



Tony Bickel

Partner

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Tony is a DBL Law partner practicing in a broad range of transactional matters, including commercial finance, corporate law, mergers and acquisitions, and leasing and real estate acquisitions. He is admitted to practice law in Ohio and Kentucky.

Tony's commercial finance practice includes representing lenders and borrowers on all aspects of commercial finance transactions, including complex multi-jurisdictional real estate-secured loans, construction loans, asset-based financings, acquisition financings, participations and syndications, tax credit financings, and inter-company debt solutions. His client experience includes local, regional, and national banks, life insurance companies, small and middle market private companies, and large public companies.

Tony's corporate practice includes leading mergers and acquisitions, drafting and negotiating commercial agreements, and counseling clients on corporate governance and other general business needs. Tony advises clients ranging from small family-owned and middle market private companies to large public companies. Many of Tony's small and middle market clients do not have internal legal counsel, and he provides those companies with general outside counsel services for day-to-day business operations. He takes pride in learning a company's products, internal structures, business preferences, and risk tolerance



to allow him to function as an integral member of the team.

In his real estate practice, Tony advises developers, investors, and tenants in real estate acquisitions and divestitures, leasing matters, and all related financings. Tony has closed transactions and leasing matters involving multifamily properties, office buildings, retail centers, franchises, industrial facilities, and healthcare facilities. Representative clients include developers, investors, healthcare institutions, small and medium sized businesses, and large public companies.

Prior to joining DBL Law, Tony was a partner in a large law firm based out of Cincinnati, Ohio.

PRACTICE AREAS

- Banking & Commercial
- Business & Transactional
- Government Advocacy & Economic Development
- Mergers & Acquisitions
- Real Estate

HONORS & DISTINCTIONS

- Ones to Watch, Mergers and Acquisitions – *Best Lawyers in America* (2025)
- Cincy Leading Lawyers – (2020–2021)



- Rising Star – *Super Lawyers* (2019)
 - Super Lawyer - *Super Lawyers* (2022–2025)
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M&A EXPERIENCE

- Represented UK company in the acquisition of a Pennsylvania-based healthcare technology company for \$140 million. The target company included affiliates in the United States and Middle East.
- Represented public company in the acquisition of Florida-based medical products company for \$137 million.
- Represented US company's acquisition of Israel-based software company for \$2.6 million.
- Represented public company's acquisition of Utah-based medical device company for \$22 million.
- Represented healthcare payment processing company's acquisition of competitor for \$25 million. The target company included affiliates in Canada, the United States, and Mexico.
- Represented shareholders in the sale of equity in engineering company for \$9 million.
- Represented shareholders in the sale video and audio software and hardware company for \$30 million. The sale included affiliates in the United States, United Kingdom, and Ireland.



- Represented Washington-based medical device company's asset acquisition of Utah-based medical device company for \$22 million.
- Represented shareholders in the sale an automation, engineering, and computer systems validation company for \$13.5 million.
- Represented Ohio-based machining and manufacturing company in the acquisition of Pennsylvania-based armor manufacturer pursuant to an assignment for the benefit of creditors.

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

- Ohio State Bar Association
- Cincinnati Bar Association
- Kentucky Bar Association
- Northern Kentucky Bar Association

ADMISSIONS

- State of Ohio
- Commonwealth of Kentucky

EDUCATION



- J.D., University of Cincinnati College of Law, *magna cum laude*, 2011 (Order of the Coif)
- B.S., University of Kentucky, *cum laude*, 2008

