

Jenner & Block Partners Debbie L. Berman and Erin R. Schrantz Named in Crain’s “Notable Gen X Leaders in Accounting, Consulting, and Law”

Recognition

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Partners Debbie L. Berman and Erin R. Schrantz have been recognized in *Crain’s Chicago Business* as “Notable Gen X Leaders in Accounting, Consulting, and Law” for their extraordinary efforts during the pandemic, their civic work improving Chicagoland communities, and their commitment to improving equity within the legal landscape.

Ms. Berman’s profile highlights her precedent-setting victory with Hetronic International’s \$113 million verdict, as well as her efforts litigating *PepsiCo v. Redmond* – a seminal case on the inevitable disclosure doctrine for trade secrets. The profile also notes her role as co-chair of the firm’s Complex Commercial Litigation Practice, as well as co-chair of its Pro Bono Committee, helping manage the firm’s five-year, \$250 million pro bono commitment. She is also on the board of governors for the Jewish Agency for Israel.

Ms. Schrantz’s recognition describes her work as co-chair of Jenner & Block’s Investigations, Compliance, and Defense Practice, conducting compliance assessments on financial crimes, including bribery and corruption, fraud, #MeToo, and other risk issues. The profile highlights her leadership with the compliance team for the monitor of Credit Suisse following its \$715 million settlement, her efforts promoting programs to support working parents, and her development of a mentor program to advance junior women partners to equity.

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