



## → Michael P.A. Cohen

### Partner

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Michael Cohen is a partner with the Antitrust and International Competition Practice Group in the firm's Washington, D.C. office.

### Areas of Practice

Michael began his career as an Assistant Special Prosecutor, investigating and prosecuting organized crime involvement with the failure of local financial institutions in the early 1990s. After his government service, Michael joined the historic Washington, D.C. antitrust firm Howrey & Simon, where in 1996, he became one of the youngest partners in that unique firm's history. In 2003, Michael joined Heller Ehrman as a partner in Washington, D.C., where he helped develop and grow the firm's federal government antitrust merger defense practice. When Heller Ehrman ceased operations in 2008, Michael joined Paul Hastings as a partner in its Washington, D.C. office, where he founded, built and chaired that highly regarded firm's international competition practice group for seven years.

In 2015, Michael joined Sheppard Mullin's storied antitrust practice with a goal of putting his 25 years experience to work to complement the firm's longstanding antitrust litigation group, helping to bridge government antitrust enforcement in Washington, D.C. to the firm's strengths in Brussels, San Francisco and Los Angeles.

Over his legal career now spanning more than 30 years, Michael practices all dimensions of competition law, defending multinational clients without borders across continents in business conduct and merger clearance investigations throughout the world's global markets. He is among a short list of lawyers who have successfully defended multiple mergers through trial and appeal in the U.S., including serving as co-lead counsel to Western Refining in its \$1.4 billion acquisition of Giant Industries, which proceeded from complaint through trial in 21 days and through appeal in less than 14 days. Michael was also a core partner on the trial team that successfully defended the H.J. Heinz Company's acquisition of BeechNut's baby food business in the federal trial court, until reversed on appeal – a case and decision that has been widely assessed and discussed since.

Michael's practice includes concentrated representation of clients in the high tech, software, computer system, oil and gas, heavy manufacturing, food processing, beverage, broadcast, digital media, transportation and healthcare industries. In addition, he has pioneered a novel trade regulation practice area bridging environmental organizations and stakeholders with industry in sustainability joint ventures. *Chambers USA* noted that Michael "is well known for trying high-stakes merger cases as well as other civil and criminal antitrust litigation. His client base is strong and varied and includes publishing, technology and healthcare companies. Clients describe him as 'a wonderful partner.'"

From 2015-2017, Michael hosted the VoiceAmerica network *International Crossroads* segment of *On the Law*, a syndicated radio broadcast reaching more than 1,100 stations across the world (including more than 300 across the U.S.). Listeners can stream, download or subscribe to Michael's International Crossroads show [here](#).

Michael currently hosts the Sheppard Mullin podcast *Nota Bene*, a weekly series covering the cutting-edge and ever-changing legal issues affecting multinationals doing business without borders. Listeners can subscribe, download and listen to all podcasts [here](#). He previously hosted the Sheppard Mullin monthly *Breakfast with Europe* webcast, which can be found [here](#).

In addition, Michael currently serves as an adjunct professor to Washington & Lee University School of Law, teaching International Comparative Competition Law. He also serves on the faculty to the Monterey College of Law, where he has taught Constitutional Law, Business Organizations and the Heisler Advocacy Clinic.

Michael's Twitter handle is @mpacohen.

