

## Foreign Investment

Whether inbound or outbound, we help our clients navigate transnational issues and manage their legal exposure across jurisdictions.

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Opportunities for business growth and success in today's global marketplace know no boundaries. Many of our clients have international operations or are foreign-based businesses with interests in the United States. We represent several clients from other parts of the world particularly interested in investing in U.S. hotels, resorts, restaurants, and other hospitality-related entities.

Our attorneys assist clients in a multitude of areas, including:

- Entity formation, whether domestic or international
- Financing
- Cross-border loan and syndicated loan agreements
- Cross-border lease transactions
- Domestic and international tax planning
- Commercial agreements
- Litigation
- Intellectual property and technology transactions and protection
- Patent protection and prosecution
- Licensing
- Franchising

Our international practice team is augmented by Meritas, a global alliance of more than 8,900 experienced lawyers in over 180 full-service law firms.

### Key Contact

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### Related Professionals

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### Related Expertise

Business Structuring

Franchising

Hospitality & Leisure

Intellectual Property

IP Licensing & Transfer

Litigation

Tax