



Archer & Greiner Announces New Practice Group Leaders and Office Leadership

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Archer & Greiner, P.C. ("Archer") today announced the appointment of five new practice group leaders and new leadership for its New York and Delaware offices, effective October 1, 2026. The appointments span key areas of the firm's litigation, transactional, and advisory work and reflect Archer's continued investment in the leadership guiding its practices, offices, and client teams.

New Office Leadership

New York — Co-Managing Partners

- Meredith M. Mazzola
- James G. Smith

Delaware — Managing Partner

- Natasha M. Songonuga

New Practice Group Leaders

- Kate A. Sherlock — Intellectual Property
- Anthony R. La Ratta — Estate & Trust Litigation
- Steven K. Mignogna — Alternative Dispute Resolution
- Douglas Diaz — Labor & Employment
- Eric I. Yun — Immigration & Global Mobility

"Strong leadership is essential to the continued success of our firm, and these appointments reflect the depth of our leadership bench and our commitment to thoughtful succession planning," said Marc Rollo, Archer president. "Our new practice group leaders and office leaders bring the experience, judgment, and vision needed

to lead their teams, strengthen client relationships, and build on the strong foundation Archer has established. We are excited to see them take on these roles and contribute to the firm's continued growth."

Office Leadership

Meredith Mazzola — Co-Managing Partner, New York

Meredith focuses on estate and tax planning, estate and trust administration, and related tax matters for high-net-worth individuals, closely held businesses, fiduciaries, and charitable organizations. She also represents fiduciaries and beneficiaries in probate and estate administration, including complex estates and probate litigation.

James Smith — Co-Managing Partner, New York

James advises clients on complex securities and corporate transactions, investment management, and corporate law, representing investors, issuers, underwriters, and fund managers in acquisitions, financings, joint ventures, and fund formations. He also counsels private equity, venture capital, and real estate fund managers on structuring and launching investment funds and on securities compliance.

Natasha Songonuga — Managing Partner, Delaware

Natasha focuses on business reorganization, bankruptcy, and corporate restructuring, representing debtors, creditors, trustees, landlords, and other stakeholders in Chapter 11 and Chapter 7 proceedings and related litigation. A Subchapter V Trustee in Delaware, she guided the first confirmed Subchapter V Chapter 11 plan of reorganization in the state.

Practice Group Leaders

Kate Sherlock — Intellectual Property

Kate advises companies across a broad range of industries on protecting, developing, and enforcing their intellectual property (IP) rights, technology, and data, including trademarks, trade secrets, licensing, and technology transfers. She also handles IP disputes, counsels clients on the legal and business implications of AI and evolving privacy requirements, and serves as co-chair of the firm's Sports & Entertainment Group.

Anthony La Ratta — Estate & Trust Litigation

Anthony represents banks, corporate fiduciaries, executors, trustees, and beneficiaries in litigation involving estates, trusts, guardianships, and fiduciary duties, and co-chairs the firm's Private Wealth, Estates & Trusts Group. He is also a court-approved mediator for probate matters in New Jersey.

Steven Mignogna — Alternative Dispute Resolution

Steven is a recognized mediator with decades of experience in probate and commercial litigation involving estates, trusts, gifts, fiduciaries, guardianships, and real estate. His clients range from banks, corporate fiduciaries, and charitable institutions to individual beneficiaries, executors, trustees, and guardians.



Douglas Diaz — Labor & Employment

Douglas represents employers in employment and labor disputes, litigating discrimination, retaliation, wrongful discharge, restrictive covenant, and wage and hour matters in state and federal courts and before agencies including the NLRB, EEOC, and Department of Labor. He also counsels clients on workplace policies and traditional labor law, including collective bargaining, arbitrations, and union organizing campaigns.

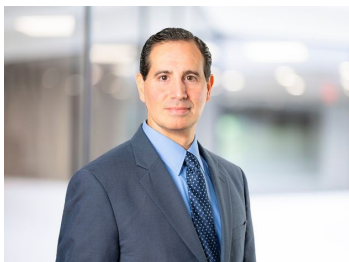
Eric Yun — Immigration & Global Mobility

Eric maintains a cross-disciplinary practice spanning immigration and litigation, guiding employers and individuals through the full range of immigrant and non-immigrant visa processes and compliance issues. He also handles complex disputes, including employment claims, breach of contract actions, and business tort matters, at both the trial and appellate levels.

About Archer

For over 95 years, Archer & Greiner has been providing full-service litigation and transactional legal services to clients ranging from Fortune 100 corporations and small and middle-market companies, to closely held and family-owned businesses. Our 175 attorneys span nine offices serving clients' interests across a wide range of industries. As a full-service firm, we draw on the strength of all our practices and multidisciplinary teams. This collaboration ensures that our clients receive complete, coordinated and comprehensive counsel in every area of the law that impacts their business.

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