

## Jeris Diana Brunette

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Jeris Brunette focuses her practice on commercial lending and project finance in a variety of industries with an emphasis on the renewable energy sector. She advises, structures and negotiates a range of secured and unsecured financial transactions, including structuring and negotiating senior and subordinated debt financings, acquisition and project financings, structured financings, securitizations and physical and financial commodity hedges. Jeris' clients include financial institutions, private equity funds and other energy-sector borrowers.

Notably, Jeris represented Crédit Agricole Corporate and Investment Bank as collateral agent to the revolving debtor-in-possession lenders in the \$2.81 billion prepackaged Chapter 11 restructuring transaction for McDermott International, Inc. (NYSE:MDR) approved January 23, 2020 and as lead arranger, revolving agent and collateral agent in the \$1.7 billion superpriority rescue financing for MDR closed October 21, 2019.

She has been recognized by *The Legal 500 United States* for Commercial Lending (2018-2019, 2023) and Project Finance (2018-2019). Jeris has also been named to list of Rising Stars by *IFLR1000 Financial & Corporate and M&A Guide* in Banking (2016-2023), *Law360* Banking Rising Star (2021), as well as the New York Super Lawyers Rising Stars list for Securities & Corporate Finance (2017-2019).

### Industries

[Energy](#)

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### Practices

[Environmental, Social &](#)

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[Structured Finance](#)

[Syndicated Lending](#)

[Solar](#)

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## Credentials

### Education

- New York University School of Law, J.D., 2008

# BRACEWELL

- New York University, College of Arts and Sciences, B.A., 2005, *summa cum laude*

## **Bar Admissions**

- Solicitor of the Senior Courts of England and Wales
- New York

## **Languages**

- Russian
- Spanish

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

- Commercial Lending: Advice to Borrowers, 2018 – 2019, 2023 – 2024
- Commercial Lending: Advice to Lenders, 2018 – 2019, 2023 – 2024
- Project Finance: Advice to Lender, 2018 – 2019, 2024
- Project Finance: Advice to Sponsor, 2018 – 2019, 2024

## **Delinian Limited**

- *IFLR1000 Financial & Corporate and M&A Guide*, Highly Regarded: Banking, 2024
- Notable Practitioner: Banking, 2023
- Rising Star: Banking, 2016 – 2022
- Finance, 2016

## **Portfolio Media, Inc.**

- *Law360*, Banking Rising Star, 2021

## **Lawdragon Inc.**

- *Lawdragon 500 Leading US Energy Lawyers*, Energy Finance, 2024

## **Thomson Reuters**

- *New York Metro Super Lawyers*, Rising Stars, 2017 – 2018