



Timothy Kincaid

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As Co-Chair of Winston's Transactions Department, Tim has a proven track record of success in M&A and private equity deals. With clients ranging from private equity funds to strategic buyers, family funds, and individuals, he has handled numerous transactions including buyouts, divestitures, mergers and acquisitions, and capital-raising ventures.

Tim has a particular focus representing clients in transactions for the middle market, with industry-focused experience in health care, life sciences, education, financial services, and other sectors. Clients appreciate his ability to balance finding the quickest way to closing while protecting their long-term interests and goals. His experience on both the buy and sell side gives him keen insight into strategies that move deals past obstacles.

In addition to his transactional experience, Tim has counseled clients on day-to-day corporate governance, contract, and entity formation matters. By seeing the full picture of their businesses, he helps his clients seize opportunities and drive their businesses forward.

Recent Experience

The Vistria Group's Strategic Investment in Soliant Health

Academic Partnerships, LLC acquisition of Wiley University Services from John Wiley & Sons, Inc.

Court Square Capital Partners's Strategic Capital Investment in Team Select Home Care

The Vistria Group's Majority Recapitalization of Education Solutions Services

Edmentum's Definitive Agreement to Acquire Apex Learning

The Vistria Group Strategic Growth Investment in Edmentum

Recognitions

Tim was recognized by *The Legal 500 US* as a "Next Generation Lawyer" (2019–2021); a "Next Generation Partner" (2022); and a "Key Lawyer" (2024) for M&A/Corporate and Commercial - M&A: Middle-Market and for M&A/Corporate and Commercial: Private Equity Buyouts. He was also named by *Lawdragon 500* as one of the "Leading Dealmakers in America" (2022–2025).

In 2020, Tim was named to *Crain's* "Notable Minorities in Accounting, Consulting & Law" list. He was also named to the "Lawyers of Color Power" 2020 List. He was shortlisted for the *Euromoney Legal Media Group's* 2018 "Americas Rising Star" award in the "Best in Mergers & Acquisitions" category. Tim was also named to the *Chicago Daily Law Bulletin's* "40 Attorneys Under 40 to Watch" list for 2015.

Activities

Tim serves on the firm's Executive Committee, is Co-Chair of the Partner Compensation Committee, is the Chairman of the Foundation Committee, and is a member of the Opportunity & Inclusion Committee.

Tim is a board member of Legal Aid Chicago, College Possible Chicago, and The Francis Xavier Warde School.

He was selected by the Leadership Council on Legal Diversity (LCLD) to participate in its 2015 Fellows Program. He joined a class of 202 high-potential attorneys from diverse backgrounds in conferences, training, peer-group projects, and interactions with LCLD's top leadership throughout the year.

Credentials

EDUCATION

Tim received a B.A. in Political Science in 2002 from the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill and a J.D. in 2005 from Georgetown University Law Center.

ADMISSIONS

- Illinois

Related Insights & News

Tim's presentations include multiple seminars for the Chicago Bar Association's Young Lawyers' Section Corporate Practice titled "Private Mergers, Acquisitions, and Divestitures."

PRESS RELEASE

Winston & Strawn Adds Transactions Partner Stanislav Kalminsky in Los Angeles

MARCH 31, 2025

PRESS RELEASE

Winston & Strawn Continues Expansion in Miami with the Addition of Juan M. Delgado

JANUARY 7, 2025

IN THE MEDIA

Transactions Department Co-Chairs Timothy Kincaid and Brad Vaiana Featured in *ALM's* "How I Made It" Series

DECEMBER 2, 2024

RECOGNITIONS

Winston Partners Recognized on the 2025 *Lawdragon* 500 Leading Dealmakers in America List

OCTOBER 22, 2024

PRESS RELEASE

Winston & Strawn Adds New York Tax Partner James Saeli

OCTOBER 21, 2024

IN THE MEDIA

Timothy Kincaid Discusses Implications of Interest Rate Cuts with *Mergers & Acquisitions*

SEPTEMBER 24, 2024

PRESS RELEASE

Winston & Strawn Adds Tax Partner Louis J. Jenull in Dallas

SEPTEMBER 23, 2024

PRESS RELEASE

Winston & Strawn Adds Banee Pachuca as Partner in Houston

AUGUST 26, 2024

PRESS RELEASE

Winston & Strawn Adds Two Transactions Partners in Houston

AUGUST 14, 2024

RECOGNITIONS

Winston & Strawn Recognized in *The Legal 500 U.S.* 2024
JUNE 12, 2024

NEWS
2023 Pro Bono Impact Report
MAY 1, 2024

PRESS RELEASE
Winston & Strawn Names New Litigation and Transactions Department Co-Chairs
FEBRUARY 26, 2024

Capabilities

- Transactions
- Private Equity
- Mergers & Acquisitions
- Public Companies
- Financial Services