

BRENDON P. FRIESEN

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Brendon, a shareholder at Mansour Gavin LPA, holds licenses to practice law in Ohio and Illinois. His practice revolves around crafting effective legal strategies tailored to address the diverse business needs and markets of his clients. As an accomplished trial attorney, Brendon has successfully litigated numerous cases to verdict in various forums, including state and federal courts, arbitration proceedings, and international arenas. Brendon principally advises corporations and individuals in the following areas:

[Mergers and acquisitions](#)

[Banking and finance](#)

[Healthcare](#)

[Creditors' rights](#) (debt collection), receivership, and foreclosure

[Franchising](#)

Corporate start-up, structuring, capitalization, and governance

Shareholder, member, and partnership dispute resolution and litigation

Regulatory compliance and business counsel for [assisted living, nursing home, and residential care facilities](#)

[Marijuana law and policy](#)

Cannabis and CBD regulatory compliance

Entertainment law

Commercial law and transactions (Uniform Commercial Code), products liability, antitrust, and general business disputes

Intellectual property transactions including licensing, registration, and enforcement for trademarks, copyrights, domains, patents, non-compete agreements, and trade secrets

Real estate matters including the purchase and sale of real property, residential and commercial leasing, and county tax valuation complaints and appeals

Construction law services encompassing negotiating and drafting construction contracts, warranty claims, addressing defects and negligence, as well as mechanics liens

Practice Areas

[Civil Litigation](#)

[Intellectual Property](#)

[Corporate and Business Law](#)

[Real Estate and Land Use](#)

Education

J.D., The Ohio State University
Moritz College of Law

B.A., Occidental College

Involvement

Legal Netlink Alliance, U.S.
President (2024-present); Vice-President (2022-2023); Director (2015-2022)

Recognized by Best Lawyers in America® (2022-2024)

Martindale-Hubbell: AV Preeminent rated

International Trademark Association, Member

Cleveland Water Polo Club, Director and Officer (2013-2023)

Aberdeen Community Master Association of Highland Heights, Board of Trustees

Brendon serves as the chair of the firm's Business and Corporate Services Group



and leads the marketing committee. He acts as the firm's liaison to the international law group, Legal Netlink Association (LNA), where he holds the role of U.S. President. He previously served as Vice-President and a Director within the organization. Brendon's involvement extends to hosting the LNA fall meeting in Cleveland in October 2016.

Beyond his professional commitments, Brendon and his family reside in Highland Heights. He values family time and enjoys fishing, golf, and other sports. Originally from Southern California, Brendon grew up playing water polo and is a two-time NCAA All-American water polo goalie. He remains actively engaged in advancing the sport within Cleveland, serving as a director and officer with the Cleveland Water Polo Club, supporting both youth and adult players.