



## Jessica M. Blanchette

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### Profile

**Jessica is a business attorney who engages in a comprehensive practice comprising corporate and business law, property law and tax law matters.**

She advises both for profit and nonprofit clients on navigating complex tax compliance matters affecting general business operations.

In addition, Jessica has successfully represented both entities and individuals in tax disputes before both the Internal Revenue Service and the New York State Department of Taxation and Finance. She has particular experience in penalty abatement requests, negotiating favorable outcomes for clients both on her written submissions alone and in argument during hearings and conferences.

Prior to joining Bond, Jessica completed a two-year clerkship with the New York State Supreme Court, Appellate Division, Fourth Department in Rochester, New York. This experience provided her with a unique and developed perspective on the law as well as strong analytic and writing skills, all of which she utilizes each day in her practice.

### Honors & Affiliations

- Listed In:
  - *The Best Lawyers in America*®: Ones to Watch, Corporate Law, 2023-2024
  - *New York Super Lawyers*® Rising Star, Business/Corporate, 2022-2023
- Honoree, Capital District Women's Bar Association "Sweet Success!" Event, 2020
- Member, Capital District Women's Bar Association
- Member, Albany County Bar Association
- Member, New York State Bar Association
  - Business Law Section
  - Women in Law Section
- Editor-in-Chief, *Albany Law Review*, 2016-2017
- Recipient, Herbert E. Cohen Prize, 2017
- Recipient, Siegel Scholarship, 2017

### Other Activities

### Education

- Albany Law School (J.D., *magna cum laude*, 2017)
- Rockefeller College of Public Affairs and Policy (CGS, *summa cum laude*, 2013)
- Siena College (B.A., *magna cum laude*, 2010)

### Bar/Court Admissions

- New York (2017)

### Practices

- Business and Transactions
- Tax
- Property
- Mergers and Acquisitions

- Member, Capital District Professionals Referral Network