

Partner Neil Barofsky Named Finalist for Attorney of the Year by *The American Lawyer* 2026 Industry Awards

Recognition

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Partner Neil Barofsky has been named a finalist for Attorney of the Year by *The American Lawyer* as part of its 2026 Industry Awards. The award recognizes lawyers whose work over the past year has had significant impact on their clients, the profession, or the public interest. Winners will be announced at the annual gala on November 12 in New York.

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Neil was selected for his work as the Independent Ombudsperson leading the investigation into Credit Suisse's historical ties to Nazi-era clients. In February 2026, Neil testified before the US Senate Judiciary Committee to present findings from the ongoing investigation. His testimony, which included a 75-page written statement, revealed previously unreported relationships between the bank and Nazi-era entities.

Neil co-chairs Jenner & Block's Monitorship Practice and counsels financial services companies, labor organizations, and other entities on government regulatory matters. In addition to his role as Independent Ombudsperson over the Credit Suisse Nazi-era investigation, he serves as the court-appointed monitor for the United Auto Workers and as government-appointed co-monitor of the New York City Housing Authority. A former federal prosecutor, he previously led the Office of the Special Inspector General for the Troubled Asset Relief Program (SIGTARP).

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