S A R E T S K Y H A R T M I C H A E L S + G O U L D

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# Sam has a broad practice ranging from representing clients from the financial services industry throughout the country to general liability business disputes.

Sam is a partner at Saretsky Hart Michaels + Gould PC. His financial services practice includes representing securities broker-dealers, registered representatives and registered investment advisers in connection with all aspects of their business. Sam routinely defends claims brought against clients alleging sales practice violations, including claims of negligence, fraud, misrepresentation, failure to supervise and violations of federal and state securities laws. Further, Sam represents both firms and individuals in employment cases. His experience is vast and ranges from defense of wrongful termination and Form U5 defamation claims to pursing collection of promissory note debt. Sam also regularly handles employment disputes involving enforcement of employment agreements containing restrictive covenants and, in that context, often appears before courts and arbitration panels in connection with efforts to obtain injunctive relief. Additionally, Sam represents clients in compliance and regulatory-related matters before various governmental entities and self-regulatory organizations.

Over the course of his career, Sam has successfully handled hundreds of matters in various jurisdictions. Between 2013-2018, Sam has been selected as a "Rising Star" in Securities Litigation by Michigan Super Lawyers magazine, an honor bestowed upon only 2.5% of eligible practicing attorneys. After litigating matters for over 10 years, Sam appreciates that each side has its strong and weak points. As attorney and counselor, Sam assesses and evaluates the position taken by each litigant then devises and implements a strategic plan to achieve the best result for the client. This process involves strategic negotiation, powerful advocacy and intimate legal knowledge to achieve the desired result.

Sam, who is known for his unique and infectious laugh, hails from Dallas, Texas by way of Alpena, Michigan. Sam graduated Magna Cum Laude from Michigan State University College of Law in East Lansing, Michigan in 2005 and from the University of Texas at Austin with a Bachelor of Arts degree in Government in 2001. Outside of work, Sam enjoys spending time with his family, sports, the great outdoors and Texas barbeque (wet and dry rubs).

Sam is a member of the Michigan Bar and is admitted to practice in the United States District Courts for the Eastern and Western Districts of Michigan and the Northern District of Illinois.

## **EDUCATION**

B.A., UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS AT AUSTIN, 2001

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## **ADMISSIONS**

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