

Benjamin M. Levine

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Benjamin Levine believes that effective legal counsel starts with understanding the goals, concerns and business models of the people behind each deal. His practice focuses on the formation, structuring and operation of private investment funds and other investment vehicles. Benjamin advises both fund sponsors and institutional investors on matters ranging from fund launches and bespoke structures to complex capital commitments and transactions between funds. With a thoughtful, business-minded approach, he helps clients navigate complex relationships and align fund structures with strategic objectives.

Partnering with sponsors and investors to structure thoughtful, effective private fund solutions

Before becoming an attorney, Benjamin developed a strong foundation in negotiation, project management and client service as a manager of professional musicians. During law school, he served as editor-in-chief of *Chicago-Kent Law Review Vol. 98*, was a member of the Moot Court Honor Society and held leadership roles in several student organizations. He also served as a judicial extern in the Probate Division of the Circuit Court of Cook County and was recognized nationally for excellence in both written and oral advocacy.

Benjamin maintains an active pro bono practice, advising on immigration matters, nonprofit formation, and participating in legal clinics that support individuals with limited access to legal services. He values building relationships across industries and perspectives, and brings clarity, care and strategic insight to every engagement.

News

- Katten Advises Monarq Asset Management in Strategic Investment From FalconX (June 6, 2025)

Practices

- Financial Markets and Funds
- Futures and Derivatives
- Investment Management and Trading

Education

- JD, Chicago-Kent College of Law, *(Illinois Institute of Technology), Order of the Coif, magna cum laude*
- MS, Northwestern University
- BA, Lawrence University

Bar Admissions

- Illinois

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Publications

- Turning Uncertainty Into Prices: The Emergence of Federally Regulated Event Contract Markets (2026)
- Financial Markets and Funds *Quick Take* | Issue 48 (March 2026)