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# IAN FRIEDMAN NAMED TOP 10 OHIO LAWYER OF 2025

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The law firm of Friedman Nemecek Long & Grant, LLC, is proud to announce that **Founding Partner Ian N. Friedman** has been nominated by his peers as one of the **Top 10 Lawyers in the State of Ohio**, as recognized by 2025 Ohio Super Lawyers. Of note, Ian Friedman is the only lawyer to have achieved this recognition that practices within the realm of criminal and white-collar defense law. As of 2023, the Ohio State Bar Association reported the number of licensed lawyers in Ohio to be approximately forty thousand.

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“I am extremely humbled and honored to be rated by my colleagues as one of only ten top lawyers actively practicing in Ohio. It is made more special by the fact that I am the only recipient presently practicing as a criminal defense attorney. I am keenly aware of the high level of work that my co-recipients perform and of the results that they routinely achieve. It is a privilege to be among them.” Ian Friedman, Friedman Nemecek Long & Grant, LLC.

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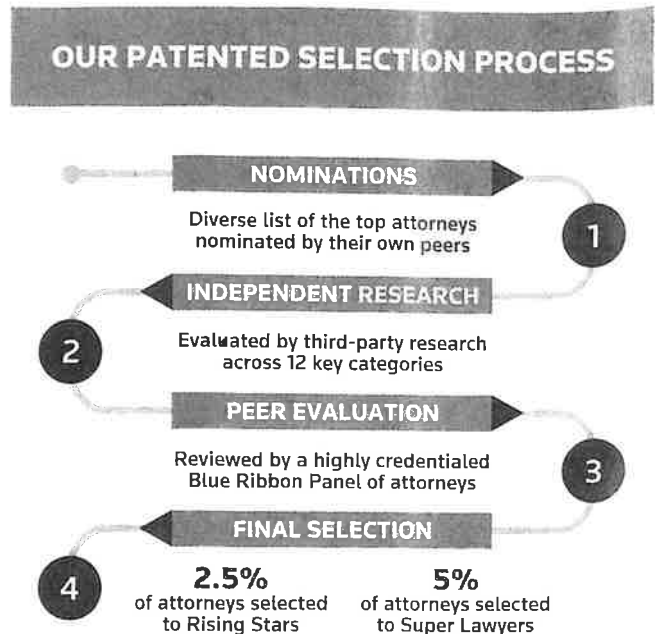
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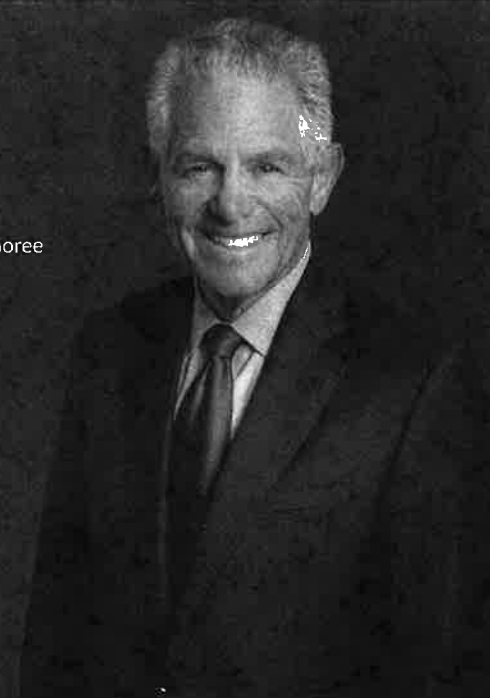
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## TOP 10

