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## Katten Earns Recognition for 17 Practices and 44 Attorneys in 2011 *Chambers USA* Guide

**CHICAGO – Katten Muchin Rosenman LLP** is pleased to announce that 17 of its practices rank among the best in the country in the 2011 edition of *Chambers USA: America's Leading Lawyers for Business*. In addition, *Chambers* recommends 44 Katten attorneys as leaders in their respective fields. The directory, known for its independent and objective research process is a sought-after guide by business leaders selecting legal counsel, and it is available today at [www.chambersandpartners.com](http://www.chambersandpartners.com).

Katten earned *Chambers*' highest ranking in the category of Real Estate – Illinois, while individually, partners Gregory Brown, Michael R. Callahan, Alvin Katz, Floyd A. Mandell, Laura Keidan Martin, Peter F. Nadel, Stuart P. Shulruff and Joshua Rubenstein were recognized with the guide's highest individual rankings in their respective areas of practice. In addition, Herbert S. Wander, a partner in the firm's Corporate Practice, was recognized as a "Senior Statesman," and Structured Finance and Securitization partner Joseph P. Topolski was named an "Up and Coming" lawyer. The firm's Securities Litigation practice was ranked for the first time in the 2011 edition.

The firm earned recognition in this year's guide in the following *Chambers* categories:

### Nationwide:

- Investment Funds: Hedge Funds
- Securities: Litigation
- Transportation: Aviation: Finance
- Wealth Management

### Illinois:

- Banking and Finance
- Corporate/M&A and Private Equity
- Healthcare
- Intellectual Property
- Labor and Employment: Employee Benefits and Compensation
- Litigation: General Commercial
- Litigation: White-Collar Crime and Government Investigations

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- Real Estate
- Tax

**New York:**

- Healthcare
- Real Estate: Mainly Dirt

**California:**

- Media and Entertainment: Transactional

**North Carolina:**

- Real Estate

The Katten attorneys recommended in this year's guide, listed by *Chambers* category, are:

**Antitrust (Illinois)**

Laura Keidan Martin

**Banking and Finance (Illinois)**

Michael A. Jacobson

Stuart P. Shulruff

**Capital Markets: Securitization (Nationwide)**

Christopher DiAngelo

Joseph P. Topolski

**Corporate/M&A (Illinois)**

Howard S. Lanznar

Herbert S. Wander

**Corporate/M&A: Private Equity (Illinois)**

Kenneth W. Miller

Walter S. Weinberg

**Employee Benefits and Executive Compensation (Nationwide)**

Gregory Brown

**Environment: Litigation (Illinois)**

Nancy J. Rich

**Environment (District of Columbia)**

Steven P. Solow

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**Healthcare (Illinois)**

Michael R. Callahan  
W. Kenneth Davis, Jr.  
D. Louis Glaser  
Laura Keidan Martin  
Steven Olson

**Healthcare (New York)**

Peter F. Nadel  
Joseph Willey

**Healthcare: Regulatory and Litigation (Nationwide)**

Michael R. Callahan  
Peter F. Nadel

**Intellectual Property (Illinois)**

Floyd A. Mandell  
Timothy Vezeau

**Intellectual Property: Patent (New York)**

Samson Helfgott

**Investment Funds: Hedge Funds (Nationwide)**

Henry Bregstein

**Labor and Employment: Employee Benefits and Compensation (Illinois)**

Gregory Brown

**Litigation: General Commercial (Illinois)**

David H. Kistenbroker

**Litigation: Securities (California)**

Bruce G. Vanyo

**Litigation: White Collar Crime and Government Investigations (Illinois)**

Sheldon Zenner

**Media and Entertainment: Litigation (California)**

Gail Title

**Media and Entertainment: Transactional (California)**

Michael Hobel

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**Real Estate (California)**

Benzion Westreich

**Real Estate (District of Columbia)**

Wendy L. Fields

**Real Estate (Illinois)**

Rachel Brown

David Bryant

David Dlugie

Alvin Katz

Mark C. Simon

Andrew Small

**Real Estate (New York)**

Lawrence D. Eisenberg

**Real Estate (North Carolina)**

J. Hayden Harrell

Daniel S. Huffenus

**Sports Law (Nationwide)**

Adam Klein

**Tax (Illinois)**

Sheldon I. Banoff

Reid A. Mandel

Saul E. Rudo

**Transportation: Aviation: Finance (Nationwide)**

Timothy J. Lynes

**Wealth Management: Eastern Region (Nationwide)**

Joshua Rubenstein

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