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Scott Segal is co-chair of the firm's Policy Resolution Group, the government relations and strategic communications section at Bracewell. He has more than two decades of experience across a broad range of policy and communications issues, with particular experience dealing with energy, the environment and natural resources. Other areas of experience range from healthcare to financial services to trade and manufacturing issues. A practicing lawyer, Scott assists clients with effective participation in the legislative and regulatory processes. Additionally, Scott helps guides clients with strategic planning and communications in changed circumstances through public-affairs initiatives, monitoring, advocacy and negotiations with the United States Congress and administrative agencies of the federal government. He has testified before Congress and administrative agencies numerous times on matters related to energy and environmental policy.

Well informed on clients' issues of concern, Scott recognizes that his media contacts are looking for actual, real-world experience on important issues, not just message management. He is an articulate spokesman for Fortune 500 corporations on sensitive and progressive issues such as climate change, energy legislation and regulation, the Clean Air Act and fuel additives. He also is recognized as a reasonable, well-versed spokesman on broader energy and environmental issues and is quoted regularly in the national media, including offering commentary on network television and radio.

Scott taught law, policy development and communications at the University of Maryland (University College) and at Johns Hopkins University. Earlier in his career, he served as director of forensics at the University of Texas at Austin.

### Industries

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## Credentials

### Education

- Tulane University, J.D., 1989
- Emory University, B.A., 1986, *summa cum laude*, *Phi Beta Kappa*

### Bar Admissions

- District of Columbia

### Chambers USA

- Nationwide Government Relations, 2018 – 2024
- DC Environment, 2008 – 2022

### The Legal 500 United States

- Government Relations, 2018 – 2024

### Nexstar Media Group

- *The Hill*, Top Lobbyists, 2007 – 2024

### BL Rankings

- *Best Lawyers*, Government Relations Practice, 2020 – 2023
- *Best Lawyers*, Environmental Law, 2023 – 2024

### Thomson Reuters

- *Washington, D.C. Super Lawyers*, 2007

### Law Business Research Ltd.

- *Who's Who Legal*, Environment Global Leader, 2023
- *Who's Who Legal*, Government – Lobbying & Government Relations, 2024

### The University of Texas School of Law

- *Texas Law Review*, 1988 – 1989

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## Resources

### **FERC Proposes Policy Statement Encouraging RTOs/ISOs to Develop Rules Incorporating State Determined Carbon Prices**

Blog Post

## **PRG Pulse 2022 Midterms Post-Election Webinar**

Video

## **The Breakdown Versus The Bottom Line**

Video

## **ESG Seminar: Best Practices for M&A and Quick Hits on In Different Disciplines**

Video

## **ESG Seminar: Legislative Developments, International Approaches and Finance**

Video

## **100 Days in 60 Minutes**

Video

## **The Biden Executive Orders: Implementation at the Agencies**

Video

## **Post-Election Analysis from Bracewell's Policy Resolution Group (PRG): Implications for U.S. Energy and Environmental Policy**

Video

## **The PRG Pulse 2020 Post Election Webinar**

Video

## **Title 42: Navigating Immigration Complexities With Ahilan Arulanantham**

Podcast

## **The Breakdown vs. The Bottom Line: Nelson and Donovan Face Off**

Podcast

## **100 Days in 60 Minutes: A Conversation With Yasmin Nelson, Former Senior Policy Advisor to then-Senator Kamala D. Harris**

Podcast

## **Clean Energy Transition, Part 7: Executive Order Implementation at the Agencies**

Podcast

## **Clean Energy Transition, Part 6: Solar Power With SEIA's Abby Hopper**

Podcast

## **Clean Energy Transition, Part 5: The Role of Hydrogen Energy With Plug Power CEO Andy Marsh**

Podcast

## **Clean Energy Transition, Part 2: Financing America's Transition to Clean Energy**

Podcast

## **Clean Energy Transition, Part 1: Federal Leadership in the Biden Administration**

Podcast

## **PRG Pulse Special Edition: PRG's 2020 Post-Election Analysis Webinar**

Podcast

## **A Fight for the Presidency: Debate Preview With Scott Segal**

Podcast

## **Affordable Clean Energy With Scott Segal**

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## **The Policy Resolution Group's 2018 Post-Election Analysis Webinar**

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## **Political Climate Change With Scott Segal**

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## **EPA's ACE Rule With Global Energy Institute CEO Karen Harbert**

Podcast

## **What to Expect From EPA's Andrew Wheeler, Trade War Mixed Messages and More**

Podcast

## **State of the Union Power Half-Hour**

Podcast

## **Off the Hill With Stoney Burke**

Podcast

## **Hired Guns: The World of Washington Lobbying**

Podcast

## **The Friday Five: See You in September**

Podcast

## **We'll Always Have Paris?**

Podcast

## **President Trump's 100 Days in Office**

Podcast

## **Environmental Policy**

Podcast

## **2020 Post-Election Analysis: Issue by Issue**

Update

## **PRG Pulse 2022 Post-Election Analysis**

Update

## **Bracewell: How Trump and Harris Differ (or Don't) on Energy Policy**

Article

## **PRG Pulse 2024 Post-Election Webinar**

Video

## **PRG Pulse 2024 Post-Election Analysis: Energy and Environmental Policy**

Update

## **The Trump Administration's Day-One Executive Actions: Impacts on Energy and Environmental Policy and More**

Update

## **US Withdrawal From the Paris Climate Accord and its Impact on the Voluntary Carbon Market**

Update

## **Environmental Essentials Webinar Series – Ready, Set, Go: A Review of Early Trump Administration Actions on Energy and the Environment**

Video

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## **Publications & Speeches**

- "Trump Fossil Fuel Focus Won't End Interest in Clean Energy," *Law360*, November 14, 2024.
- "Bracewell: How Trump and Harris Differ (or Don't) on Energy Policy," *Oil and Gas Investor*, October 1, 2024.