



## Tom Corbett

Partner

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### PRACTICES

- Private Client Services
- Privately-held Business Planning
- Tax Law and Controversy
- Trust and Estate Litigation

### EDUCATION

- University of Missouri-Columbia, J.D., 1971
- University of Notre Dame, B.A., 1968

### ADMISSIONS

- Missouri

### AFFILIATIONS

- American Bar Association
- American College of Trust & Estate Counsel
- The Missouri Bar
- Estate Planning Council of St. Louis, President, 1994-95
- The Bar Association of Metropolitan St. Louis

### EMPLOYMENT

- Thompson Coburn LLP Partner, 1981-Present Associate, 1978-1980
- Internal Revenue Service Attorney, 1971-1978

### COMMUNITY

- Family Resource Center
- H. T. And Phenie R. Pott Foundation

Tom's practice focuses on the areas of estate planning and administration, federal estate and gift tax compliance and controversy, organizational, tax and succession planning for privately held businesses, and estate and trust law and litigation.

Within those areas of practice Tom counsels clients on the preservation and transfer of wealth in a tax-efficient manner and counsels business owners in the transition of ownership, management and control of private businesses. In addition, he represents individuals and estates in tax controversies before the Internal Revenue Service and represents beneficiaries and fiduciaries in litigation related to estate and trust administration.

### Recognitions

- Listed in "The Best Lawyers in America (by BL Rankings) 1993-2025
  - Closely Held Companies and Family Business Law
  - Litigation - Trusts and Estates
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- Named Lawyer of the Year by The Best Lawyers in America (by BL Rankings)
  - Litigation - Trusts and Estates, 2015
  - Trusts and Estates, 2019
- Listed in Missouri & Kansas Super Lawyers (by Thomson Reuters), 2005-2020
  - Closely-Held Business, Trusts and Estates
- Listed in Chambers' High Net Worth Guide for Missouri (by Chambers and Partners), 2016-2022

