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About Carl

Carl Draucker focuses his practice on tax-qualified retirement plans, deferred compensation plans and executive compensation. Carl practices before the Internal Revenue Service and the US Tax Court. He has been listed in *The Best Lawyers in America* since 2005 and *Chambers USA* since 2006.

Carl has extensive experience in the employee benefits aspects of corporate and real estate transactions, including acquisitions, dispositions and mergers, and in all aspects of employee stock ownership plans.

Credentials

Education

- Boston University, LL.M., Taxation,
- Ohio Northern University, J.D.,
- Hiram College, B.A., magna cum laude, Phi Beta Kappa,

Admissions

Ohio

Courts

- U.S. Ct. of App., Sixth Circuit
- U.S. Ct. of Federal Claims
- U.S. Tax Court
- U.S. Dist. Ct., N. Dist. of Ohio

Memberships & Affiliations

- Fellow of the American Bar Foundation
- Board of Trustees of Hiram College, 1994-2018

Recognitions

- Named The Best Lawyers in America 2021 Lawyer of the Year for Employee Benefits (ERISA) Law in Cleveland
- Recognized in Chambers USA since 2006 for Employee Benefits & Executive Compensation in Ohio
- Listed in *The Best Lawyers in America* since 2005
- Named in Best Lawyers in America 2017 Cleveland Employee Benefits (ERISA) Law Lawyer of the Year

Expertise

Services

- Financial Services
- Tax Strategy & Benefits

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One of the world's strongest integrated law firms, providing insight at the point where law, business and government meet. We deliver commercially focused business solutions by combining our legal, lobbying and political capabilities and invaluable connections on the ground to a diverse mix of clients, from long-established leading corporations to emerging businesses, startup visionaries and sovereign nations. More than 1,500 lawyers in over 40 offices across four continents provide unrivaled access to expertise.