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Overview

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Education

J.D. from Southern Methodist University, Dedman School of Law *cum laude*

M.S. from New York University

B.S. from Texas A&M University

Bar Admissions

Texas

Related Practices

- Corporate & Securities
 - Corporate Governance
 - Corporate Structuring
 - Entity Formation
 - Mergers & Acquisitions
 - Private Securities Offerings
 - Succession Planning

Related Industries

- Financial Services
- Energy
- Restaurants

Luke's practice focuses on corporate and securities law matters, mergers and acquisitions and commercial transactions, offering clients extensive experience on transactional matters including asset and stock purchases, corporate formation and governance, private securities offerings, business and commercial arrangements and securities regulation matters. Luke's work spans across a range of industries, including the health care, manufacturing, technology and banking sectors.

Prior to his legal career, he worked as an Ergonomics Consultant engaged in the design and validation of pre-employment physical ability testing protocols. He managed the implementation of these screening programs across the country for clients in the manufacturing, distribution, energy and transportation industries.

Luke's innovative tactics, excellent problem-solving skills and his attention to detail help businesses increase efficiency. He uses these tools with each of his clients, providing a sophisticated experience that creates solutions and plans to best fit each of their needs.

Memberships

American Bar Association, Business Section
Association for Corporate Growth
Dallas Bar Association, Mergers & Acquisitions Section
JDRF Greater Dallas Chapter (Member of the Board of Directors and the Corporate Council Committee)
State Bar of Texas
Texas Aggie Bar Association

Experience

Energy Company Acquisition

Represented a retail electric business in the acquisition of a solar panel design and installation business.

Venture Capital Financing

Represented an investment group in an initial capital raise and its follow up Series A Preferred funding round.

Venture Capital Financing

Represented an early stage technology client in its Series A preferred offering.

Acquisition + Disposition

Represented a hospital system in the disposition of a division to a strategic buyer.

Acquisition + Disposition

Provided counsel to a family-held business in the acquisition of a chain of retail package stores.

Acquisition + Disposition

Advised in the disposition of a concierge home healthcare services business.

Reorganization + Merger

Represented a community bank in a reorganization and merger transaction to form a bank holding company. Luke advised the community bank in a subordinated debt offering.