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Overview

Jason Berkun advises clients on government enforcement, litigation, and regulatory matters involving state and federal securities laws. He has experience conducting legal research and drafting memoranda on complex securities laws issues and regulatory compliance matters. Jason also has experience analyzing the application of the federal securities and banking laws to blockchain entities, including wallet platforms, decentralized exchanges, and nodes.

During law school, Jason gained experience in government enforcement and litigation. He served as a legal intern with the Blockchain Association, where he researched federal securities laws, drafted memoranda, and helped prepare comment letters for an SEC rulemaking proposal. Jason expanded his experience while serving as a legal intern with the Securities and Exchange Commission's Division of Enforcement, where he assisted in the investigation of publicly traded companies. He also served as a law clerk in Carlton Fields' Financial Services Regulatory Practice.

Areas of Focus

Practices

- Financial Services Regulatory
- Blockchain and Digital Currency
- FINRA Enforcement, Arbitration, and Appeals
- SEC Enforcement

- [Securities Transactions and Compliance](#)

Insights

05.01.2026

SEC Prescribes Higher FINRA Gift Limit

04.28.2026

SEC Staff Clarifies Broker-Dealer Status of Self-Custody Wallet Interface Providers

02.12.2026

How to Tokenize Securities: SEC Staff Provides a Taxonomy of Different Approaches

01.12.2026

When the Beats Go Blockchain - Nasdaq's Tokenization Rave Awaits SEC Approval

12.31.2025

SEC Staff No-Action Letter to DTC for Tokenization Services: The Coming 2026 Transformation of Trading Securities on a Blockchain

11.12.2025

Nasdaq Looking to Unveil Tokenized Trading Platform Next Year: Will the SEC Approve?

05.10.2025

Why Self-Custody Wallet Platforms Are Not Brokers Under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934
Business & Finance Law Review

03.05.2025

SEC's Newly Established Crypto Task Force: An Ambitious Agenda to Fill in the Gaps

02.13.2025

FINRA Issues 2025 Annual Regulatory Oversight Report

02.07.2025

Trump Administration's Executive Order on Digital Assets: A Significant Shift in U.S. Crypto Policy

01.24.2025

Blockchain: A Conundrum for Clearinghouses and Financial Institutions

10.04.2024

Is Blockchain the Next Big Thing for Insurance Companies?

Westlaw Today

Credentials

Education

- George Washington University School of Law (J.D., with honors, 2025)
 - Articles Editor, *Business & Finance Law Review*
- University of Miami (B.A., magna cum laude, 2021)

Bar Admissions

- New York