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Michael is a commercial lawyer whose practice focuses primarily on the representation of public and private business owners, municipal entities and creditor groups in matters involving debt restructuring, workouts, bankruptcies, banking and finance, real estate, dispute resolution, and other complex commercial matters. He is a seasoned practitioner who employs a practical approach to develop creative solutions to address the needs of financially distressed companies and their lenders, vendors, and owners.

Practicing since 1981, Michael has handled successful resolutions of complex situations involving a large cross section of the American economy, including casino, industrial, health care, telecom, manufacturing, real estate, broadcasting and other business interests in and out of bankruptcy. Included among these have been chapter 11 debtor Atlantic Broadcasting; the steering committee of lenders for Revel Atlantic City, the bondholders committee for the Claridge Casino Hotel; unsecured creditors' committees for Fontainebleau Las Vegas Holdings, Rockaway Bedding, Custom Food Products, PBI Regional Medical Center, Network Access Solutions, 15-35 Hempstead Properties and Burke Industries; individual creditors in the bankruptcy cases of Delphi Automotive, Trump Entertainment, The Sands Casino Hotel, President Casinos, The Glass Group, and Anchor Glass Products; trustees for AM Communications, English Equestrian Group, Forest City Automotive, and Miller Harness Company; and both secured creditors and debtors in complex foreclosures of commercial real estate.

Michael currently serves as the Managing Partner of the firm's Atlantic City office and is a member of the Executive Committee.

Before Fox Rothschild

Michael worked in the Federal Office of the Comptroller of the Currency. In law school at the University of Richmond, he was a member of *Phi Delta Phi* and the *Law Review*. His undergraduate degree is from the University of Virginia.

Beyond Fox Rothschild

Michael is active in his community and has served on various public and private boards and community organizations. Michael chaired the board of the Atlantic-Cumberland Chapter of the American Red Cross from 2005 to 2006 and served as a board member from 1999 to 2006. From 2008 to 2010, he served a term as an elected member of the Board of Education for the City of Northfield, New Jersey and has served as a United Way Coordinator and as a Commissioner on the Environmental Commission for the City of Linwood, New Jersey where he now resides with his wife and two sons.

Client Resources

New Jersey Foreclosure Blog

Enforcement of mortgages through judicial foreclosure is on the rise, especially in New Jersey, as the current economic environment has compelled commercial lenders to look to collateral for recovery on defaulted loans. Join our team as they examine the nuances of New Jersey foreclosure law and procedure and analyze its financial and social impacts.

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Honors and Awards

- Martindale-Hubbell "AV" rated
- Included in a list of "Super Lawyers" by *New Jersey Monthly Magazine* and *Law & Politics Magazine* (2010)
- Included in a list of "Super Lawyers" in the field of Bankruptcy & Creditor/Debtor Rights by *Super Lawyers Magazine* (Corporate Counsel Edition) (2010)

Biography



News

Publications

Speaking Engagements/Events



Practice Areas

Financial Restructuring & Bankruptcy

Franchising, Licensing & Distribution

Financial Services Industry

Bar Admissions

New Jersey

Pennsylvania

Education

J.D., University of Richmond, 1981

B.A., University of Virginia, 1975

Court Admissions

U.S. Supreme Court

State and Federal Courts in New Jersey

State and Federal Courts in Pennsylvania

Memberships

American Bankruptcy Institute

American Bar Association

New Jersey State Bar Association

Pennsylvania Bar Association

Lawyers Advisory Committee, Chair of the Chapter 11 Subcommittee

Commercial Real Estate Finance Council (CREFC)

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