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Industries

Energy

Oil, Gas & Minerals

Practice Areas

Family Office Services

Tax

Wealth Planning & Family
Office

Bar Memberships

Texas

Languages

English

Flemish

Dan's practice involves transactional federal, state and international tax planning. His practice is a broad-based practice involving corporate, partnership, trust and individual tax planning; tax aspects of both public and private securities offerings including REMICs, asset backed securities, oil and gas, real estate, private equity and off shore funds; inbound and outbound foreign investment; executive compensation charitable organizations (including private foundations); and federal and state tax controversy work (administrative and judicial). In addition, Dan advises clients regarding wealth planning, including wills and trusts, charitable giving strategies, family limited partnerships, foundations as well as trust and estate matters.

Other Info About Dan

Education

University of Notre Dame Law School, J.D. 1976

Southern Methodist University School of Law, LL.M., Taxation, 1984

University of Notre Dame, B.A., Economics, 1972

Courts

U.S. Tax Court

U.S. District Court for the Northern District of Texas

Recognition

Named one of D CEO's Dallas 500 most influential leaders in the Dallas area

Ranked AV® Preeminent™ 5.0 out of 5*

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The Best Lawyers in America® – Tax, 2009–2027; Energy Law, 2023; Litigation and Controversy—Tax, 2025–2027; Trusts and Estates, 2024–2027, “Lawyer of the Year,” 2025

Texas’ Best Lawyers, 2009 – 2010

Texas Super Lawyers, Texas Monthly, 2003–2006

Professional Affiliations

Member, American Bar Association – Tax and Real Property, Probate and Trust Sections

Member, State Bar of Texas – Tax and Real Property, Probate and Trust Sections

Member, Dallas Bar Association – Tax, Probate and Trust Sections

Civic Activities

Salesmanship Club of Dallas, Member 2001 – Present

AT&T Cotton Bowl Board of Directors, 2006 – Present, Chairman 2014 – 2015

University of Notre Dame Law Association Board of Directors, 1982 – 2014

Baylor Health Care System Foundation Board of Directors, 2006 – Present

SMU Athletic Forum Board of Directors 2006 – Present, Chairman 2011–2012

Catholic Foundation Advisory Council, 2006 – Present

Communities Foundation of Texas Advisory Council 2014 – Present

Catholic Diocese of Dallas Strategic Planning Committee: A Mission
for Excellence in Catholic Schools

Catholic Diocese of Dallas Our Faith ... Our Future Capital Campaign
Co-Chair

Firm Committees

Dallas Office, former Partner-in-Charge

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