## Honors

Recognized for Antitrust Law, *Best Lawyers*, 2021

Leading Lawyer, Antitrust and Competition, *Chambers USA*, 2011-2019

Antitrust and Competition, *Legal 500*, 2016-2020

Leading Lawyer, Antitrust and Competition, *Global Competition Review*

Washington, D.C. Super Lawyer, *Super Lawyers*, 2017-2020

## Experience

### Representative Matters

- Defending Reynolds and Reynolds Company in connection with federal antitrust multi-district litigation, *In Re: Dealer Management Systems Antitrust Litigation*, MDL 2817 (N.D. Ill.).
- Represented the largest independent publisher of yellow pages phone directories in California, as plaintiff in below cost pricing, loss leader and secret rebate action under California's Unfair Practices Act, favorably settling for a confidential amount. *AGI Publishing, Inc. v. YP Western Directory*, Fresno Superior Court, No.14 CE CG 00656.
- Obtained merger clearance for WellStar Health System's \$575 million acquisition of five metro Atlanta hospitals from Texas-based Tenet Healthcare. The merger stands among the largest hospital transactions for 2016 in the U.S. by number of facilities.
- Defending the chief executive of a major consumer facing branded manufacturer in a U.S. Department of Justice criminal price fixing investigation.
- Sole counsel to the International Seafood Sustainability Foundation, a multi-continental joint venture among the tuna processing industry, marine scientists and environmental non-governmental organizations. The foundation establishes science-based conservation measures for tuna species across the world's oceans, supporting UN Convention organizations that reach scientific consensus but often fail to achieve international consensus among their constituent governments. Industry participants that choose to follow the measures span continents from Africa, Europe, North and South America and Asia, and include the bulk of tuna processing worldwide. The organization has achieved landmark status pioneering a bridge between

environmental groups, industry and science, and serves an example of working within multinational legal regimes for environmental sustainability goals.

- Defended Twin America against the U.S. Department of Justice Antitrust Division and New York Attorney General federal district court lawsuit to unwind the Twin America transportation merger. After three years of intense litigation, the DOJ and New York AG reached a settlement with Coach USA Inc., City Sights LLC and their joint venture, Twin America LLC, to remedy competitive concerns in the New York City hop-on, hop-off bus tour market.
- Obtained merger clearance for Gannett's \$2.2 billion acquisition of Belo Corporation's multi-state radio and television broadcast media stations.
- Successfully defended Western Refining's \$1.4 billion acquisition of Giant Industries against a landmark Federal Trade Commission challenge to the transaction in a federal case that went through trial and appeal in less than 45 days.
- Defended the H.J. Heinz Company's acquisition of BeechNut's baby food business successfully through trial, reversed on appeal in a decision widely discussed and analyzed contemporaneously and since.
- Successfully defended the StarKist Dolphin Safe Policy in federal district court jury trial of Mexican tuna fleet commercial breach and interference claims.
- Regular antitrust counsel to industries and companies across a wide spectrum of business on competitive acquisition strategies and conduct, including pricing, distribution, supply and collaborations.

## Media Mentions

Sheppard Mullin Picks Up Ex-Paul Hastings Antitrust Chair  
*Law360*, 11.16.2015

## Speaking Engagements

"SCOTUS: Criminal Law Decisions We All Need to Know from the 2016 Term," LawLine webinar, September 13, 2017

Co-host with M. Winick and S. Wagner, "Distinguishing between Legal and Political Issues Amidst the Chaos inside the Washington, D.C. Beltway," VoiceAmerica's *On the Law* radio program, Discussion on the distinction between "political" and "legal" issues amidst the legislative chaos and presidential tweeting going on in Washington, D.C., August 3, 2017

Guest Co-Host, "2017 Supreme Court Update," VoiceAmerica's *On the Law* radio program, Discussion on the final session of the 2017 June session of the U.S. Supreme Court, July 13, 2017

Co-Host, "Seismic Changes in the World Order: US Withdraws from International Policy Leadership," VoiceAmerica's *On the Law* radio program, Discussion about the U.S. withdrawal from the Trans-Pacific partnership and the president's threatened termination of NAFTA in the Americas, June 29, 2017

Co-Host, "Blockchain Technology May Replace Banks and Stock Exchanges: Will the Law be Ready?" VoiceAmerica's *On the Law* radio program, Discussion about the future of global trade, banking and finance in a new digital world, May 25, 2017

Co-Host, "U.S. International Trade in the Trump Administration Era" VoiceAmerica's *On the Law* radio program, Discussion about whether the sudden withdrawal of the U.S. from its longstanding role in the international trade arena stand to cede a new economic world order, leaving America in the rear view, April 27, 2017

