

Joshua R. Driskell is Chair of the Private Client Services Department and Managing Partner of Lagerlof, LLP. His practice is dedicated to estate planning, wealth transfer planning, business succession planning, post-death administration, and fiduciary litigation. Josh's clients consist predominantly of high-net-worth individuals, such as business owners, real property investors, family offices, private equity fund managers, and entertainment industry figures.

Josh regularly counsels his clients on how to minimize their tax burdens and best transfer wealth to the next generation. He also works with business owners on how to best transfer ownership of their business interests to the next generation or employees, with minimal tax consequences and without disrupting the business. Clients often consult with Josh for charitable giving, and he has helped establish charitable trusts and many private foundations.

A frequent lecturer on a variety of estate planning and tax related topics, Josh has appeared before the We Fund LA Real Estate Summer Symposium, Managing the FinCEN CTA Process with Thomson Reuters, The Successful Law Firm and Its Healthy Ecosystem: The Confluence of Strategy, Operations, Technology, and Total Rewards with the California Lawyers Association, among many others.

Josh has been recognized as a Business of Law Visionary by Business of Law: Updates, Trends & 2024 Visionaries Magazine, a Top 100 Attorney and Attorney to Watch by the Los Angeles Business Journal, a Top Attorney by Pasadena Magazine since 2021, A SuperLawyers Rising Star, and an AV Preeminent rating.

In addition to his commitments as an attorney, Josh is active in his community. He is a board member of the Pasadena Museum of History, Leadership Pasadena, and of the Pasadena Fire Foundation.

## **EDUCATION**

Bowling Green State University – Bachelor of Science University of Findlay – Master of Business Administration

University of Toledo College of Law – Juris Doctor University of California Los Angeles – Tax Certificate

## **BAR ADMISSIONS**

California Ohio

## **AWARDS & RECOGNITIONS**

Avvo Client's Choice Award Voted "Top Attorney" by Pasadena Magazine Super Lawyers Rising Star AV Preeminent

## COMMUNITY & CHARITABLE AFFILIATIONS

Leadership Pasadena - Past Chair Pasadena Museum of History - Trustee Pasadena Fire Foundation - Board Member

