

Katten Securitization Team Surges in 2025 CMBS and ABS League Table Rankings

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Katten's Structured Finance and Securitization Practice demonstrated exceptional performance in the 2025 league tables published by *Commercial Mortgage Alert* and *Asset-Backed Alert*, reflecting significant growth across multiple securitization categories.

Katten's Commercial Mortgage-Backed Securities (CMBS) team also achieved remarkable growth in 2025. According to *Commercial Mortgage Alert*, "Katten Muchin came on like gangbusters" as top-five underwriter counsel for CMBS, with 36 deals totaling \$22.6 billion, a dramatic increase from just seven deals totaling \$4.5 billion in 2024, representing more than a five-fold increase in deal count and volume. For issuer counsel for agency CMBS, Katten was also in the top five, with six deals totaling \$2.9 billion, focusing on Fannie Mae transactions.

According to *Asset-Backed Alert's* 2025 league tables, Katten continues its streak in the top 10 placements among the most active issuers' counsel for US asset-backed and mortgage-backed securitizations, with 53 deals and a total issuance volume of \$42.1 billion. On the underwriters' counsel ranking for US ABS/MBS, Katten was in the top 20 with 11 deals totaling \$5.6 billion in issuance volume. These results underscore the continued strength and growth of Katten's Structured Finance and Securitization team across the ABS, MBS and CMBS markets.

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