"European Competition Law in the Nationalist Era: What You Need to Know at the Dawn of Divergence," Silicon Valley Association of General Counsel, April 21, 2017

Co-Host, "U.S. Trade Policy," VoiceAmerica's *On the Law* radio program, Review of the recent release of the Trump administration's 2017 U.S. Trade Policy Agenda. Hosts discussed the international business community's reaction to these and other Trump administration trade policies, March 23, 2017

Co-Host, "The Legal Authority of Presidential Executive Orders," VoiceAmerica's *On the Law* radio program, Discussion about the constitutional and legal authority of Presidential Executive Orders. The most recent orders issued by President Trump have raised constitutional questions regarding the separation of powers between federal and state governments, February 9, 2017

Co-Host, "The Tenth Supreme Court Justice, Who is the U.S. Solicitor General?" VoiceAmerica's *On the Law* radio program, Discussion about the unique role of the U.S. Solicitor General. Historically described as the "Tenth Supreme Court Justice," this influential government lawyer is one of the least known, and little understood, positions in the American justice system. What roles do the different government lawyers play in our federal, state, county, and local legal systems?, December 29, 2016

Guest Co-Host, "New Term, New Cases, Same Old Issues: Review of the New Supreme Court Term," VoiceAmerica's *On the Law* radio program, Discussion on the 2016 October U.S. Supreme Court Term. Cohen, a Constitutional Law Professor and International Law Attorney previews the major cases coming before the Court, including returning issues such as the death penalty, equal rights and First Amendment Rights. Winick and Cohen also discuss the likely impact of the Court sitting with only eight Justices and the U.S. Senate's refusal to hold hearings on the nomination of Merrick Garland, October 13, 2016

Host, "Legal Challenges for In-House Corporate Counsel," *International Crossroads* segment of VoiceAmerica's *On the Law* radio program, Interview with Ross Veltman, Executive Director of the Silicon Valley Association of General Counsel to discuss the in-house legal role, and the current issues America's leading chief legal officers in California face across the vast national and multinational landscape, August 11, 2016

Host, "Encore: Legal Drones, Illegal Fireworks, and Medical Research - No, not together!" *International Crossroads* segment of VoiceAmerica's *On the Law* radio program, Interview with Nancy Koch, General Counsel to the Gordon and Betty Moore Foundation, one of the largest private funders of basic research, June 30, 2016

Host, "International Human Rights Survivors and the Global Mental Health Gap," *International Crossroads* segment of VoiceAmerica's *On the Law* radio program, Michael interviewed co-founders of Partnerships for Trauma Recovery - Monika Parikh and Annika Sridharan. Partnerships for Trauma Recovery was launched in response to the tremendous need to address the psychological impacts of human rights abuses among international survivors of human rights abuses, June 6, 2016

Guest Co-Host, "Law of the Sea'food," VoiceAmerica's *On the Law* radio program, Discussion on the long-term sustainability of global tuna fisheries. Special program guest is Susan S. Jackson, President and member of the Board of Directors of the International Seafood Sustainability Foundation (ISSF). Under Jackson's leadership, ISSF has grown from a small association of eight global tuna processors into the world's premier organization

uniting industry leaders, the environmental community and leading scientists in the creation, advocacy and adoption of science-based best practices that advance the long-term sustainability of global tuna fisheries. Through her unwavering focus on collaboration, Jackson has created successful partnerships with constructive NGOs, scientists, governments and has led efforts to make ISSF an effective advocate for positive change in the Regional Fishery Management Organizations (RFMOs), the governing bodies responsible for managing tuna resources worldwide, June 2, 2016

Co-Host, "Law of the Sea'food;" *International Crossroads* segment of VoiceAmerica's *On the Law* radio program, Michael discusses the long-term sustainability of global tuna fisheries with Susan Jackson, President and member of International Seafood Sustainability Foundation, which has grown from a small association of eight global tuna processors into the world's premier organization advocating long-term sustainability of global tuna fisheries, May 19, 2016

