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# Jeffrey D. Scibetta

# Shareholder

Jeff's practice involves complex estate planning and administration, business planning, succession planning, tax planning, elder care planning, and real estate. He is a licensed title insurance agent in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania. He was licensed as a Certified Public Accountant in Pennsylvania and the District of Columbia and previously worked in the Tax Department of the Washington, D.C. office of Deloitte & Touche. He also served as a Judicial Clerk to the late Arnold Raum of the United States Tax Court.

# **Practice Areas**

- Business & Tax
- Elder Law
- Estate Planning & Administration
- <u>Real Estate</u>

# Education

- Georgetown University, L.L.M. in Taxation; *Graduate with Distinction*
- University of Pittsburgh, J.D.
- Cornell University, B.S.; Graduate with Distinction

# **Admissions, Certifications, and Ratings**

#### **Admissions**

- Pennsylvania
- New York
- District of Columbia
- U.S. Tax Court
- U.S. District Court, Western District of Pennsylvania

## Certifications

• Title Insurance Agent, Pennsylvania





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## Honors

Included in <u>The Best Lawyers in America®</u>, (Business Organizations including LLCs and Partnerships, 2024)

# **Community and Professional Service**

## **Community and Professional Service**

- Hagen History Center, Board of Directors (2022-present)
- Estate Planning Council of Erie, Board of Directors; Board of Corporators
- Hamot Health Foundation, Board of Corporators
- Erie Dance Conservatory, Board Member (2003-2012); President (2009-2011)
- Stairways Behavioral Health, Investment Management Committee (2003-2009)
- Mercy Center for Women, Board Member (1999-2003)
- Erie Runners Club, Board Member (1996-1998)
- Erie Cathedral Prep School, Assistant Coach

## **Professional Affiliations**

- Erie County Bar Association
- Pennsylvania Bar Association
- American Bar Association
- American Institute of Certified Public Accountants
- Pennsylvania Institute of Certified Public Accountants

# **Presentations**

## **Speaking Engagements**

- Firm's Professional Advisor Symposium, 2013-2024
- Erie County Bar Association Seminar on Special Needs Trusts, October 2019
- LECOM Parkside Westminster Estate Planning Lecture Series, October 2016
- Erie County Bar Association Lunch-N-Learn Seminar: Statute Review, April 2015
- LifeWorks Erie Estate Planning Lecture Series, September and October 2014
- UPMC Hamot Spring Educational Session, May 2014
- Speaking engagements include several others, for organizations such as:
- Pennsylvania Institute of Certified Public Accountants
- Hamot Health Foundation
- Estate Planning Council of Erie
- Alzheimer's Association
- Northwest Legal Services
- Gannon University
- National Business Institute

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