



## Robert Fisher

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Bob Fisher focuses his practice on the tax aspects of corporate transactions. He has experience advising, structuring, and implementing corporate and partnership acquisitions and dispositions, including taxable and tax-free mergers and stock and asset transactions. Bob also has experience in the formation and financing of corporations, partnerships and limited liability companies, corporate restructurings and reorganizations, and leasing transactions. A creative problem solver known for also crafting cost-efficient solutions, he has advised start-up companies as well as private and public mid-cap and large international entities.

### Experience

- Represented Mitsui in numerous acquisitions and investments.
- Represented HID Global in numerous acquisitions.
- Represented Live Nation in multiple acquisitions of S corporations.
- Represented SMART Global Holdings in the acquisition of Artesyn Embedded and Inforce Computing.
- Represented Edwards Lifesciences Corporation in the acquisition of Valtech Cardio.
- Represented a television broadcasting company in its debt restructuring.
- Represented a developer of technology neurostimulation devices in connection with the sale of all of the stock of the company for cash and deferred payments.

### Admissions

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California

### Education

University of California at Los Angeles, J.D., 1998: *Order of the Coif*  
Brigham Young University, B.S., 1995: *magna cum laude*

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- Represented a large investment company in connection with the sale of a portion of the stock of the company with deferred sale of the remaining stock.
  - Represented an internet search company in the acquisition of a competitor.
  - Represented several private equity companies in numerous acquisitions of C corporations, S corporations, LLCs, and partnerships.
  - Represented numerous investors and issuing companies in connection with the issuance of common stock, preferred stock and debt.

## **Professional Activities**

### **Co-Author**

- “Anti-Morris Trust Legislation: Common Plan, Plan and Non-Plan Factors, And Letter Rulings,” Tax Notes Today (1999)

### **Speaker**

- New York University 66th Institute on Federal Taxation (November 2007)

## **Honors & Awards**

- Recognized by *The Legal 500 US* for Tax (2017-2020)