## Events

"Breakfast with Europe" Webinar Series  
12.21.2017

"Breakfast with Europe" Webinar Series  
11.16.2017

"Breakfast with Europe" Webinar Series  
10.19.2017

"Breakfast with Europe" Webinar Series  
09.21.2017

"Breakfast with Europe" Webinar Series  
05.18.2017

ABA Environmental Collaborations: The Legal Mosaic Mixing Environmental Needs and Policies with Antitrust Teleconference, 05.15.2017

"Breakfast with Europe" Webinar Series  
04.20.2017

"Breakfast with Europe" Webinar Series  
03.16.2017

"Breakfast with Europe" Webinar Series  
02.16.2017

"Breakfast with Europe" Webinar Series  
12.01.2016

"Breakfast with Europe" Webinar Series  
11.03.2016

"Breakfast with Europe" Webinar Series  
10.06.2016

## Podcasts & Webinars

Nota Bene Episode 103: The Diversity and Inclusion Imperative: Codifying Equality into the Lawyer's Professional Code with David Douglass  
10.28.2020

Nota Bene Episode 102: Examining European Union State Aid in the Face of COVID and Brexit with Jacques Derenne and Robert Klotz  
10.20.2020

Nota Bene Episode 101: Catching up with Global Climate Regulation with Nico van Aelstyn  
10.14.2020

Nota Bene Episode 100: The New World Trade Order with Scott Maberry  
10.07.2020

Nota Bene Episode 98: The U.S. Supreme Court's Mark on U.S. Antitrust Law for 2020 with Thomas Dillickrath and Bevin Newman  
09.23.2020

Nota Bene Episode 97: The Seismic Changes Renewables Are Bringing to Energy Transmission and Its Infrastructure with Mark Sundback  
09.16.2020

Nota Bene Episode 96: Examining Amnesty Conditions Under the U.S. Antitrust Leniency Scheme with Dylan Ballard and Mike Scarborough  
09.09.2020

Nota Bene Episode 95: Mapping Capital Markets and Securities Enforcement in the Current COVID-19 Moment with Jamie Mercer and John Stigi  
09.02.2020

Nota Bene Episode 94: Mapping COVID-19's Impact on American Bankruptcy and Restructuring with Edward Tillinghast  
08.26.2020

Nota Bene Episode 93: Navigating the New Global Cybersecurity Compliance Landscape with Scott Giordano  
08.19.2020

Nota Bene Episode 91: China Q3 Check In - Trade Wars, GDP Growth, Pandemic Comparatives, and Hong Kong with Michael Zhang  
08.05.2020

Nota Bene Episode 90: U.S. Q3 Check In: Stimulus, Relief, Election, and Direction with Elizabeth Frazee and Jonathan Meyer  
07.29.2020

Nota Bene Episode 89: European Q3 Check In - Merger Clearance and Data Protection Court Rulings and Brexit Updates with Oliver Heinisch  
07.22.2020

Nota Bene Episode 88: Asia Check In: COVID Recovery, China's National Security Law for Hong Kong, and Navigating a U.S.-China Cold War with Paul Kim  
07.15.2020

Nota Bene Episode 87: What Buyers and Sellers Need to Know About Distressed Financial Transactions with Ariel Yehezkel  
06.24.2020

Nota Bene Episode 86: Post-Pandemic International Competition Regulations that are Suddenly In Play with Leo Caseria, Jacques Derenne, David Garcia, and Bevin Newman  
06.17.2020

Nota Bene Episode 85: Trade Wars - The Rise of Export Controls and the Impact on the Growth of Technology with Reid Whitten  
06.10.2020

Nota Bene Episode 83: Fraud Enforcement and Policing COVID Relief: What Businesses Need to Know with Chuck Kreindler  
05.27.2020

Nota Bene Episode 81: European Check In: How the EU is Dealing with the Pandemic's Economic Fallout with Oliver Heinisch  
05.13.2020

Nota Bene Episode 80: South Korea's Bellwether on the Pandemic Market Recovery with Paul Kim  
05.06.2020

