

Maryland Lawyers on the Move: July 25, 2010.
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Timothy F. Berger has joined the tax practice of Gallagher Evelius & Jones, of Baltimore, as an associate. Berger advises clients on federal and state tax issues. His practice involves tax planning and advice with a focus on real property investments and corporate and partnership tax issues and transactions, tax credit transactions, and controversies with the IRS. Berger previously was an associate at Covington & Burling, of Washington, D.C. Before graduating from the University of Maryland School of Law, he worked as an investment banking analyst at Deutsche Bank Alex. Brown.

Andreas Lundstedt has joined the Law Office of Andrew M. Dansicker in Hunt Valley as an associate concentrating on employment law, including sexual harassment, discrimination, breach of contract, wrongful termination and appellate work.

Eric G. Orlinsky, a partner in Saul Ewing's Baltimore office, has been appointed a Fellow of the American Bar Foundation. Orlinsky is chair of the firm's corporate group and a member of the business and finance department. He concentrates his practice in general business and securities law. Orlinsky is active in American Bar Association and Maryland State Bar Association committees, and serves on several boards in Maryland's technology and emerging-companies community. He earned his undergraduate degree from Johns Hopkins University and his law degree from the University of Maryland School of Law.

Kathleen M. Dumais, a principal with Paley Rothman, of Bethesda, and a member of the Maryland House of Delegates for District 15 in Montgomery County, received the 2010 Beverly Groner Family Law Award for exemplifying the highest professional standards of family law, at the Maryland State Bar Association Annual Meeting in Ocean City.

Priscilla Carroll, a partner in Bowie and Jensen's transactional department who focuses on commercial real estate law, has received the William J. Casey Award for service to the American Red Cross. Carroll has served as chair of the Red Cross of Central Maryland board of directors nominating committee for the past two years.

Francie Cohen Spahn, an associate in the transactional real estate practice group of Saul Ewing, was recently elected to the board of trustees of the Maryland Science Center in Baltimore. Spahn concentrates her practice on sustainable design, development and construction of residential and commercial properties. She is a LEED Accredited Professional and has obtained the designation of LEED Building

Design + Construction from the U.S. Green Building Council. Spahn received her law degree from the University of Maryland School of Law.

Gregg Bernstein and Martin S. Himeles Jr. of the Baltimore office of Zuckerman Spaeder have been recognized by Chambers USA: America's Leading Lawyers for Business for their work in Litigation: General Commercial Maryland.

Jay G. Cohen and Thomas L. Totten of the Baltimore office of Duane Morris have been recognized by Chambers USA: America's Leading Lawyers for Business, Cohen for his work in corporate/mergers and acquisitions, Totten for real estate.

Douglas M. Topolski, a partner in the labor and employment department of McGuireWoods, of Baltimore, has been named a Leading Lawyer by Chambers USA: America's Leading Lawyers for Business.

Thirteen lawyers from the Baltimore office of DLA Piper have been recognized by Chambers USA: America's Leading Lawyers for Business. They are: William David Chalk, Jason C. Harmon and Jay Smith, corporate/M&A; Neil Dilloff, Brett Ingerman, Robert J. Mathias and Charles P. Scheeler, litigation: general commercial; Guy E. Flynn, Richard E. Levine and John Machen, real estate; Mark Muedeking and Linda Marotta Thomas, employee benefits & executive compensation; and Russell H. Gardner, labor & employment.

Venable, which in Maryland has offices in Baltimore, Towson and Rockville, was recognized by Chambers USA: America's Leading Lawyers for Business for its work in employee benefits and executive compensation, corporate M&A, health care, litigation and real estate. Attorneys mentioned include James Hanks, Sharon Kroupa, Paul Strain, Bryson Cook, Michael Baader, Thomas Washburne, Charles Morton, Anthony Rosso, Michael Pedone, Barbara Schlaff, Harry Atlas, Kenneth Hoffman, Thora Johnson, Constance Baker, Peter Parvis, Jeffrey Ayres, Todd Horn, Robert Ames, Ronald Taylor, James Gray, Russell Reno, Kevin Shepherd, James Wright, Roger Colaizzi, Jeffrey Knowles, Douglas McDonald and Richard Powers.

Three practice areas and nine partners in the Baltimore office of Hogan Lovells US have been recognized in the 2010 edition of Chambers USA: America's Leading Lawyers for Business. They are: corporate/M&A, litigation: general commercial, healthcare, Mark Gately, Stephen Immelt, Henry Kahn, Michael Silver, Steve Barley, Glenn Campbell, Stephen Immelt, Walter Duke Lohr Jr., Brian Chappell and Lauren Colton.