



## Maxwell L. Stubbs

Partner

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**Max focuses his practice on mergers and acquisitions, with an emphasis on the oil, gas, and energy sectors.**

Max has a broad energy practice with experience in commercial negotiations for midstream clients and acquisitions and divestitures of upstream and midstream assets. He counsels clients on upstream/midstream asset purchase agreements, hydrocarbon gathering and agreements, gas processing agreements, fractionation agreements, hydrocarbon storage and terminalling agreements, produced water gathering, recycling, and disposal agreements, hydrocarbon purchase, sale, and exchange agreements, pipeline capacity leases and undivided joint-interest agreements, construction and operating agreements, and master service agreements.

## Key Matters

*Some of the experience represented below may have been handled at a previous firm.*

- Represented a petroleum and natural gas exploration and production company in the sale of producing oil and gas properties in northern Louisiana to a transporter of oil products through pipelines

- Represented an acquirer and developer of opportunities in the North American energy space in the sale of assets to a Denver-based energy company focused on the acquisition and development of oil and gas properties in the Permian Basin
- Represented an acrylic products manufacturer in a transaction involving the negotiation of a long-term purchase and sale agreement, as well as certain investment-related agreements, with an affiliate of one of America's largest and most diversified midstream energy companies
- Represented an acquirer and developer of opportunities in the North American energy space in the definitive purchase and sale agreement with independent oil and gas exploration and production company that operates in the Permian's Delaware Basin, to sell approximately 2,798 net acres in the Delaware Basin

## Recognitions

- Recognized in *Best Lawyers: Ones to Watch® in America* in the areas of Mergers and Acquisitions Law and Oil and Gas Law (2024)
  - Recognized as a "Key Lawyer" in *The Legal 500 US* in the area of Energy Transactions: Oil and Gas (2023)
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## Credentials

### EDUCATION

Max received his J.D. from the University of Texas School of Law. He received his B.A., with highest honors, from the University of Texas at Austin.

### ADMISSIONS

- Texas

## Related Insights & News

### Publications & Speaking Engagements

- "Produced Water Disposal – The Next Big Wave in E&P," *Locke Lord's High Noon Knowledge Series*, October 11, 2018
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### RECOGNITIONS

Winston Attorneys Recognized in *Best Lawyers: Ones to Watch® in America* 2024  
AUGUST 17, 2023

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### RECOGNITIONS

Winston & Strawn Recognized in *The Legal 500 U.S.* 2023  
JUNE 7, 2023

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## **SPONSORSHIP**

Winston & Strawn Sponsors THRIVE Energy Conference 2023

FEB. 21-23, 2023

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## **RECOGNITIONS**

Winston & Strawn Recognized in *The Legal 500 U.S.* 2022

JUNE 8, 2022

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## **PRESS RELEASE**

Winston & Strawn Hires Maxwell L. Stubbs as Partner in Houston

JANUARY 25, 2022

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# Capabilities

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Mergers & Acquisitions

Oil & Gas