



# MEET ED

"As a skilled and aggressive litigator and advocate to my clients, I treat every dispute as if it was one of my family members going through it."

— Edmond M. George

Ed is the Chair of Obermayer's Bankruptcy & Business Reorganizations Department. He focuses his practice on asset recovery, commercial litigation, creditors' rights, bankruptcy and financial reorganization, government relations, government restructuring advisory, and lender liability and workouts.

Ed is meticulous and detail-oriented, continuously striving to bring stability and profitability to struggling businesses. He also litigates complex business disputes and gains great satisfaction in resolving his clients' complex legal issues. Ed utilizes his attention to detail to ensure the most beneficial outcome for each of his clients.

When he's not working, Ed enjoys classic cars and reading about science and quantum mechanics. He enjoys spending time with his akita, and is a dog lover at heart.

## EXPERIENCE

Ed has extensive experience with all types of commercial litigation, and business transactions including the financial and tax aspects of business reorganizations and the representation of debtors, trustees, secured lenders, and committees in Pennsylvania, New Jersey, and Delaware bankruptcy proceedings. He also has extensive experience in out-of-court workouts, restructuring, inter-creditor agreements, and other similar arrangements.



Since joining Obermayer in 1987, Ed has litigated various matters before regulatory bodies, and in state and federal courts in Pennsylvania, New Jersey, Delaware, and Washington, D.C. He has successfully reorganized dozens of companies, and has restructured in excess of \$100 million in liabilities. Ed has also been involved in many of the area's largest and most important bankruptcy cases.

After graduating law school, Ed served as law clerk to the Honorable Vincent A. Cirillo, President Judge of the Superior Court of Pennsylvania where he wrote on many important issues arising under Pennsylvania law. While working full-time, he attended Temple University School of Law in Philadelphia, receiving his Master of Laws degree in taxation, with honors.

# **NEWS & INSIGHTS**

### Obermayer Attorneys Honored in 2025 Pennsylvania Super Lawyers® and Rising Stars Lists

May 22, 2025 by Melissa Siravo Hensinger, Hayley N. Purcell Sinkler, Madison G. Melinek, Stephanie Stecklair Tarantino, Melissa M. Blanco, Kellie A. McGowan, Michael A. Thom, Marcelina R. Policicchio, Mathieu J. Shapiro, Stephanie H. Winegrad, Adam H. Tanker, Alina Chuklin, Tara K. Burns, Nina B. Stryker, Nicholas Poduslenko, Michael S. Pepperman, Nicole E. Norcross, Hillary J. Moonay, Thomas A. Leonard III, David L. Ladov, Paul C. Heintz, Edmond M. George, Samantha J. Evian, Julie R. Colton, Michael E. Bertin

## Obermayer Named Gold Winner in Both Bankruptcy Law and Tax Law by The Philadelphia Inquirer's 2025 Philly Favorites

April 21, 2025 by Alexander Dungan, Kelsey V. Sheronas, Jared C. Slipman, William F. Saldutti IV, Warren W. Ayres, Michael D. Vagnoni, Edmond M. George, Alexander Barnes, David A. Nasatir

#### Obermayer Attorneys Recognized in Pennsylvania 2024 Super Lawyers® and Rising Stars Lists®

May 17, 2024 by Hayley N. Purcell Sinkler, Stephanie Stecklair Tarantino, Shaun Staller, Kellie A. McGowan, Michael A. Thom, Marcelina R. Policicchio, Mathieu J. Shapiro, William J. Leonard, Stephanie H. Winegrad, Adam H. Tanker, Alina Chuklin, Tara K. Burns, Nina B. Stryker, Nicholas Poduslenko, Michael S. Pepperman, Nicole E. Norcross, Hillary J. Moonay, Thomas A. Leonard III, David L. Ladov, Samantha J. Koopman, Andrew J. Horowitz, Paul C. Heintz, Edmond M. George, Julie R. Colton

#### 28 Obermayer Attorneys Named to Pennsylvania 2023 Super Lawyers® and Rising Stars Lists®

May 23, 2023 by Melissa M. Blanco, Shaun Staller, Amanda C. Frett, Kellie A. McGowan, Michael A. Thom, Charles L. Shute Jr., Marcelina R. Policicchio, Mathieu J. Shapiro, William J. Leonard, Stephanie H. Winegrad, Adam H. Tanker, Alina Chuklin, Nina B. Stryker, Nicholas Poduslenko, Nicole E. Norcross, Hillary J. Moonay, Thomas A. Leonard III, David L. Ladov, Samantha J. Koopman, Andrew J. Horowitz, Paul C. Heintz, Edmond M. George, Julie R. Colton, Michael E. Bertin

#### 25 Obermayer Attorneys Named to Pennsylvania 2022 Super Lawyers® and Rising Stars Lists®

May 23, 2022 by Stephanie Stecklair Tarantino, Shaun Staller, Amanda C. Frett, Kellie A. McGowan, Matthew S. Olesh, Michael A. Thom, Marcelina R. Policicchio, Mathieu J. Shapiro, Stephanie H. Winegrad, Robert I Whitelaw, Nina B. Stryker, Nicholas Poduslenko, Nicole E. Norcross, Hillary J. Moonay, Thomas A. Leonard III, David L. Ladov, Samantha J. Koopman, Andrew J. Horowitz, Paul C. Heintz, Edmond M. George, Julie R. Colton, Michael E. Bertin, Ivo J. Becica

# Expanded Chapter 11 Small Business Reorganization Act Eligibility: A Temporary Opportunity for New Jersey and Pennsylvania Businesses in Distress

December 18, 2020

# **ACTIVITIES & HONORS**

Ed's civic activities include providing legal services to the indigent through the Philadelphia VIP Program. He is also a frequent writer and lecturer on bankruptcy law, presenting programs for the Bankruptcy Law



Section of the Philadelphia Bar Association.

Ed was named to the Pennsylvania Super Lawyers® in 2022 - 2025.

Ed is active in his community and is a former member and vice chair of the Moorestown Economic Development Advisory Committee, where he has used his financial and business background to tackle local issues in Moorestown, New Jersey.

#### Awards Won\*



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# EDUCATION

- Temple University Beasley School of Law, LLM
- WMU-Cooley Law School, JD
- Pennsylvania State University, BS

# ADMISSIONS

- Pennsylvania
- New Jersey
- Washington, D.C.
- United States District Court for the District of New Jersey
- United States District Court for the Eastern District of Pennsylvania
- Third Circuit Court of Appeals



# CAPABILITIES

## Bankruptcy & Business Reorganizations

Asset Acquisition Creditor Committee Representation Creditors' Rights Debt Counseling Debtor Representation Fiduciary Representation

#### **Real Estate**

Distressed Commercial Real Estate

#### **Business & Finance**

Lender Liability & Workouts