Nota Bene Episode 79: Emerging from COVID-19 with Easy China Warehouse CEO Brian Miller  
04.29.2020

Nota Bene Episode 78: COVID-19 and Other Change Agents to the Healthcare Industry Outlook for 2020 with Mike McKinnon  
04.22.2020

Nota Bene Episode 77: Labor, Employment, and Immigration in a Pandemic World with Kelly Hensley, Denise Giraudo, and Greg Berk  
04.15.2020

Nota Bene Episode 76: The Impact of COVID-19 on Force Majeure Clauses in Business Contracts with Whitney Roy  
04.08.2020

Nota Bene Episode 75: Clinical Trial Disclosures on the World Map with TrialScope Chief Strategy Officer Thomas Wicks  
04.01.2020

Nota Bene Episode 74: Emerging from COVID-19: China Restarts Its Engine with Shanghai's Michael Zhang  
03.25.2020

Nota Bene Episode 73: "Quarantine and Chill": Will COVID-19 Impact the Cannabis Industry? with Whitney Hodges  
03.18.2020

Nota Bene Episode 72: Space Law: License, Launch, Finance, Insurance, and Responsible Space Stewardship with Brian Weimer  
03.11.2020

Nota Bene Episode 71: Shifting Regulatory Landscapes at the FDA: Cannabis, Vaping and Intelligent Medical Devices with Allison Fulton  
03.04.2020

Nota Bene Episode 70: Examining the USMCA: Is it Simply a Rebranded NAFTA? with Scott Maberry  
02.19.2020

Nota Bene Episode 69: Asia Check In: The Coronavirus's Impact on Business, the Trilateral Summit, and Japan's Criminal Justice System with Paul Kim  
02.12.2020

Nota Bene Episode 68: The Current Antitrust Enforcement Climate in the United States with Capitol Forum Senior Editor Nate Soderstrom  
02.05.2020

Nota Bene Episode 67: Challenges and Opportunities Facing Women in the Healthcare Industry with Amanda Zablocki and Danielle Vrabie  
01.29.2020

Nota Bene Episode 66: Latin America Check In: What to Know About Doing Business in Mexico with Laura Nava and Alejandro Moreno  
01.22.2020

Nota Bene Episode 65: European Check In: Environmental Protection, Privacy Regulations, Digital Market Definition, and Brexit with Oliver Heinisch  
01.15.2020

Nota Bene Episode 64: U.S. Check In: Prescription Drugs, USMCA, Privacy, Impeachment and Iran with Elizabeth Frazee and Jonathan Meyer  
01.08.2020

Nota Bene Episode 63: Enforcement of Climate Change Regulations in the European Union with Dr. Michael Hofmann  
12.18.2019

Nota Bene Episode 62: The Intersection of Emerging Technologies, Foreign Investments, and Export Controls with Reid Whitten  
12.11.2019



Nota Bene Episode 61: Exploring South Korea's Economic Growth and Multinational Business Climate with Paul Kim

12.04.2019

Nota Bene Episode 60: My Two Cents: European Commission Updates, U.S.-China Trade War, International Judgment Enforcement, Transformative Blockchain Technologies, and Preventing Organizational Crises

11.27.2019

Nota Bene Episode 58: The Advantages of Using Cryptocurrencies and Other Blockchain Technologies for Business Growth with James Gatto

11.12.2019

Nota Bene Episode 57: Understanding International Enforcement of Judgments with Neil Popovic

11.06.2019

Nota Bene Episode 56: Revisiting the U.S. Trade War and China's Ascent as an Economic Power with Scott Maberry [Replay]

10.30.2019

Nota Bene Episode 55: Updates on the European Commission and Brexit with Isabelle Rahman and Oliver Heinisch

10.23.2019

Nota Bene Episode 54: My Two Cents: Healthcare Industry Consolidations, Climate Change Regulations, Governance Crisis Management, Tech and the Music Industry, and Government Check-In

10.16.2019

Nota Bene Episode 53: Presidential Impeachment Inquiry, USMCA Deal Approval, and Congressional Budgets with Elizabeth Frazee and Jonathan Meyer

