

James T. Adams

Counsel

Washington, D.C.

Biography

James Adams regularly represents both borrowers and lenders in a variety of debt financing arrangements.

James' representative experience covers domestic and cross-border, secured and unsecured finance transactions, including acquisition financings, asset-based and cash flow deals. He advises clients across multiple industry sectors, including technology, life sciences, manufacturing, energy and natural resources and sports, media and entertainment.

Prior to joining Hogan Lovells, James worked in the New York office of another international law firm. He received his J.D., cum laude, from American University - Washington College of Law in 2010 and graduated from Franklin & Marshall College in 2007, where he received a dual B.A. in history and government.

Representative experience

Represented a direct lender in connection with a \$50 million asset-based revolver and term loan to a petroleum-based product manufacturer, concurrently with its emergence from bankruptcy.

Represented a direct lender in respect of a \$75 million asset-based revolving line of credit to a logistics company focused on providing a cutting-edge digital freight marketplace.

Represented a direct lender in connection with a \$250mm unitranche credit facility to a manufacturer of synthetic fibers.



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Practices

Asset Finance

Banking and Loan Finance

Commercial

Financial Services

Leveraged and Acquisition Finance

Venture Capital and Emerging
Companies

Industries

Energy and Natural Resources

Financial Institutions

Life Sciences and Health Care

Private Capital

Sports, Media and Entertainment

Technology and Telecoms

Represented a direct lender as Agent in respect of a \$85 million asset-based revolving line of credit to a company engaged in coal mining in the Western United States and Canada.

Represented a direct lender providing a \$22mm acquisition financing to a private equity sponsor in connection with its acquisition of a children's clothing business from a major clothing retailer.

Represented a direct lender in connection with a \$19 million combined revolving and term loan facility to a global medical technology company.

Represented a national bank as Lender in respect of a \$4.5 billion asset-based revolving line of credit and a \$1.5 billion cash flow-based revolving line of credit to a public health care provider.

Represented a national bank as Lender in respect of a \$300 million asset-based revolving line of credit to a national provider of trailer rental and leasing services.

Represented a publicly-traded Caribbean hotel chain in connection with its \$1.1 billion primary revolving/term loan facility and \$94 million side car term loan facility.

Represented a sovereign government in connection with several unsecured USD, CHF and Euro term loan facilities exceeding \$1 billion in the aggregate.

Represented a professional soccer franchise in connection with its \$75 million term loan facility.

Awards and rankings

- Business & Corporate (Washington, D.C.), Rising Star, *Super Lawyers*, 2019-2021

Latest thinking and events

- Press Releases
 - Hogan Lovells guides NHL's Tampa Bay Lightning and owner Jeffrey Vinik in groundbreaking private equity investment
- Press Releases
 - Hogan Lovells advises CI Financial on acquisition of Brightworth

Transport and Logistics

Areas of focus

Direct Lending

Financial Venture Capital Investors

Life Sciences and Health Care
Venture Capital Investors

Sports

Technology Venture Capital
Investors

Education and admissions

Education

J.D., American University
Washington College of Law, cum
laude, 2010

B.A., Franklin & Marshall College,
2007

Bar admissions and qualifications

District of Columbia

New York

- Press Releases
 - Hogan Lovells welcomes the New Year and 25 new partner and 60 new counsel promotions
- News
 - "The Chewy Phantom Guarantee": a Cautionary Tale of today's leverage finance market *Lev Fin Spin*
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