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John is a commercial litigator whose practice primarily focuses on directors and officers liability and professional liability insurance coverage disputes. He also handles business disputes, shareholder derivative actions, and claims involving unfair business practices and professional negligence.

John has defended New York, New Jersey, and Connecticut insurance agents and brokers in errors and omissions litigation as well as various clients in general liability matters. His experience also includes representing clients in personal and commercial vehicle liability matters, many involving potentially significant exposure and/or complex multi-party liability issues. John has also represented clients in premises liability and medical malpractice cases. His experience spans all phases of litigation, including

PRACTICE AREAS

Business & Commercial Litigation
Insurance Services
Transportation & Logistics

ACCOLADES

New York Metro Super Lawyers Rising Star,
Civil Litigation: Defense, 2022-2025

COURT ADMISSIONS

Connecticut
New Jersey
New York
USDC: District of New Jersey
USDC: Eastern District of New York
USDC: Southern District of New York

EDUCATION

JD, Western New England University School of
Law, *cum laude*, 2012
BA, Boston University, *cum laude*, 2009

pre-litigation resolution, mediation, and trial. He also has prior experience representing plaintiffs in employment litigation.

Representative Matters

- Won summary judgment on behalf of a New York City commercial property owner based on claims that the client caused injury to a customer by allowing a defective condition to exist on the property. We successfully argued that the client bore no responsibility given the plaintiff's testimony about how and where the incident occurred.
- Obtained summary judgment on behalf of an insurance company after the plaintiff, a corporate housing services provider, paid a third party approximately \$100,000 to repair property damage and then sought reimbursement under its insurance policy. We successfully established that, given the case's undisputed facts, the issued policy did not require reimbursement.
- Secured a favorable settlement for our client, an insurance agent who was accused of negligently allowing the plaintiffs' life insurance policy to lapse. We settled the plaintiffs' claim for less than 4% of the policy's death benefit of \$1.5M value.
- Won a dismissal of all of the plaintiff's personal injury claims against our client's commercial building and recovered attorneys' fees from a co-defendant tenant.
- Secured a motion to dismiss on behalf of an executive at an infrastructure firm that creates reusable energy projects. After multiple disagreements over the company's management, our client agreed to surrender his ownership stake and entered into a separate spinoff agreement with a related company to develop a unique Rhode Island infrastructure project. When the project couldn't be developed further, the plaintiff sued our client, alleging he breached certain fiduciary duties by committing corporate waste. We argued that the plaintiffs failed to assert a valid claim for breach of fiduciary duty. The court agreed.

Events

Ropers Majeski Sponsored the IICF 19th Annual Benefit Dinner

November 21, 2025

Attorneys Snehitha Bethi, Joshua Ferguson, Ryanne A. Hankla, John J. Iacobucci, James G. Papadakis, Jung H. Park, Eric M. Wahrburg, and Allyson R. Wolloch attended this inspiring event

Ropers Majeski Sponsored the Diabetes Research Institute Foundation 2025 C3 Gala

October 15, 2025

Ropers attorneys Christopher J. Gioia, Raymond Gonzalez, John J. Iacobucci, and Eric M. Wahrburg attended the inspiring event

Ropers Majeski Was Proud to Sponsor the LIRIM's 29th Annual Golf & Lobster Classic

June 24, 2025

Christopher J. Gioia and John J. Iacobucci took part in this exciting event, which featured a day of golf, spirited competition, pleasant camaraderie, and delicious food

Ropers Majeski Was Proud to Sponsor the PLUS Eastern Chapter Industry Leaders Luncheon

April 11, 2025

Ropers attorneys Geoffrey W. Heineman, John J. Iacobucci, and Eric M. Wahrburg attended the event, which featured lunch, cocktails, and opportunities to connect with industry leaders and peers

Ropers Majeski Was Proud to Sponsor the PLUS D&O Symposium

March 11, 2025

Ropers Partners Geoffrey W. Heineman and John J. Iacobucci attended the two-day annual event designed for professional liability professionals, with a focus on D&O insurance

Christopher J. Gioia, John J. Iacobucci Jr., and Ropers Majeski Were Proud to Sponsor the LIRIMS 28th Annual Golf & Lobster Classic

June 25, 2024

Half of the proceeds from the event's raffle sales were contributed to Long Island Families Together, a nonprofit organization focused on raising awareness about children's mental health services on Long Island and throughout New York

Geoffrey W. Heineman, John J. Iacobucci Jr., and Ropers Majeski Were Proud to Sponsor the PLUS D&O Symposium

March 08, 2024

Geoffrey and John attended the conference and were joined by fellow Ropers attorney Jung H. Park at the Welcome Reception

Ropers Majeski Attorneys Selected to 2025 New York Metro Super Lawyers & Rising Stars Lists

October 30, 2025

The attorneys are recognized for their experience and success in the legal field

Ropers Majeski Attorneys Selected to 2024 New York Metro Super Lawyers & Rising Stars Lists

October 24, 2024

Congratulations to our attorneys who are recognized in the 2024 New York Metro edition of Super Lawyers

Ropers Elevates Eight to Partner, Of Counsel, and Senior Associate, Welcomes Three New Partners to the Firm

GlobeNewswire

February 21, 2024

Ropers Majeski proudly congratulates our new Partners, Of Counsel, and Senior Associate

Ropers Majeski Attorneys Selected to 2023 New York Metro Super Lawyers & Rising Stars Lists

Super Lawyers

September 22, 2023

Congratulations to our New York attorneys who have been selected to the 2023 New York Metro edition of Super Lawyers

Ropers Majeski Attorneys Recognized Among 2022 New York Metro Super Lawyers & Rising Stars

Super Lawyers

September 29, 2022

Congratulations to our New York attorneys who are recognized in the 2022 New York Metro edition of *Super Lawyers*

Ropers Elevates Eight to Partner, Of Counsel, and Senior Associate

April 25, 2022

We congratulate all of these incredible lawyers and look forward to their continued success

Workers' Comp. Insurance for the N.Y. Sole Proprietor

The E&O Report

October 01, 2016

Associate John J. Iacobucci Jr. gives insight on workers comp issues