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“I partner with financial institutions to navigate the regulatory framework.”

Dennis advises banks, credit unions, and other financial institutions on the many constantly changing regulations directed specifically at financial institutions. Dennis also advises financial institutions and other businesses on corporate governance matters as well as asset, stock, and real estate transactions. In addition, Dennis represents commercial developers from land acquisition throughout the development process.

Business & Corporate

- Financial Institutions
- Credit Unions
- Mergers & Acquisitions
- Real Estate
- Business Litigation

Education

- DePaul University College of Law, 2007
 - J.D
- Illinois State University, 2004
 - B.S., Accounting

Memberships

- American Bar Association
 - Banking Law Committee
 - Credit Unions Committee
- Illinois State Bar Association
- Peoria County Bar Association
 - Board of Directors, 2020-2024

Admissions

- Illinois, 2007

Professional Achievements

- Illinois *Leading Lawyers*, 2023
- Illinois *Leading Lawyers*, "Emerging Lawyers," 2015-2022
- Illinois Bankers Association's Certificate in Regulatory Compliance
- Illinois *Super Lawyers*, "Rising Stars," 2014-2015; 2018-2022