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PRACTICE AREAS

- Corporate
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OVERVIEW

Mr. Brooks is an associate in the Corporate Practice Group in the firm's Washington, D.C. office.

Areas of Practice

Mr. Brooks represents domestic and international clients in a variety of corporate and transactional matters, including mergers and acquisitions, private equity transactions, corporate finance, and CFIUS reviews of foreign investment in the United States. He also assists clients in the satellite, broadcast, and wireless industries with regulatory matters such as licensing, transfers of control, media ownership reporting requirements, and rulemaking proceedings. Mr. Brooks is a frequent writer on legislative and regulatory developments affecting the communications industry.

EDUCATION

- J.D., University of Michigan Law School, 2009, Executive Editor, *University of Michigan Journal of Law Reform*
- B.A. with distinction, University of Michigan, 2003

ADMISSIONS

- New York
- District of Columbia

LANGUAGES

- Spanish

MEMBERSHIPS

- American Bar Association
- New York State Bar Association
- District of Columbia Bar
- Federal Communications Bar Association
- Society of Satellite Professionals International

ARTICLES

- Key details of CFIUS 2010 annual report, *The Deal*, January 25, 2012
- Foreign Investment in China's Telecommunications Industry: Current Opportunities, Potential Barriers, and Future Prospects, 2010 **Corporate & Securities Law Blog Articles**

- "Ninth Circuit Latest to Permit Corporate Liability Under Alien Tort Statute; Supreme Court to Resolve Circuit Split in 2012," November 23, 2011
- "District of Columbia and Seventh Circuits Allow for Corporate Liability Under The Alien Tort Statute, Splitting With Second Circuit," August 18, 2011
- "SEC Considering New Regulations Governing Capital Formation for Smaller Companies, Crowdfunding, Social and Other New Media," April 21, 2011
- "Second Circuit Holds That Corporations Cannot Be Held Liable For Claims Brought Under The Alien Tort Statute," September 30, 2010

FCC Law Blog Articles

- "FCC And FDA Focused On Convergence Of Communications And Medical Systems," August 4, 2010
- "FCC Loses Net Neutrality Suit", April 7, 2010
- "FCC Initiates Net Neutrality Rulemaking", November 2, 2009

Global Trade Law Blog Articles

- "CFIUS Submits Annual Report to Congress," January 30, 2012
- "EU Imposes New Economic Sanctions on Syria," January 30, 2012