



Alison Yuko Krieser

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Alison Krieser brings a blend of legal knowledge, interpersonal skills, and business acumen to her practice, focusing on private equity and corporate transactional matters. Known for her responsiveness and ability to anticipate client needs and risks, Alison provides strategic counsel as she guides clients on optimal paths toward success.

Emphasizes people and relationships to help maximize gain

Alison understands that closing the deal is not her only goal. She recognizes that her clients' deals often involve building and maintaining relationships and avoiding impasses. Acknowledging the value of people and relationships in many transactions, she ensures a smooth transition that respects the interests of all parties involved.

Alison regularly works with private equity firms, investment funds, and companies in diverse industries such as health care, veterinary services, construction and technology. She assists them with mergers and acquisitions, growth equity, contract negotiations, company formation and governance. Clients appreciate the calm and steady approach Alison employs when guiding transactions to completion, as well as her commitment to their overall success.

**Alison Krieser is licensed in Texas, Wisconsin, and Nevada. Her application for the Illinois Bar is pending.*

Recognitions

Recognized or listed in the following:

- *Best Lawyers in America*
 - Ones to Watch
 - Corporate Law, 2021–2025
 - Mergers and Acquisitions Law, 2021–2025
 - Leveraged Buyouts and Private Equity Law, 2025

Practices

- Corporate
- Corporate Governance
- Health Care
- Health Care Services Private Equity
- Health Care Transactions
- Independent Sponsors
- Mergers and Acquisitions
- Private Equity
- Private Equity Regulatory Compliance

Industries

- Entrepreneurial Ventures
- Family Offices
- Manufacturing and Industrials Private Equity
- Pharmaceutical and Life Sciences
- Technology

Education

- JD, University of Michigan Law School
- BA, Cornell University, Biology & Society, Public Health & Policy

Bar Admissions

- Nevada
- Texas
- Wisconsin

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News

- Katten Marks Successful Expansion of Its Career Development Program (December 3, 2024)
- Katten Represents Pfingsten Partners in Sale of RapidAir to Gryphon Investors (October 23, 2024)
- Katten Attorneys Recognized as *Best Lawyers®* and *Best Lawyers: Ones to Watch®* Award Recipients (August 15, 2024)
- Katten Attorneys Distinguished by *Best Lawyers®* (August 17, 2023)
- Katten Attorneys Recognized by *Best Lawyers®* (August 18, 2022)
- Alison Yuko Krieser Profiled by *Law.com* on How She Made Partner (May 11, 2022)
- Katten Attorneys Listed in *The Best Lawyers in America®* (August 19, 2021)
- *Law360* Celebrates Katten's New Partner Class (February 8, 2021)
- Katten Announces New Partner Class (October 30, 2020)
- Katten Attorneys Distinguished as Top Legal Talent in the 2021 *Best Lawyers in America* and *Best Lawyers: Ones to Watch* Lists (August 20, 2020)
- Katten's Insolvency and Restructuring Team Wins Two Turnaround Awards (December 12, 2019)
- Katten represents Highlander Partners in purchase of top pork rind producer (August 8, 2019)
- Katten Attorneys Prepare Chicago High School Students for Career Success (November 8, 2018)

Publications

- Health Care Private Equity Scrutiny Continues (February 28, 2025)

Presentations and Events

- The 20th Annual Southeastern M&A/Private Equity Forum (September 26, 2024) | *Speaker* | *Fires on the Horizon: A Fireside Chat on Deal Risk and Response in Private Equity*
- [G.R.O.W. CFO Series | Women in M&A: A Panel Discussion | Presented by FEI Dallas](#) (January 11, 2024)