

17 Paley Rothman Attorneys Named to 2017 Maryland Super Lawyers and Rising Stars Lists

Thirteen Paley Rothman attorneys were named to the 2017 Maryland Super Lawyers list and four were selected 2017 "Maryland Rising Stars." A record five attorneys were selected to Top Lists.

2017 Maryland *Super Lawyers*:

- Bibi Berry (former Principal) - Family Law
- Paula Calimafde - Employee Benefits
- Rick Claxton - Business Litigation
- Deborah Cohn - Estate & Probate
- Glenn Cooper - Family Law
- Hope Eastman - Employment Litigation: Defense
- Jim Hammerschmidt - Employment Litigation: Defense
- Jeffrey Kolender - Estate & Probate
- Carlos Lastra - Family Law
- Paul Marcotte - Tax
- Roy Niedermayer - Estate and Trust Litigation
- Howard Soypher (former Principal) - Family Law
- Trish Weaver - Appellate

2017 Maryland *Rising Stars*:

- Jack Blum (former Associate) - Employment & Labor
- Michelle Chapin - Estate & Probate
- Ryan Spiegel - General Litigation
- Jessica Summers - Employment & Labor

Glenn Cooper, selected for his work in "Family Law" has been honored on the **Top 10 list of Maryland Super Lawyers**, a listing of the lawyers who received the highest point totals in the Maryland nomination, research and blue ribbon review process.

Howard Soypher and Bibi Berry, also selected for their work in "Family Law" have been honored on Top lists as well, with Howard and Bibi both selected to the **Top 100 in Maryland** and Bibi selected to the **Top 50 Women** lists.

Hope Eastman was selected to the **Top 50 Women** list for her work in Employment Law.

Trish Weaver was selected to the **Top 50 Women** list for her work in Appellate Law.



Standing (Left to Right): Ryan Spiegel, Michelle Chapin, Carlos Lastra, Rick Claxton, Jeffrey Kolender, Hope Eastman, Howard Soypher, Paul Marcotte, Roy Niedermayer, Deborah Cohn, Jessica Summers.

Seated (Left to Right): Paula Calimafde, Jim Hammerschmidt, Trish Weaver, Bibi Berry, Jack Blum.

Not pictured: Glenn Cooper