**BASHEIN, W. CRAIG**  
• Ranked Number Three •  
Bashein & Bashein Co., Cleveland

**CRANDALL, STEVE**  
Crandall & Pera Law, Cleveland

**FRIEDMAN, IAN N.**  
Friedman Nemecek, Cleveland

**HELFMAN, JILL F.**  
Taft, Cleveland

**LEFFLER, AMANDA M.**  
Shumaker Loop & Kendrick, Akron

**PATNO, CHRISTIAN R.**  
• Ranked Number Two •  
McCarthy Lebit Crystal & Liffman Co.,  
Cleveland

**RAY, FRANK A.**  
Frank A. Ray Co., Columbus

**ROACH, ADRIENNE J.**  
Keating Muething & Klekamp, Cincinnati

**TRENEFF, CRAIG P.**  
Treneff Cozza Law, Westerville

**UNGAR, MICHAEL N.**  
• Ranked Number One •  
UB Greensfelder, Cleveland

**Abboud, Antony A.**, Gounaris Abboud, Dayton  
**Adams, Gregory L.**, Croswell & Adams Co.,  
Cincinnati  
**Ahern, Ann-Marie**, McCarthy Lebit Crystal &  
Liffman Co., Cleveland  
**Arnold, James E.**, Arnold & Clifford, Columbus  
**Bashein, W. Craig**, Bashein & Bashein Co.,  
Cleveland  
**Besser, Matthew D.**, Bolek Besser Glesius,  
Cleveland  
**Blasik-Miller, Susan**, Reminger, Dayton  
**Bossin, Phyllis G.**, Phyllis G. Bossin & Associates,  
Cincinnati  
**Bowman, J. Scott**, Geiser & Bowman, Columbus  
**Butler, David J.**, Taft, Columbus  
**Chandra, Subodh**, The Chandra Law Firm,  
Cleveland  
**Chesney, Michael N.**, Frantz Ward, Cleveland  
**Ciano, Phillip A.**, Ciano & Goldwasser, Beachwood  
**Cosgrove, Paul**, UB Greensfelder, Cincinnati  
**Cozza, Andrea L.**, Treneff Cozza Law, Westerville  
**Crandall, Steve**, Crandall & Pera Law, Cleveland  
**DiCello, Nicholas A.**, Spangenberg Shibley &  
Liber, Cleveland  
**Dimengo, Steven A.**, Buckingham Doolittle &  
Burrroughs, Akron  
**DiSilvio, Marilena**, Elk & Elk Co., Mayfield Heights

**Doyle, Terrence F. (Terry)**, Calfee Halter &  
Griswold, Cleveland  
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Grant, Cleveland  
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Columbus  
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Columbus  
**Galeano, Judith E.**, Mowery Youell & Galeano,  
Dublin  
**Gallucci III, Frank L.**, Plevin & Gallucci Co.,  
Cleveland  
**Geiser, Michael K.**, Geiser & Bowman, Columbus  
**Goldwasser, Andy**, Ciano & Goldwasser,  
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**Grant, David R.**, Plevin & Gallucci Co., Cleveland  
**Grossman, Andrew S.**, Grossman Law Offices,  
Columbus  
**Groza, Jonathon W.**, Kohrman Jackson & Krantz,  
Cleveland  
**Hannigan, Erinn McKee**, Stagnaro Hannigan  
Koop Co, Cincinnati  
**Harris, Sean**, Kitrick Lewis & Harris Co., Columbus  
**Haynes, S. Scott**, Haynes Kessler Myers &  
Postalakis, Worthington  
**Helfman, Jill F.**, Taft, Cleveland  
**Hensel, A. J.**, Ice Miller, Columbus  
**Horvath, Dennis E.**, Wolinetz | Horvath | Brown,  
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Akron  
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Columbus  
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**Lyon, Michael F.**, Lindhorst & Dreidame Co.,  
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Cincinnati  
**Nowlin, Ryan P.**, Schneider Smeltz Spieth Bell,  
Cleveland  
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Cleveland  
**O'Shea, John L.**, Cohen Todd Kite & Stanford,  
Cincinnati  
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McCarthy Co., Cleveland  
**Patno, Christian R.**, McCarthy Lebit Crystal &  
Liffman Co., Cleveland  
**Pelini, Craig G.**, Pelini Campbell & Ricard,  
North Canton  
**Pera, Marc G.**, Crandall & Pera Law, Cincinnati  
**Peschke, Joel L.**, Calderhead Lockemeyer &  
Peschke, Loveland  
**Price, William J.**, Elk & Elk Co., Mayfield Heights  
**Ray, Frank A.**, Frank A. Ray Co., Columbus  
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Cleveland  
**Reynolds, Christopher R.**, Zashin Law, Cleveland  
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Mansfield  
**Rittgers, Charles H.**, Rittgers Rittgers & Nakajima,  
Lebanon  
**Rittgers, Ellen B.**, Rittgers Rittgers & Nakajima,  
Lebanon  
**Roach, Adrienne J.**, Keating Muething & Klekamp,  
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Jensen, Columbus  
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Liffman Co., Cleveland  
**Schneiberg, Jerald A.**, Nager Romaine &  
Schneiberg Co., Euclid  
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Co., Columbus  
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Cleveland  
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