

Summary of Skadden's Securities Litigation Capabilities

Skadden

Winter 2026



Skadden has defended more federal securities class actions than any other firm for the period January 1, 2016, through January 31, 2026, according to Lex Machina.

Leaders in Securities Litigation

Skadden has secured the dismissal of more federal securities cases than any other firm since 2010, according to Lex Machina.

Our litigators have extensive experience in trial and appellate courts at the federal and state levels, before administrative tribunals, in arbitrations and other dispute resolution proceedings, and before government agencies. We represent clients in securities class actions and derivative actions across a wide range of industries, including, among many others:

Accounting
Biotechnology and Life Sciences
Blockchain and Cryptocurrency
Consulting
Education
Energy and Utilities

Financial Institutions, Hedge Funds and Private Equity
Health Care
Industrial and Manufacturing
Insurance
Metals and Mining

Pharmaceuticals
Retail, Food and Beverage
Technology, Media and Telecommunications
Transportation and Automotive

Unparalleled Securities Experience Among Law Firms

Our attorneys are dedicated to providing exceptional client service with an emphasis on creativity, collaboration and efficiency. We work with clients to assess their case within the context of their overall business and legal objectives, and we strive to deliver results that meet these goals at every stage of litigation.

“The capabilities of this firm are beyond anything you can expect. They are all stellar. They are the best you can get and the best value you can get.”

“Skadden is capable of handling the most complex commercial disputes. Their senior partners are top flight and the bench is extremely deep.”

“The team is well versed in the securities area and are good strategic thinkers.”

“They bring top quality, thoughtful practitioners to bear. They take a step back and consider the business too.”

“Skadden provides excellent practical and strategic advice on complex and esoteric legal issues.”

*According to *Chambers USA* 2025

Selected Client Representations

We represent clients ranging from *Fortune* 100 to emerging market companies in every industry in securities litigation matters around the world. A few recent representations include, among others:

Amgen Inc.	Coinbase Inc.	Morgan Stanley
Anywhere Real Estate Inc.	Coty Inc.	NanduQ plc (f/k/a QIWI plc)
Aquestive Therapeutics, Inc.	Embraer S.A.	NIO
Asterias Biotherapeutics, Inc.	Expand Energy Corp.	Nokia Corporation
Baidu, Inc.	ExxonMobil Corporation	Pfizer Inc.
Bank of America	FedEx Corporation	Portland General Electric
Biogen	Fifth Third Bank	Société Générale S.A.
BlackRock, Inc.	Goldman Sachs Group, Inc.	Sprint Corporation
BMW AG	Groupon	Telegram
Boston Scientific Corporation	Hawaiian Electric Industries	UBS Group AG
BRF S.A.	iRobot	Unilever
Canadian Imperial Bank of Commerce	Itau Unibanco S.A.	Visa Inc.
Canopy Growth Corporation	Johnson & Johnson	WeWork
Centene Corporation	JPMorgan Chase & Co.	Yahoo!
Cheetah Mobile Inc.	Lightspeed	Zillow Group, Inc.
Citigroup Inc.	LVMH	
	MakerDAO	

Awards & Recognition



Named as a
2025 Law Firm of the Year

**Eight Time Securities
Practice Group of the Year**



**Consistently ranked in
the top tier** for nationwide
securities litigation,
including in 2025



Recognized in **2025 Hall of
Fame** and consistently ranked
in **top tiers** for Securities and
Commercial Litigation



Named 2025 **Law Firm of
the Year** for Commercial
and Securities Litigation

**2023 Law Firm of the
Year** for Mergers and
Acquisitions Litigation



Named to **The BTI Consulting
Group's 2026 Farsome
Farsome** – the top four firms
that clients “don’t want
to litigate against”— and
ranked as a **Top 1%
Securities & Finance:
Litigation Powerhouse**



**2024, 2023 and 2022
Litigation Department
of the Year** finalist /
**2024 Class Action and
Finance** finalist

**2021 Litigation Department
of the Year**



Tier 1 for 2025 in
Securities Litigation Defense



Repeatedly voted as a
top-tier firm for Securities
Litigation for more than a
decade by *Vault*



Named to the **2025 BTI Client
Service 30**, making us one of
only four firms to receive this
distinction 11 years in a row

Global Securities Litigation Platform

The Americas	Europe	Middle East	Asia Pacific
Boston	Brussels	Abu Dhabi	Beijing
Chicago	Frankfurt		Hong Kong
Houston	London		Seoul
Los Angeles	Munich		Singapore
New York	Paris		Tokyo
Palo Alto			
São Paulo			
Toronto			
Washington, D.C.			
Wilmington			



Skadden's global securities litigation presence positions us to advise clients around the world on U.S. securities litigation issues. Our U.S.-trained litigators, based in Europe, Asia and Latin America, have the unique ability to assemble collaborative teams with deep and relevant experience across our worldwide platform.