10.09.2019

Nota Bene Episode 52: Technology and the Changing Music Industry Landscape with Sid Fohrman

10.02.2019

Nota Bene Episode 51: The Four Fundamentals of a Corporate Governance Crisis with John Tishler

09.25.2019

Nota Bene Episode 50: Who is Filling the International Divergence in Climate Change Regulation? with Nico van Aelstyn

09.18.2019

Nota Bene Episode 49: The Economics of Healthcare Consolidation with Economist Susan Manning

09.11.2019

Nota Bene Episode 48: My Two Cents: Trade Deals, the Fiscal Cliff, College Admissions Scandals, Antitrust Crisis, and the Resurgence of Securitization

08.13.2019

Nota Bene Episode 47: It's All About Capital with Colleen McDonald  
08.07.2019

Nota Bene Episode 46: America's Existential Antitrust Crisis with Thomas Dillickrath  
07.31.2019

Nota Bene Episode 45: Crisis Averted: Lessons Learned from the College Admissions Scandal with Joseph Jay  
07.24.2019

Nota Bene Episode 44: Executive Branch Forecast Q3: Mueller's Testimony, the Fiscal Cliff, and Gerrymandering with Jonathan Meyer  
07.17.2019

Nota Bene Episode 43: Checking In on Congress at the Start of Q3 with Elizabeth Frazee  
07.10.2019

Nota Bene Episode 42: My Two Cents: Business Crimes, Emerging Food Regulations, Doing Business with the Government, and the Impact of the U.S.-China Trade War  
07.02.2019

Nota Bene Episode 41: China's Perspective on the U.S.-China Trade War and the Impact on Both Economies with Michael Zhang  
06.26.2019

Nota Bene Episode 40: Revisiting the U.S. Trade War and China's Ascent as an Economic Power with Scott Maberry  
06.19.2019

Nota Bene Episode 39: Doing Business with the U.S. Government in an Era of Cybersecurity, Espionage and Executive Orders with Townsend Bourne  
06.11.2019

Nota Bene Episode 38: How Regulations Surrounding the Food Industry are Evolving with Michael Roberts and Sascha Henry  
06.05.2019

Nota Bene Episode 37: How to Prevent or Defend Against Business Crimes with Chuck Kreindler  
05.22.2019

Nota Bene Episode 36: My Two Cents: Executive and Legislative Branch Check-In, FDA's Regulations, EU Competition Law Reform, and Using Blockchain Technology  
05.15.2019

Nota Bene Episode 35: Implementing Blockchain Technology to Improve Operations with James Gatto  
05.08.2019

Nota Bene Episode 33: Congressional Check-In for Q2: Paris Agreement, Presidential Nominees, and Privacy with Elizabeth Frazee  
04.24.2019

Nota Bene Episode 32: A Snapshot of the FDA: Understanding the Basics of Regulations with Allison Fulton  
04.17.2019

Nota Bene Episode 31: Mexican Border Closure, Obamacare, and Mueller's Report with Jonathan Meyer  
04.10.2019

Nota Bene Episode 30: My Two Cents: Privacy Laws, Brexit Update, the State of Private Equity Markets, California Cannabis Boom, and Effective Corporate Compliance with host Michael P.A. Cohen  
04.03.2019

Nota Bene Episode 29: The Essential Elements of Effective Corporate Compliance Programs with Jim McGinnis  
03.27.2019

Nota Bene Episode 28: Breaking Down the Emerging California Cannabis Industry with Christopher Sabec  
03.20.2019

Nota Bene Episode 27: The Gangbuster State of Private Equity and Merger and Acquisition Cycles in the U.S. with Luca Salvi  
03.13.2019

Nota Bene Episode 26: Unpacking the Latest News on the Brexit Negotiations with Oliver Heinisch  
03.06.2019

Nota Bene Episode 25: Keeping Up with Privacy Laws Affecting Your Business with Liisa Thomas  
02.27.2019

