



## Richard (“Rick”) Bernet

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## Overview

**Richard is a seasoned regulatory litigator with deep knowledge of the utility industry, including leading billion-dollar efforts on behalf of the largest utility in Illinois that resulted in some of the most significant results in state history.**

Richard has a strong track record of successfully achieving regulatory approval of some of the most high-profile and controversial infrastructure projects in Illinois.

## Credentials

### EDUCATION

- DePaul University College of Law, J.D.
  - Academic Scholarships
  - Law Review
- Eastern Illinois University, Bachelor of Science, Business (BS), Finance

### BAR & COURT ADMISSIONS

- Illinois

## News & Insights

- [Melissa R. Grim and Richard Bernet mentioned in Crain's Chicago People on the Move](#)  
May 20, 2024 | Media Mentions
- [Benesch Adds Richard Bernet to its Litigation Group in Chicago](#)  
April 15, 2024 | Press Releases