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David Katz's practice focuses on private equity transactions, private investment fund formation, and mergers & acquisitions. He has also handled corporate transactions for both public and private companies, including mergers, acquisitions and sales in a variety of industries.

He has experience in a wide array of industries, including software, healthcare, financial services, medical practices, IT, cloud services, consulting, professional services, among others.

Mr. Katz has been named a Massachusetts Super Lawyers Rising Star every year since 2012.

EDUCATION

Harvard Law School JD, 2008, cum laude

University of Pennsylvania BA, 2005, magna cum laude

PRACTICE FOCUS

Private Equity

Advises private equity clients and their portfolio companies through all phases of their investment process, beginning at a fund's formation and continuing through the fund's investments (including growth equity, leveraged buyouts, recapitalizations, roll-up strategies, add-on acquisitions and divestitures) and exits.

General Corporate & Securities and Mergers and Acquisitions

Representing clients in numerous corporate transactions, including financing, mergers, acquisitions and sales in a variety of industries.

REPRESENTATIVE ENGAGEMENTS

- Mainsail Partners in its investments in PeraHealth and GTreasury.
- BV Investment Partners in investments, including INetU, Inc. and ECRM.
- **Century Equity Partners** in numerous deals, including investments in BrightClaim, PriorityCare Solutions, Provant Health Solutions, Client First Settlement Funding, Flores & Associates and Ash Brokerage Services.
- **New Heritage Capital** in its acquisition of ProTransport-1, a provider of patient logistics services to hospital systems and additional add-on acquisitions.
- Riverside Partners including in connection with its acquisitions of Loftware, R&D Altanova, BottomLine Systems, Alarm Funding and Calero.

ADMISSIONS

Massachusetts

PRACTICE AREAS

Private Equity

Business & Technology

Emerging Companies

Venture Capital

Mergers & Acquisitions

Health IT & Bioinformatics

- Summit Partners in connection with its transactions with MDVIP, Fuze, Inc., Clearwater Analytics, Hiperos and LakePharma.
- Private investment fund formation including for Riverside Partners, Mainsail Partners, Fort Point Capital, Vertical Venture Partners, Maniv Mobility, and Spindletop Capital.

PUBLICATIONS AND PRESENTATIONS

- "The NFL Collective Bargaining Agreement," *presenter*, Boston College Law School, November 2008.
- "The Veteran Premium Problem: the Effects of the NFL Collective Bargaining Agreement on Veteran Players," *guest speaker*, Harvard Law School, October 2008.