

OUR 2016 TOP AUTHORS



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MEET JD SUPRA'S TOP AUTHORS

I am delighted to present to you our first-annual Readers' Choice Awards, recognizing JD Supra authors who achieved top visibility on our platform for their written analysis and commentary over the past year.

Readers' Choice

As the name suggests, these awards reflect a deep dive into our reader data. We studied total visibility both among readers within specific industries and among readers across many industries interested in certain defining topics of the day.

JD Supra editors chose the 26 industries and topics covered in these first-annual awards for their timeliness as well as their proven, ongoing importance. In each category, we recognized the ten authors with the consistently highest readership and engagement within that category for all of 2015. In total, across all 26 categories, we recognized the excellence and achievement of 200 JD Supra authors, selected from over 34,000 who published their substantive work during the year.

It has been an immensely gratifying and fascinating process to mine our enormous pool of reader data and content to create these awards. For my part, I'm proud to host a platform that helps to bring targeted visibility to such smart folks who deserve every bit of recognition for their excellence. And so, to our 2016 Top Authors and the firms you represent, I say a heartfelt congratulations. We're honored to be publishing your work.

Yours in great content,

Aviva Cuyler

CEO, JD Supra

Top Authors



1 Todd Griset PRETI FLAHERTY



Todd is a partner with Preti Flaherty's Energy and Telecommunications practice group. He authors the *Energy Policy Update* blog.

2 Michael Mills STOEL RIVES



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3 George (Chip) Cannon, Jr. AKIN GUMP



A partner at Akin Gump, Chip focuses his practice on energy regulatory and commercial matters, with a concentration on the production and delivery of electric energy.

4 Gabriel Collins BAKERHOSTETLER



Gabe focuses his practice on litigation and international trade. Prior to law school, he worked as a Defense Department China analyst and a private sector commodity market analyst.

5 Charles Sartain GRAY REED



Charles is a shareholder at Gray Reed and the author and editor of the *Energy & The Law* blog. His law career spans more than three decades.

6 Eric Skanchy STOEL RIVES



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7 Brian Heslin MOORE & VAN ALLEN



A significant portion of Brian's practice focuses on the representation of companies and public utilities in the natural gas and other regulated energy industries.

8 **Jeffery Dennis** AKIN GUMP



Jeffery represents a variety of clients in the electric and natural gas industries on business, regulatory, litigation, enforcement, and policy matters.

9 David Wochner K&L GATES



A partner at K&L Gates, David has advised, represented, and advocated on behalf of clients on natural gas, LNG, and oil related matters.

10 Michael O'Neill K&L GATES



Michael's practice deals primarily with energy and environmental issues, particularly with respect to natural gas and oil, and related matters.

ENERGY READERSHIP IN 2015

Top Read Articles

1 FERC Enforcement – What to Expect in 2015

BRACEWELL

2 Newly Installed FERC Chairman Norman Bay's Past Opinions Signal Preference for Energetic Use of Commission Authority

K&L GATES

3 Anti-Bribery Compliance in Canada: An Interview with Kristine Robidoux

Richard Bistrong

FRONT-LINE ANTI-BRIBERY

4 Engineers Beware!! California Courts
Have Held Engineers Owe A Duty Of
Care And Are Liable to Contractors
For Plans And Specifications Used in
the Bidding Process

James Earle

ERVIN COHEN & JESSUP

5 2016 H1B Cap Reached — Alternatives to the H-1B Visa Category

Becky Munscher, Silas Ruiz-Steele BARLEY SNYDER

Top Related Topics

FERC

EPA

Compliance

Electricity

Renewable Energy

Natural Gas

Cybersecurity

Enforcement Actions

Fracking

Greenhouse Gas Emissions

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Notable Readers

Chevron

Lyse Energi

TOTAL s.a.

Magellan Midstream Partners

EATON Corporation

Northeast Power Coordinating Council

AECOM Technology Corporation

ConocoPhillips Company

NRG Energy

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4 James Orr SUTHERLAND



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9 Seth Jaffe FOLEY HOAG



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10 Richard Glick DAVIS WRIGHT TREMAINE



Rick focuses on environmental, water, and energy law, representing businesses and local governments in a wide range of environmental matters.

