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Charles Still serves as Co-Head of Bracewell's firm-wide Corporate and Securities Department and maintains an active transactional practice, with a particular focus on the energy industry. He advises clients on mergers, acquisitions and sales of public and private companies, joint ventures, private equity investments and restructuring transactions. Charles also represents corporate and master limited partnership (MLP) issuers and investment banks in capital markets transactions, including initial public offerings, private investments in public equity (PIPEs) and other public and private offerings of common and preferred equity securities, as well as public and Rule 144A offerings of high-yield, investment-grade and convertible debt securities. He also advises clients on corporate governance, SEC reporting and other corporate and securities law matters.

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## Credentials

### Education

- Wesleyan University, J.D., 1994

### Bar Admissions

- Texas

### Affiliations

- American Bar Association, Business Law Section, Committee on Federal Regulation of Securities
- State Bar of Texas Business Law Section

- Texas Business Law Foundation, Director
- Texas Bar Foundation, Life Fellow
- Houston Bar Association
- Houston Bar Foundation, Life Fellow

## ***The Legal 500 United States***

- Mergers & Acquisitions (M&A) Large Deals (\$1+ Billion), 2017 – 2024
- Capital Markets: Debt Offerings, 2013 – 2024
- Capital Markets: Equity Offerings, 2016 – 2018, 2024

## **Delinian Limited**

- *IFLR1000 Financial & Corporate and M&A Guide*, 2018 – 2024

## **Euromoney Institutional Investor PLC**

- *IFLR1000 United States*, Texas Capital Markets: Debt & Equity, 2018 – 2019

## **BL Rankings**

- *Best Lawyers*, Corporate Law, 2007 – 2025
- *Best Lawyers*, Securities/Capital Markets Law, 2010 – 2025
- *Best Lawyers*, Securities Regulation, 2010 – 2025
- *Best Lawyers*, Corporate Governance Law, 2007 – 2017
- Houston Lawyer of the Year, Securities Regulation, 2022

## **Lawdragon Inc.**

- *Lawdragon 500 Leading Dealmakers in America*, Corporate & Securities, Especially Energy, 2024 – 2025
- *Lawdragon 500 Leading US Energy Lawyers*, Energy Transactions, Especially M&A, 2024

## **Thomson Reuters**

- *Texas Super Lawyers Rising Star*, 2004 – 2008

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## **Resources**

### **2021 ESG Seminar, Session 2**

Video

## **Summary Outline of SEC's Proposed Rule on Climate-Related Disclosure and Accounting**

Update

## **Corporate Governance Considerations Under the SEC's Proposed Climate Disclosure Rules**

Article

## **The SEC's Final Rules on Climate-Related Disclosures: A Guide for In-House Counsel**

Update

## **Update on Securities and Exchange Commission's Landmark Proposed Climate-Change Disclosure Rulemaking**

Update

## **Corporate Governance Considerations Under the SEC's Proposed Climate Disclosure Rules**

Update

## **The SEC's Proposed Rules on Climate-Related Disclosures – What to Do Now: A Guide for In-House Counsel Facing the Proposed Rules**

Update

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## **Publications & Speeches**

- "Corporate Governance Considerations Under the SEC's Proposed Climate Disclosure Rules," *Agenda Week*, May 16, 2022.
- "Proxy Access Shareholder Proposals: SEC Issues No-Action Responses," *Corporate Compliance Insights*, March 14, 2016.
- "Maturing Shale Plays Help Usher in Recent Increase in Upstream MLPs," *Oil & Gas Financial Journal*, June 2013.