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Education:

Loyola University, Chicago School of Law

J.D. (2019)

University of Chicago Booth School of Business

MBA (2026), Finance, Economics, Entrepreneurship

Emory University

BA English (2016), Cum Laude

Areas of Practice:

Corporate Law, Private Equity Transactions

Professional Activities:

Licensed in Illinois

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JOHN C. KARRAS

Mr. Karras focuses his practice in the areas of corporate law and private equity transactions.

Examples of his work include:

Private Equity Transactions

Represented private equity firms, strategic purchasers, banks, and family offices in all aspects of the negotiation, due diligence, and documentation of acquisitions, sales, investments, restructurings, and strategic joint ventures across a variety of industries (e.g., healthcare, industrials, food and beverage, ag-tech, and fintech).

Family Office Representation

Reviewed private equity investments, hedge fund investments, and co-investments and coordinated family office operations.

Mr. Karras earned his Juris Doctor from Loyola University, Chicago School of Law and his M.B.A. from the University of Chicago Booth School of Business.

Prior to joining the firm, Mr. Karras worked as an associate at several prominent Chicago law firms, focusing on private equity transactions, mergers and acquisitions, and corporate restructurings, and as senior counsel and family office investment advisor at the private family office of the co-founders of a top-5 AUM hedge fund in Chicago.