UTILITIES READERSHIP IN 2015

Top Read Articles

1 Financial Institutions Make History In Target Mdl, First Class Action Certified In Federal Court To Litigate Security Breach Issues

Paul Bond, Mark Melodia REED SMITH

2 Pacific Northwest Water Wars

Richard Glick
DAVIS WRIGHT TREMAINE

3 FERC Staff Notice of Alleged Violations Accuses Columbia Gas of Failing to Publicly Post Notices of Auctions

Scott Daniel Johnson
AKIN GUMP

4 Solar Power Fights Heat Up

Tracey Ledbetter, James Orr SUTHERLAND

5 Cybersecurity, Solar Energy and the Electric Grid

Todd Griset

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Electricity

EPA

Cybersecurity

Oil & Gas

SCOTUS

Utilities Sector

Renewable Energy

SEC

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The Southern Company

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National Rural Utilities Cooperative

Finance Corporation

California Municipal Utilities Association

Northern States Power Company

NiSource Inc.

Constellation Energy Group

ONEOK, Inc.

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Now a partner, Sherri joined MBHB as a technical advisor in 2001. She attended law school at night while maintaining her full-time position as a law clerk and patent agent at the firm.

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Jeffrey practices in the area of patent litigation, with a focus on generic pharmaceutical patent cases under the Hatch-Waxman Act, and within the biotechnology industry.

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9 Lee Rosebush BAKERHOSTETLER



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10 Kyle Vasquez POLSINELLI



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Sun Pharmaceutical

Industries Ltd.

Johnson & Johnson

Roche Holding AG

Genentech

Bristol Myers Squibb

Novartis

Novo Nordisk Inc.

Amgen

Otsuka Pharmaceutical

Jazz Pharmaceuticals Inc.

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Pharmaceutical Industry

Prescription Drugs

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HRSA

Medicare

CMS

HHS

Compliance

Medicaid

Health Care Providers

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1 OIG Lists Cybersecurity of Medical Devices and HIPAA Among Its Priorities for 2016

Nathan Kottkamp MCGUIREWOODS

2 2016 H1B Cap Reached — Alternatives to the H-1B Visa Category

Becky Munscher, Silas Ruiz-Steele BARLEY SNYDER

3 FCPA Compliance and Ethics Report-Episode 184-Marc Bohn on the Mead Johnson FCPA Enforcement Action

Thomas Fox

ADVANCED COMPLIANCE SOLUTIONS

4 OIG to Review Medicare Payments to Providers for Outpatient IMRT

BUCHALTER NEMER

5 Otsuka's Pediatric Labeling Dispute Seeks to Expand Orphan Drug Exclusivity

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authors read by pharmaceutical-industry professionals in 2015



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RETAIL READERSHIP IN 2015

Top Read Articles

1 The Legal Risks Associated with Corporate Sustainability Reporting

Bart Kempf, Sara Orr LATHAM & WATKINS

2 Children's Products and the Consumer Product Safety Improvement Act of 2008: A Synopsis of the Rules and Regulations Governing Toy Safety

Michelle Corrigan

STINSON LEONARD STREET

3 Five 2015 Environmental, Health and Safety Issues Manufacturers Need to Keep An Eye on

ROBINSON+COLE

4 Events Planning Company Fined over \$600,000 for Serious I-9 Paperwork

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5 SEP Right for You? EPA Updates its Supplemental Environmental Projects Policy

Patrick Joyce, Craig Simonsen SEYFARTH SHAW

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Employer Liability Issues

Compliance

DOL

Cybersecurity

Hiring & Firing

FLSA

Class Action

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WalMart Stores, Inc.

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Macy's, Inc.

Office Depot, Inc.

The Kroger Co.

Amazon.com, Inc.

The Home Depot

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Retail Industry Leaders Association

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FOOD & BEVERAGE READERSHIP IN 2015

Top Read Articles

1 Seventh Circuit Affirms in Favor of Cheese Maker in Milk Price Fixing Case

Deirdre McEvoy, Nicole Paschal PATTERSON BELKNAP

2 FTC Ordered to Reveal Names of Witnesses to Sysco, US Foods

Deirdre McEvoy, Kathrina Szymborski PATTERSON BELKNAP

3 High Court Rejects Appeal on Class Action Funding

DLA PIPER

4 Appetite for Litigation: Why Plaintiffs' Lawyers Hunger for Food-Labeling Lawsuits

Thomas Sullivan
MORGAN LEWIS

5 Naturally, It's Only Natural. Or, Is It?

Allison Condra
DAVIS WRIGHT TREMAINE

authors read by food-and-beverage-industry professionals in 2015

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NLRB

Social Media

Termination

NLRA

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Protected Concerted Activity

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Consolidated

E. & J. Gallo Winery

United Natural Foods, Inc.

