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Will focuses his practice on corporate and transactional matters. He has experience in structuring corporate and financial transactions, including mergers and acquisitions, joint ventures, loans and venture capital investments, as well as in corporate governance and general corporate matters. He represents public and private clients in a variety of industries, including manufacturing and insurance.

Prior to joining the firm, Will was a corporate associate with a boutique firm based in Chicago, where he drafted and negotiated purchase agreements, operating agreements, credit agreements, and related ancillary agreements, prepared resolutions and other materials for boards of directors, and supported the day-to-day functions of several client businesses.

Will earned his J.D. from the University of Chicago Law School, where he was a member of the *Chicago Journal of International Law*. He earned his B.A. from the University of Chicago, graduating Phi Beta Kappa.

Experience

Represented Reichmann Capital Partners Limited in its acquisition of Athletica Sport Systems Inc., a hockey dasher board system manufacturer, and related financing.

Represented the owner of multiple car dealerships in a series of related corporate and real estate transactions in which two dealerships were combined to form a new joint venture, one real parcel was sold, and other related parcels were leased to the joint venture.

Practice Areas

- Business
- Corporate
- Commercial Finance

Education

- University of Chicago Law School, J.D., 2021
- University of Chicago, B.A., 2016

Bar Admissions

- Illinois

Awards & Honors

- Best Lawyers in America, "Ones to Watch," 2024-2025

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