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Shutts & Bowen LLP is proud to announce that 27 attorneys have been named to the 2022 Florida *Super Lawyers* list, while 19 attorneys have been recognized as 2022 *Rising Stars*.

Super Lawyers recognizes distinguished attorneys who have undergone a rigorous screening process and who are ultimately selected for inclusion in their annual list of exceptional legal professionals. Published by Thomson Reuters, Super Lawyers is a rating service of attorneys from more than 70 practice areas and determines its rankings through independent research, peer nominations and peer evaluations. Only the top 5 percent of outstanding lawyers in Florida are rated by Super Lawyers, while no more than 2.5 percent of lawyers under 40 years old or who have practiced for fewer than 10 years are selected as Rising Stars.

In total, 46 attorneys at Shutts were recognized on the 2022 list. Garrett Tozier, Deedee Bitran, Cari Shapiro, Mayte Pena, Rochelle Hall, Elesa Sowell, Amber S. Nunnally, and Jennifer Reisler were recognized as Florida *Rising Stars* for the first time this year. John Dannecker was recognized as Top 50: 2022 Orlando *Super Lawyers* for the first time as well.

The recognized Shutts & Bowen 2022 Florida Super Lawyers and Rising Stars are listed below:

FORT LAUDERDALE

Recognized as Super Lawyers:

• Joseph M. Goldstein - Business Litigation

Recognized as Rising Stars:

- Deedee Bitran Employment & Labor
- Sara Levy Business Litigation
- Amy M. Wessel Appellate

MIAMI

Recognized as Super Lawyers:

• Rene J. Gonzalez-Llorens - Employment & Labor



- Patrick J. Lannon Estate & Probate
- Julissa Rodriguez Appellate
- Margaret A. "Peggy" Rolando Real Estate
 - Top 50: 2022 Women Florida Super Lawyers List
 - Top 100: 2022 Miami Super Lawyers
- Donald Wasil Real Estate

Recognized as Rising Stars:

- Rochelle A. Hall Business Litigation
- Matthew Innes Civil Litigation: Defense
- Victoria Madani PI General: Defense
- Diana C. Mendez Government Contracts
- Mayte Pena Civil Litigation: Defense
- Cari R. Shapiro Insurance Coverage
- Aleksey Shtivelman Business Litigation
- Scott H. Silver Business Litigation

ORLANDO

Recognized as Super Lawyers:

- John H. Dannecker Construction Litigation
 - Top 50: 2022 Orlando Super Lawyers
- Mary Ruth Houston Employment & Labor

Recognized as Rising Stars:

- John Cameron E. Katz Business/Corporate
- Christian M. Leger Business Litigation
- Elesa Sowell Real Estate

SARASOTA

Recognized as Super Lawyers:

• Charla M. Burchett - Estate & Probate



TALLAHASSEE

Recognized as Super Lawyers:

- George N. Meros, Jr. Civil Litigation: Defense (10+ Years)
- Daniel E. Nordby Administrative Law

Recognized as Rising Stars:

• Amber S. Nunnally - Appellate

TAMPA

Recognized as Super Lawyers:

- Eric S. Adams Business Litigation
- Amanda B. Buffinton Construction Litigation
 - Top 50: 2022 Women Florida Super Lawyers List
 - Top 50: 2022 Tampa Bay Super Lawyers
- Meredith A. Freeman Construction Litigation
- Alan Higbee Business/Corporate
- Jordan G. Lee Estate & Probate
- Erik R. Matheney General Litigation
- Lee E. Nelson Real Estate
- Eric E. Page General Litigation
- Woodrow H. Pollack Intellectual Property
- Ryan C. Reinert Bankruptcy: Business
- Michael P. Silver Business Litigation
- Timothy D. Woodward Construction Litigation (10+ Years)

Recognized as Rising Stars:

- Kasey Feltner Business Litigation
- Garrett Tozier Appellate

WEST PALM BEACH



Recognized as Super Lawyers:

- Joseph W. Bain Intellectual Property Litigation
- Eric C. Christu Business Litigation
- Patricia A. Leonard Business Litigation
- Arthur J. Menor Real Estate

Recognized as Rising Stars:

• Jennifer E. Reisler - Family Law

JACKSONVILLE

Recognized as Rising Stars:

• Frank T. Moya – Construction Litigation

About Shutts & Bowen LLP

Established in 1910, Shutts & Bowen is a full-service business law firm with approximately 300 lawyers with offices in Fort Lauderdale, Jacksonville, Miami, Orlando, Sarasota, Tallahassee, Tampa and West Palm Beach. Learn more about Shutts & Bowen at www.shutts.com.

Professionals

Fric S. Adams

Joseph W. Bain

Alamea Deedee Bitran

Amanda B. Buffinton

Charla M. Burchett

Eric C. Christu

John H. Dannecker

Meredith A. Freeman

Joseph M. Goldstein

Rene J. Gonzalez-LLorens

R. Alan Higbee



Matthew W. Innes Amy Wessel Jones J. Cameron Katz Patrick J. Lannon Jordan G. Lee Patricia A. Leonard Sara Levy Erik R. Matheney Arthur J. Menor George N. Meros, Jr. Lee E. Nelson Daniel E. Nordby Amber S. Nunnally Eric E. Page Mayte Peña Woodrow "Woody" H. Pollack Ryan C. Reinert Julissa Rodriguez Margaret "Peggy" A. Rolando Cari R. Shapiro Ella A. Shenhav Aleksey Shtivelman Michael P. Silver Scott H. Silver

Elesa R. Sowell

Mary Ruth Houston



Garrett A. Tozier

J. Donald Wasil

Timothy Woodward

Practice Areas

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