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Scott has served as counsel to the NFL Players Association in litigation (such as Cowboys running back Ezekiel Elliott's challenge to the Commissioner's Article 46 powers), arbitration (such as the Union's challenge to the League's National Anthem policy), and collective bargaining. He also advises multiple prominent ATP tennis tournaments. On a pro bono basis, Scott represented bilateral amputee world champion sprinter Blake Leeper before the Court of Arbitration for Sport. In addition to his sports law practice, Scott is a member of the firm's

Videogame, Gaming, and E-sports Group dedicated to providing comprehensive legal solutions to companies in these industries.

Recent Experience

Secured Landmark Equal-Pay Settlement for Current and Former USWNT Members

Recognitions

As part of the *Alston* team, Scott's work was recognized as one of the National Impact Cases of the Year at the 2022 Benchmark Litigation East Coast Awards and won the *Global Competition Review* (GCR's) 2022 "Litigation of the Year: Cartel Prosecution" award.

In February 2022, Scott was among the team of lawyers named as runners-up for "Litigator of the Week" by *The American Lawyer* for the landmark settlement of their lawsuit seeking to equalize pay and working conditions between the men's and women's U.S. national soccer teams.

At Winston, Scott is part of the sports law group that was named "Law Firm of the Year" for its Sports Law Practice in the 2018, 2020, 2021, and 2022 editions of *U.S. News and World Report – Best Law Firms*, as well as the "Antitrust – Litigation" group that was named "Law Firm of the Year" in the 2020 edition of the *Report* and the 2020 Antitrust Firm of the Year by *Benchmark Litigation*.

Scott was named to the 2020 Forbes "30 Under 30" list in the "Sports" category. While at Harvard Law School, he received the 2017 Weiler Award for Excellence in Sports Law.

Credentials

EDUCATION

Scott received a B.A., *magna cum laude*, in History from Harvard College in 2013, where he was a member of Phi Beta Kappa, and a J.D. in 2017 from Harvard Law School, where he was Co-Editor-in-Chief for the *Journal of Sports and Entertainment Law* and President of the Committee on Sports and Entertainment Law.

ADMISSIONS

- New York

Related Insights & News

On September 30, 2022, Scott spoke at Lewis & Clark Law School's Center for Business Law & Innovation (CBLI) 2022 Fall Forum: Sports Law's New Dimensions.

RECOGNITIONS

Winston Team Led by Jeffrey Kessler and David Greenspan Featured in Litigator of the Week

NOVEMBER 10, 2023

BLOG

Holocaust Survivor and Author Dr. Inge Auerbacher Prescribes Tolerance and Understanding in Response to Prejudice and Hatred

APRIL 18, 2023

RECOGNITIONS

Winston Honored at 2023 *Benchmark Litigation* U.S. Awards

MARCH 16, 2023

BLOG

Federal Court Closes the Book on Publishers' Attempted Merger

JANUARY 20, 2023

RECOGNITIONS

Winston & Strawn Antitrust/Competition Practice Recognized in 2023 GCR 100

DECEMBER 19, 2022

SPEAKING ENGAGEMENT

Scott Sherman Speaks at CBLI Fall Forum 2022: Sports Law's New Dimensions

SEPTEMBER 30, 2022

IN THE MEDIA

Winston & Strawn Helps Secure True Equal Pay for U.S. Women's National Team Soccer Players

MAY 18, 2022

RECOGNITIONS

Winston & Strawn Wins GCR's "Litigation of the Year: Cartel Prosecution" Award

APRIL 6, 2022

RECOGNITIONS

Winston Honored at 2022 Benchmark Litigation East Coast Awards

MARCH 25, 2022

NEWS

Winston & Strawn Secures \$24 Million Settlement and an Agreement to Provide Equal Pay in All Future Games for the U.S. Women's National Soccer Team

FEBRUARY 22, 2022

BLOG

RECOGNITIONS

Jeffrey Kessler Named *The American Lawyer's* Litigator of the Week

JUNE 25, 2021

Capabilities

Litigation/Trials

Antitrust/Competition

Sports