Nota Bene Episode 24: My Two Cents: The Government Shutdown, Healthcare in the U.S., the Real Business of Congress, Foreign Investment Controls and Latin American Markets with host Michael P. A. Cohen  
02.20.2019

Nota Bene Episode 23: Don't Ignore Latin American Markets for Growth Opportunities with Luis Maizel  
02.13.2019

Nota Bene Episode 22: Exploring the Impact of Foreign Investment Controls with Curt Dombek  
02.06.2019

Nota Bene Episode 21: The Real Business of Congress with Elizabeth Frazee  
01.30.2019

Nota Bene Episode 20: The Evolving Nature of the U.S. Healthcare Industry with David Garcia  
01.23.2019

Nota Bene Episode 19: What the Government Shutdown Means for Businesses with Jonathan Meyer  
01.14.2019

Nota Bene Episode 18: Human Capital, Net Neutrality, Insider Trading, In-House Counsel's Role, and Congressional Oversight  
01.09.2019

Nota Bene Episode 17: Busting the Seven Myths of Congressional Oversight with Jonathan Meyer  
01.02.2019

Nota Bene Episode 16: Law Business Within a Business: The Expanding Value of Corporate Counsel with William Kruse  
12.19.2018

Nota Bene Episode 15: C-Suite Trades: Three Developments Insiders Need to Know with Sarah Aberg  
12.12.2018

Nota Bene Episode 14: Net Neutrality Essentials with Paul Werner  
12.05.2018

Nota Bene Episode 13: Human Capital and Defining the Relationship with Your Workforce in the 21st Century with Morgan Forsey  
11.28.2018

Nota Bene Episode 12: My Two Cents: India's Emergence, Corporate Reform, Import Injuries, Securities Regulations, and Platform Markets with host Michael P. A. Cohen  
11.21.2018

Nota Bene Episode 11: The Proliferation of Platforms and Their Role in Our Economy with Nady Nikonova  
11.14.2018

Nota Bene Episode 10: Testing the Temperament of Current Financial Securities Regulation with Jeff Kern  
11.07.2018

Nota Bene Episode 9: Import Injuries and Private Trade War Remedies at the U.S. International Trade Commission with Economist Susan Henley Manning  
10.31.2018

Nota Bene Episode 8: Eight Lessons to Lasting Corporate Reform with Jonathan Aronie  
10.24.2018

Nota Bene Episode 7: India's Emergence in the Global Market with Fatema Merchant  
10.17.2018

Nota Bene Episode 6: My Two Cents: Trade Wars, Europe versus Big American Tech, Blockchain, Tuna and Brexit  
10.10.2018

Nota Bene Episode 5: The Brexit Deadline and Its Impacts on Multinational Businesses with Oliver Heinisch  
10.03.2018

Nota Bene Episode 4: Creating a Socially and Environmentally Conscious Supply Chain with Susan Jackson  
09.26.2018

Note Bene Episode 3: Implementing Blockchain Technology to Improve Operations with James Gatto  
09.19.2018

Note Bene Episode 2: Big in Europe? What Multinationals Need to Know about Competing on the Continent with Isabelle Rahman  
09.12.2018

Note Bene Episode 1: How Multinational Companies are Affected by the Current Trade Wars with World Economic Forum Member Scott Maberry  
September 12, 2018

## Practices

Antitrust and Competition  
Antitrust Counseling and Compliance  
Cartel Investigations and Litigation  
Consumer Protection  
Government Merger and Civil Conduct Investigations  
International Counseling  
Private Civil Antitrust Litigation

## Education

J.D., Washington and Lee University - School of Law, 1990, *magna cum laude*, *Order of the Coif*, Lead Articles Editor, *Washington & Lee Law Review*  
B.A., Virginia Tech, 1987

## Admissions

District of Columbia  
Virginia  
U.S. Supreme Court  
U.S. Court of Appeals for the D.C. Circuit  
U.S. Court of Appeals for the Fourth Circuit  
U.S. District Court for the District of Columbia  
U.S. District Court for the Eastern District of Virginia