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#### Practice Areas

Litigation and Arbitration, Commercial Litigation, Bankruptcy Litigation and Counseling, White Collar Defense and Regulation, Corporate, Mergers and Acquisitions, Private Equity and Venture Capital

#### Education

University of Pennsylvania Law School (J.D., *summa cum laude*, 2016); Yale University (B.A., *magna cum laude*, 2010)

#### Bar Admissions

New York State; U.S. District Court for the Southern District of New York

Drew S. Dean is counsel in Cohen & Gresser's New York office and practices in the firm's White Collar Defense & Regulation, Litigation & Arbitration, and Corporate groups. His litigation practice focuses on commercial litigation and white collar defense. He also advises on domestic and international strategic investments, mergers and acquisitions, and other corporate transactions. *Super Lawyers* has recognized Drew as a Rising Star since 2020.

In his white collar practice, Drew has represented senior executives and companies in complex financial investigations and regulatory matters, including through trial. Drew was a member of the trial team that represented the defendant in *U.S. v. Samuel Bankman-Fried*, a five-week jury trial that was a high-profile and leading case in the cryptocurrency sector.

Notable civil matters Drew has worked on include representing a major telehealth company in defending class action and shareholder derivative suits relating to de-SPAC transactions; representing a major airline in multiple litigations regarding aircraft leasing and maintenance; representing a major food manufacturer in novel breach of contract litigation involving a parent company; and representing a master limited partnership in defending against claims for the implied covenant of good faith and fair dealing and breach of fiduciary duty.

Prior to joining the firm, Drew was an associate at Davis Polk & Wardwell. He previously served as a judicial intern to the Honorable Patrick J. Schiltz of the U.S. District Court for the District of Minnesota.

Drew received his J.D., *summa cum laude*, from the University of Pennsylvania, where he was a member of the Order of the Coif and served as a Senior Editor of the *University of Pennsylvania Law Review* and as the Symposium Director for Lambda Law. He received his B.A., *magna cum laude*, from Yale University, where he was a member of Phi Beta Kappa.