

## Law360's Insurance Editorial Advisory Board

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Manatt partner Amy Briggs focuses her practice on insurance coverage and bad faith disputes, giving her a consistent pulse on pressing issues in the insurance space. She has represented policyholders in a number of industries, with a special focus in the financial, health care and construction industries.



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Laura Foggan chairs Crowell & Moring's insurance/reinsurance group. She counsels insurers and reinsurers on strategic opportunities, litigation trends and emerging risks such as autonomous vehicles, drones, privacy, cyber-liability and insurtech. Foggan handles a range of complex insurance matters and has participated in more than 250 appeals, often creating new insurance law precedent.



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Michele Jacobson concentrates on complex insurance and reinsurance matters, using her deep knowledge of the industry to counsel a diverse array of companies in litigating and preventing disputes. She represents clients in misrepresentation, coverage, standard-of-conduct, broker negligence and insurance regulatory disputes in federal and state courts and before arbitration panels nationwide.



**Fred E. Karlinsky, Greenberg Traurig LLP**

Fred E. Karlinsky is co-chair of Greenberg Traurig's insurance regulatory and transactions practice group. Karlinsky has more than 25 years of experience representing the interests of insurers, reinsurers and a wide variety of other insurance-related entities on their regulatory, transactional, corporate and governmental affairs matters.



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Marc Ladd represents corporate policyholders in federal and state court actions around the country, seeking damages, declaratory judgments and other reliefs against insurers, resulting in hundreds of millions of dollars in recovery. He litigates all types of coverage, including first- and third-party property/casualty, D&O, E&O, bad faith, consumer protection and contractor liability.



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**Jared Zola, Blank Rome LLP**

Jared Zola advocates for commercial insurance policyholders in high-stakes, complex litigation and corporate transactions. He serves as lead insurance counsel in precedent-setting, nationwide lawsuits as well as in the boardroom on multibillion-dollar mergers and acquisitions deals, and utilizes this experience to provide clients with practical, business-focused solutions to complex legal issues.

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