Food Lion

Performance Food Group

ConAgra Foods, Inc.

International Dairy Foods Association

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1 Top Five Governance & Compliance
Hot Topics For General Counsel

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2 Rossi v. Photoglou — California Court of Appeals, 4th Appellate Div., September 29, 2014

LOEB & LOEB

3 FCC Modernizes Broadcast Contest Rules to Support Online Disclosure

Dale Joerling

THOMPSON COBURN

4 Preemption of State-Law Tort Claims by the Copyright Act — Ray v. ESPN

Rebecca Harker Duttry MCDERMOTT

5 Florida State Court Holds Pizzerias Liable Under TCPA for Third-Party Fax Blasts

Elizabeth Bohn, April Walker CARLTON FIELDS

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Dish Network

Sinclair Broadcast Group Inc.

Minnesota Public Radio

CBS New York

Time Warner Cable

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9 John Pruitt SUTHERLAND



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INSURANCE READERSHIP IN 2015

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1 Five Signs Your Teaming Agreement
Will Lead to Affiliation

Megan Connor, Peter FordPILIEROMAZZA

2 Federal District Court in Missouri
Holds Contractor's Failure to Declare
Subcontractor in Default Bars
Recovery on Performance Bond
(Earlier Decision Vacated)

Jason Spang
PEPPER HAMILTON

3 2016 H1B Cap Reached — Alternatives to the H-1B Visa Category

Becky Munscher, Silas Ruiz-Steele BARLEY SNYDER

4 Regulatory Blue Pencil: CFPB
Guidance, Enforcement Actions
Signal Expanding Focus on Vendor
Management

Elizabeth McGinn, Moorari Shah BUCKLEYSANDLER

5 Difficulty in Obtaining the Approval of an Individual Surety

Michael Payne
COHEN SEGLIAS

Top Related Topics

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Data Breach

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Insurance Litigation

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Insurance Company

Prudential

TIAA-CREF

New York Life Insurance

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Mutual of Omaha

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8 William Stern GOODWIN PROCTER



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9 Joseph Rodriguez MORRISON & FOERSTER



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10 Kevin Foley KATTEN



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Deutsche Bank AG

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World Bank

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Enforcement Actions

SEC

FINRA

Mortgages

Anti-Money Laundering

Dodd-Frank

Cybersecurity

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1 OCC Report Highlights Wide Range of Potential Risks

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Becky Munscher, Silas Ruiz-Steele BARLEY SNYDER

3 When Wikileaks Works: Comparing the Leaked Draft of the IP Section of the TPP to the Official USTR Text and the Consequences to Termination Rights in "Phonograms"

M. Ryder Lee

BUTLER SNOW

4 New Developments In The VAT Treatment Of Securitisation Servicing

ALLEN & OVERY

5 U.S. Department of State to Alter Visa Bulletin System

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INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT READERSHIP IN 2015

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1 SEC Issues Risk Alert, Smacks E*Trade on Penny Stock Sales

David Smyth

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2 Five on Five: How the Evolution of Fintech Is Changing the Face of Community and Regional Banks and What You Can Do About It

Craig Miller MANATT

3 Not All Investors Are Created Equal In The Eyes of the SEC: Why You Should Consider Only Accredited

Investors in Your Startup

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Compliance

Broker-Dealer

Cybersecurity

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Deutsche Bank AG

Fidelity Investments

State Street Corporation

Mizuho Securities USA, Inc.

Two Sigma Investments

SMBC Capital Markets

Jefferies

Fidelity National Financial

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2 7 Essential IP Law Considerations for Startup Entrepreneurs

Jordan Walbesser HODGSON RUSS

3 Teva and Its Potential Impact on Patent Litigation

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4 Global Tax News — November 2015

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5 Estate Planning Pitfall: Your powers of attorney are more than a few years old

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3 How Can the Automotive Industry Strengthen Its Regulatory Compliance Process and Reduce Its Compliance Risks?

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2 Spotlight on Electronic Discovery: Challenges Presented by the Internet of Things

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3 Social Media Is the Kardashians of E-Discovery

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4 Electronic Discovery: Beware of Employees Using Personal Email Accounts for Company Business

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5 It's Called Sputnik!: Don't Fall Behind in the E-Discovery Space Race

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