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Education

J.D., Fordham University
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Michael Singer advises clients on a wide variety of antitrust matters related to mergers and acquisitions, including representing clients before the Department of Justice and Federal Trade Commission. Mr. Singer has worked with clients across a diverse range of industries, including aerospace and defense, consumer products, technology, health care, pharmaceuticals, financial services and private equity. His representations include:

- Stryker Corporation in its \$5.4 billion acquisition of Wright Medical Group
- DuPont in its \$45.4 billion merger of its Nutrition & Biosciences business with International Flavors and Fragrances Inc.
- Red Hat, Inc. in its \$34 billion acquisition by IBM
- WABCO Holdings in its \$7 billion acquisition by ZF Friedrichshafen
- Caesars Entertainment Corporation in its \$17.3 billion merger with Eldorado Resorts, Inc.
- CPI International, Inc. in its acquisition of the antenna systems business of General Dynamics
- E.I. du Pont de Nemours and Company in its \$130 billion merger of equals with The Dow Chemical Company
- Express Scripts Holding Company in its \$67 billion acquisition by Cigna
- Rockwell Collins, Inc. in its \$30 billion acquisition by United Technologies Corporation
- EMC Corporation in its \$67 billion acquisition by Denali Holdings, Inc., the parent company of Dell, Inc.
- Springleaf Holdings, Inc. in its \$4.25 billion acquisition of OneMain Financial
- Ash Grove Cement Company in its \$3.5 billion acquisition by CRH plc
- Hospira, Inc. in its \$16 billion acquisition by Pfizer, Inc.
- numerous sales and acquisitions for The Carlyle Group and its portfolio companies
- numerous sales and acquisitions for Veritas Capital and its portfolio companies

Mr. Singer also provides general antitrust counseling and has advised clients on a variety of matters, including joint ventures, strategic alliances, unilateral conduct, and pricing and distribution issues.

Additionally, Mr. Singer routinely represents veterans on a *pro bono* basis in applications and appeals for compensation and benefits before the Department of Veterans Affairs, as well as not-for-profits in connection with incorporation and formation issues. He also serves as an adjunct professor at Fordham University School of Law, where he teaches a class on antitrust and cross-border mergers, and is a frequent contributor to the ABA Antitrust Law Section, Joint Conduct Committee's "The Quick Look" newsletter.

Mr. Singer was named one of *Best Lawyers'* 2024 Ones To Watch. He also won Best Business Article (General Economics) at Concurrences' 2024 Antitrust Writing Awards for "Private Equity and Competition — Comparing U.S. Agency Views to Recent Policy and Empirical Evidence," co-authored with Kenneth Schwartz and Isabel Tecu.