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Michael Blane is an associate in the Corporate Practice Group in the firm's New York office.

Areas of Practice

Michael's practice focuses on capital markets transactions and public company corporate governance and compliance. He has extensive experience representing issuers and underwriters in public and private offerings, including initial public offerings (IPOs), private investments in public equity (PIPEs), registered direct offerings (RDOs), confidentially marketed public offerings (CMPOs), and at-the-market offerings (ATMs).

Michael also counsels clients on SEC reporting and compliance, including ongoing Exchange Act reporting obligations, proxy statement preparation, and compliance with Nasdaq and NYSE listing standards. He provides strategic and practical guidance, helping clients navigate regulatory requirements and achieve their business objectives.

Experience

- Advised Ladenburg Thalmann & Co., Fluent Inc. and AiM Medical Robotics and Others in Recent Deals
- Advised DNA Holdings Venture, Inc., as the strategic advisor and investor to Predictive Oncology Inc.'s (Nasdaq: POAI)
- Advised Newsmax in \$1.2 billion financing agreement with Yorkville Advisors
- Advised Newsmax Inc. on its private capital raise and IPO

Articles

Corporate & Securities Law Blog Posts

- "Nasdaq Proposes Significant Changes to Initial and Continued Listing Standards," September 4, 2025
- "Federal Court Blocks Enforcement of Texas Proxy Advisor Disclosure Law," September 2, 2025
- "Texas's New Proxy Advisor Disclosure Law: Key Details for Shareholders and Companies Ahead of September 2025," August 27, 2025
- "SEC Revisits 'Finder' Exemption: Potential Impacts for Small Businesses and the Capital Markets," July 8, 2025

- "SEC to Expand Confidential Filing Privileges," March 6, 2025

Practices

Capital Markets

Corporate

Public Company Corporate Governance and Compliance

Education

J.D., Maurice A. Deane School of Law at Hofstra University, 2021

B.A., State University of New York at Binghamton, 2018

Admissions

New York