

Partner, New York

Mergers and Acquisitions



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J.D., New York University
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Max Troper is a corporate attorney who advises public and private companies, private equity sponsors, portfolio companies, family offices and special committees on U.S. and cross-border transactions, including acquisitions, dispositions, strategic investments, joint ventures, restructurings and corporate governance matters.

In recognition of his work, Mr. Troper has been repeatedly honored as one of *Best Lawyers' Ones to Watch* in America.

Mr. Troper's selected representations include:

Public Company and Strategic Matters

- BlackRock, Inc. in its \$12.5 billion acquisition of Global Infrastructure Partners
- Globalstar, Inc. in its pending \$11 billion acquisition by Amazon, Inc.
- Apartment Income REIT Corp. in its \$10 billion take-private transaction with Blackstone
- LVMH Moët Hennessy Louis Vuitton S.E. in its \$16.2 billion acquisition of Tiffany & Co., which was the largest-ever luxury sector transaction
- Valaris Limited in its pending all-stock transaction with Transocean Ltd. to create a \$17 billion combined company
- a sovereign wealth fund in its pending \$3.4 billion take-private (alongside Affinius Capital) of Veris Residential, Inc. (a REIT)
- American Express Global Business Travel in its:
 - pending \$6.3 billion acquisition by Long Lake
 - \$5.3 billion business combination with Apollo Strategic Growth Capital, pursuant to which American Express Global Business Travel became the world's largest publicly traded B2B travel platform
 - acquisition of the Egencia corporate travel business from Expedia
 - \$540 million acquisition of CWT
 - collapse of its Up-C structure
- Duck Creek Technologies, Inc. in its:
 - \$2.6 billion acquisition by funds managed by Vista Equity Partners
 - acquisition of IMburse Payments
- Vital Proteins in its acquisition by Nestle Health Science
- Broadscale Acquisition Corp. in its proposed (but terminated) \$1.3 billion business combination with Voltus, Inc., a technology startup in the electricity market
- Anbang Insurance Group Co., Ltd. as lead member of an investor group in its proposed, unsolicited \$14 billion acquisition of Starwood Hotels & Resorts Worldwide Inc.
- WhistlePig, a distiller of luxury rye whiskey, in its partnership with BDT Capital Partners and its related liquidity transaction

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- GP Investments Acquisition Corp. in its proposed (but terminated) \$570 million acquisition of World Kitchen and its subsequent \$850 million business combination with Rimini Street Inc.
 - DuPont in its \$725 million disposition of its trichlorosilane business to Hemlock Semiconductor and the disposition of its stake in the Hemlock joint ventures
 - SL Green Realty Corp. (a REIT) in various transactions and corporate governance matters
 - New Senior Investment Group Inc. (a REIT) in connection with its publicly announced exploration of strategic alternatives
 - special committees for several clients, including in transactions involving controlling stockholders

Financial Sponsor Matters

- Fortress Investment Group in several matters, including its sale to Mubadala and Fortress Management
- Veritas Capital in several matters, including its:
 - disposition of Excelitas Technologies Corp. to AEA Investors LP
 - acquisition of GE Intelligent Platforms Embedded Systems Inc. from General Electric Company
- York Capital Management in its dispositions of:
 - Renuity, a tech-enabled home services platform, to Greenbriar Partners
 - The Bay Club Company, an active lifestyle and hospitality company, to KKR
- Dayco, LLC, an engine products and drive systems supplier, in its acquisition by Hidden Harbor Capital Partners

Mr. Troper is actively involved in Skadden's corporate training, recruiting and mentoring programs. He also provides *pro bono* legal services to a variety of New York-based clients, as well as The Innocence Project and a Little League baseball and softball organization.