We represent clients from all over the world, including from:

Australia	Colombia	Ireland	Malaysia	Spain
Brazil	Denmark	Israel	Mexico	Sweden
Canada	France	Italy	Scotland	Switzerland
China	Germany	Japan	Singapore	United Kingdom

Trial Support

Skadden's integrated, multidisciplinary team of trial support consultants assists our litigators in a variety of contexts, including with client presentations, appearances before regulatory bodies, mediation or arbitration, and in the courtroom.



Our attorneys work with our trial support consultants to develop trial themes and arguments, conduct research, prepare witnesses to testify, distill complex ideas into understandable and appealing visuals, plan for smooth and efficient courtroom logistics, and provide fast and comprehensive access to critical information in high-stakes situations.



Jury Research

From early testing of case themes to real-time evaluations of potential jurors based on our database of several thousand questionnaires, our jury research efforts support our litigators through:

- focus groups and mock trials;
- theme development;
- witness preparation; and
- jury selection.



Trial Coordination

Our trial support consultants efficiently manage the process associated with the entire trial, including evidence preparation tasks like pretrial filings, exhibit lists, deposition designations and case records. They also plan the on-site logistics for trial, such as identifying locations, coordinating contract negotiations and developing budgets; they then manage every aspect of the litigation "war room" to ensure that they meet any and all production requests during the course of the trial while facilitating seamless coordination of courtroom mechanics.



Graphic Design and Presentation

Our trial support consultants conceive and create compelling, persuasive graphics for use at trial, making it easier for jurors and judges to understand the case. They also possess the technological know-how to ensure that presentations are flawlessly executed, avoiding the negative impression that technical difficulties or poorly presented visuals can make.

Our Firm

1,700 lawyers
21 offices
50+ practices

Our integrated practices provide significant value and cost-efficiencies, bringing together the exceptional breadth of experience needed to satisfy our clients' business objectives.

We are known for our utmost dedication to client service, commitment to excellence, creativity and resourcefulness in providing innovative advice and novel legal solutions.

Areas of Practice

Accounting	Economic Sanctions	Insurance	Private Clients/Trusts and Estates
Aerospace, Defense and Security Technologies	Energy and Infrastructure Projects	Intellectual Property and Technology	Private Equity
Anti-Corruption Investigations and Compliance	Energy Mergers and Acquisitions	Intellectual Property Litigation	Real Estate
Anti-Money Laundering	Energy Regulatory	International Litigation and Arbitration	Real Estate Investment Trusts
Antitrust/Competition	Energy Tax and Tax Credit Monetization	International Tax	SEC Reporting and Compliance
Artificial Intelligence	Environmental	International Trade	Securities and Commodities Enforcement
Asset Management Mergers and Acquisitions	Environmental, Social and Governance (ESG)	Investment Management	Securities Litigation
Blockchain and Digital Assets	ERISA Litigation	Investment Management Litigation	Shareholder Engagement and Activism
Capital Markets	European Union/International Competition	Labor and Employment Law	Sports
CFIUS	Executive Compensation and Benefits	Life Sciences	State and Local Tax
Civil Rights Law Advisory Group	Export Controls	Litigation	State Attorneys General Defense and Investigations
Climate Change	False Claims Act Defense	Mass Torts, Insurance and Consumer Litigation	Structured Finance
Congressional Investigations	FDA Regulatory	Media and Entertainment	Supreme Court and Appellate Litigation
Consumer Financial Services	Finance	Mergers and Acquisitions	Tax
Corporate Compliance	Financial Institutions	Mining	Tax Controversy and Litigation
Corporate Governance	Financial Institutions Regulatory	National Security	Trump Executive Actions Advisory Group
Corporate Restructuring	Financial Services Litigation	Non-U.S. Foreign Direct Investment Reviews	White Collar Defense and Investigations
Crisis Response and Risk Management	Fintech	Opportunity Zone Funds	
Cybersecurity and Data Privacy	Gaming	Outsourcing	
Derivatives	Income Tax and Accounting	Political Law Compliance and Investigations	

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