and court reporter.

Representative Matters

- Represented private equity firm Wellspring Capital Management LLC in the $285 million acquisition of Critical Nurse Staffing, LLC, a home healthcare service provider, and certain of its affiliates.
- Represented Tribeca Strategic Acquisition Corporation (Nasdaq: BIDWU) in its $140 million initial public offering on the Nasdaq Global Market.
- Represented Honeywell in the spin-off of its Advanced Materials business, now operating as Solstice Advanced Materials, including leading the separation workstream and contract analysis to establish Solstice as an independent, publicly traded company and supporting Honeywell's strategic transformation into three distinct industry-leading businesses.
- Represented Loar Holdings Inc., a diversified manufacturer and supplier of niche aerospace and defense components, in its acquisition of Applied Avionics, Inc., a manufacturer of highly engineered avionics interface solutions catering to the aviation industry, valued at $385 million.

- Represented a steel manufacturing company in a $22 million sale of its alloy extrusions businesses to a strategic purchaser.
- Represented a publicly listed global manufacturer in the acquisition of a North America-based manufacturer of industrial motion components primarily used in the energy industry.
- Represented the buyer in its acquisitions of multiple behavioral health practices throughout the country.
- Represented an independent sponsor fund in its acquisition of a provider of flood prevention and mitigation services and products.

Credentials

EDUCATION

- Loyola University Chicago, 2019, *summa cum laude*
- University of Illinois College of Law, 2022, J.D., *cum laude*
  - University of Illinois Law Review, Associate Editor
  - Latinx Law Students Association, Secretary
  - Energy and Environmental Law Society, Treasurer

Memberships

- Member, American Bar Association
- Member, Hispanic National Bar Association
- Member, Chicago Bar Association
- Member, Hispanic Lawyers Association of Illinois

Awards & Recognition

- CALI Excellence for the Future Award

News & Insights

- Law360 Pulse Highlights Benesch's Role in $140M Tribeca Strategic Acquisition Corporation IPO
  June 5, 2026 | Media Mentions
- Benesch Represents Tribeca Strategic Acquisition Corporation in $140 Million Public Offering
  June 1, 2026 | Press Releases

- Benesch Advises Honeywell on Successful Spin-Off of Solstice Advanced Materials
  November 13, 2025 | Press Releases
- Benesch Advises Loar Holdings on $860 Million Secondary Public Offering
  May 27, 2025 | Media Mentions
- Benesch Facilitates Client Loar Holdings Inc. Acquisition of Applied Avionics, Inc.
  August 26, 2024 | Press Releases
- Benesch Client Loar Holdings Inc. Announces Definitive Agreement to Acquire Applied Avionics for $385 Million
  July 30, 2024 | Press Releases
- Benesch Successfully Completes $354 Million IPO, Taking Client Loar Holdings Public
  May 6, 2024 | Press Releases
- Benesch Client Loar Holdings Announces Launch of IPO, Expects to Raise Up to $286 Million
  April 18, 2024 | Press Releases