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Adrian is a partner of the firm in our Business Law Group. He provides counsel to clients in a wide range of commercial and business law matters, including mergers and acquisitions, debt and equity financing, corporate reorganizations, commercial contracts, and corporate governance arrangements. Adrian's practice focuses on private equity sponsored transactions, strategic mergers and acquisitions, venture capital investments, as well as general advice to private and public companies on corporate, operational and governance matters, including shareholders agreements, limited partnership agreements, services agreements, long-term incentive plans, phantom equity plans, and other employee incentive arrangements.

Expertise

- ▶ Business Law
- ▶ Corporate Finance & Securities
- ▶ Mergers & Acquisitions
- ▶ Private Equity
- ▶ Technology, Privacy & Data Management

Publications & Presentations

- ▶ Jul 04, 2016 | Article
When smart contracts are not so smart
The Globe and Mail
- ▶ May 26, 2016 | Article
Who really wins in merger-disclosure settlements?
The Globe and Mail
- ▶ May 11, 2016 | Article
Is the magic of 'smart' contracts just sleight of hand?
The Globe and Mail
- ▶ Apr 07, 2016 | Article
Weaker 'poison pills,' stronger shareholders?
The Globe and Mail
- ▶ Mar 25, 2016 | Article
Lots of things can be taxed, but what should we tax?
The Globe and Mail

- ▶ [Mar 10, 2016 | Article](#)
Private capital makes unicorns look beautiful, but beware the horn
The Globe and Mail
- ▶ [Feb 25, 2016 | Article](#)
A lesson in the limits of good faith contract law
The Globe and Mail
- ▶ [Feb 11, 2016 | Article](#)
Why do dual-class share structures persist? Because they work
The Globe and Mail
- ▶ [Jan 28, 2016 | Article](#)
Tech ventures and conflicts between common and preferred shares
The Globe and Mail
- ▶ [Jan 14, 2016 | Article](#)
Contract interpretation: It's an open question in Canadian courts
The Globe and Mail
- ▶ [Dec 24, 2015 | Article](#)
Supreme Court rules or it does not - there is no try
The Globe and Mail
- ▶ [Dec 10, 2015 | Article](#)
Oracle decision exposes flaws in contract language
The Globe and Mail
- ▶ [Nov 30, 2015 | Article](#)
BlackBerry stock-drop lawsuit raises the question: What's the point?
The Globe and Mail
- ▶ [Nov 12, 2015 | Article](#)
Baseball and the law: Questioning MLB's 'standard of review'
The Globe and Mail
- ▶ [Oct 15, 2015 | Article](#)
FanDuel, DraftKings and the business of fairness in fantasy football
The Globe and Mail
- ▶ [Oct 01, 2015 | Article](#)
Innovation compels updates to business statutes
The Globe and Mail
- ▶ [Sep 17, 2015 | Article](#)
Supreme Court of Canada's Chevron decision skirts the corporate veil
The Globe and Mail
- ▶ [Sep 03, 2015 | Article](#)
In the right circumstances, Canada's English and French aren't incompatible
The Globe and Mail
- ▶ [Aug 20, 2015 | Article](#)
Fact-checking tedium helps avert major legal issues
The Globe and Mail
- ▶ [Aug 06, 2015 | Article](#)
What's illegal insider trading? It's hard to say
The Globe and Mail
- ▶ [Jul 27, 2015 | Article](#)
For Harper-appointed judges, 'originalism' can be another form of activism
The Globe and Mail

- ▶ Jul 15, 2015 | Article
Uber shows it's tough to regulate new businesses with old laws
The Globe and Mail
- ▶ Jul 01, 2015 | Article
Results trump intent in proving housing discrimination: U.S. Supreme Court
The Globe and Mail
- ▶ Jun 17, 2015 | Article
In bailing out AIG, U.S. government broke the law - for the greater good
The Globe and Mail
- ▶ Jun 04, 2015 | Article
Everything in M&A law can't be quantified
The Globe and Mail
- ▶ May 21, 2015 | Article
How two judges came to the same surprising decision in Nortel case
The Globe and Mail
- ▶ May 07, 2015 | Article
Private placement of shares smooths the way for mergers
The Globe and Mail
- ▶ Apr 23, 2015 | Article
Ambiguity, legal awkwardness of bitcoin complicates fraud lawsuit
The Globe and Mail
- ▶ Apr 02, 2015 | Article
In Finkelstein case, OSC's leap in logic was relatively small
The Globe and Mail
- ▶ Mar 19, 2015 | Article
A pump-and-dump scheme straight out of a textbook
The Globe and Mail
- ▶ Mar 05, 2015 | Article
The price of control: why Arcan debt holders took a haircut
The Globe and Mail
- ▶ Feb 19, 2015 | Article
A lesson in contract law from Don King
The Globe and Mail
- ▶ Feb 12, 2015 | Article
With or without a special relationship, it's still insider trading
The Globe and Mail
- ▶ Jan 29, 2015 | Article
Big fights make headlines, but small ones make law
The Globe and Mail

Memberships

- ▶ Ontario Bar Association

Credentials

- ▶ Called to the Bar of Ontario, 2013
- ▶ Called to the Bar of New York, 2014

Education

- ▶ NCA Program, University of Toronto
- ▶ J.D. *cum laude*, Fordham University Law School
- ▶ Ruth Whitehead Whaley Scholar, Fordham University
- ▶ B.A. Hon, Economics/Political Science, McGill University