

## Virginia Business Magazine Names 28 McGuireWoods Lawyers to Legal Elite

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Twenty-eight McGuireWoods lawyers were selected by their professional peers for *Virginia Business* magazine's [2018 Legal Elite](#) list published in the December issue. The magazine received more than 3,400 nominations from lawyers throughout the state and selected leading practitioners in 18 categories.

McGuireWoods lawyers were honored in 13 Legal Elite categories, with four recognized in Labor/Employment and three each in Appellate Law, Business Law, Civil Litigation, Intellectual Property and Taxes/Estates/Trusts/Elder Law.

In a profile of Richmond partner [Craig D. Bell](#) as a top vote-getter in the [Taxes/Estates/Trusts/Elder Law](#) category, Bell assessed the impact of the 2017 Tax Act on his clients. The law "provided a number of benefits and incentives," he said, including immediate relief from cutting the top corporate tax rate and repealing the alternative minimum corporate tax rate.

The firm's Virginia Legal Elite honorees are:

[John D. Adams](#), Richmond, Criminal Law

[Michael Barker](#), Richmond, Young Lawyer (under 40)

[Craig D. Bell](#), Richmond, Taxes/Estates/Trusts/Elder Law

[Candace Ali Blydenburgh](#), Richmond, Business Law

[Jeremy S. Byrum](#), Richmond, Civil Litigation

[M. Ann Neil Cosby](#), Richmond, Environmental Law

[Richard Cullen](#), Richmond, Criminal Law

[Andriana Shultz Daly](#), Richmond, Intellectual Property

[W. Birch Douglass III](#), Richmond, Taxes/Estates/Trusts/Elder Law

[Matt Fitzgerald](#), Richmond, Appellate Law

[Kristen Frances Hager](#), Richmond, Taxes/Estates/Trusts/Elder Law

[Dion W. Hayes](#), Richmond, Bankruptcy/Creditors' Rights

[Bryce D. Jewett](#), Richmond, Business Law

[Robert W. Loftin](#), Richmond, Appellate Law

[John H. Maddock III](#), Richmond, Bankruptcy/Creditors' Rights

[Gary S. Marshall](#), Richmond, Labor/Employment

[George Keith Martin](#), Richmond, Construction

[Robert W. McFarland](#), Norfolk, Civil Litigation

[Christopher M. Michalik](#), Richmond, Labor/Employment

[Dale G. Mullen](#), Richmond, Legislative/Regulatory/Administrative

[Janet P. Peyton](#), Richmond, Intellectual Property

[Steven G. Popps](#), Richmond, Business Law

[Brian C. Riopelle](#), Richmond, Intellectual Property

[Stephen W. Robinson](#), Tysons, Labor/Employment

[Rodney A. Satterwhite](#), Richmond, Labor/Employment

[Thomas J. Stallings](#), Richmond, Health Law

[Jonathan T. Tan](#), Richmond, Civil Litigation

[J. Tracy Walker IV](#), Richmond, Appellate Law