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With significant M&A and capital markets experience, Josh provides practical insight to a wide spectrum of clients on their most complex and transformational transactions.

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Overview

Josh practices a broad range of corporate and securities law, with an emphasis on mergers and acquisitions and corporate finance. He advises public companies, private equity sponsors and institutional investors on complex corporate transactions. Josh also has significant experience advising issuers, investment banks and investors in public offerings and domestic and cross-border capital markets transactions. His experience covers a broad range of industries, including financial services, energy and infrastructure, retail and technology.

Josh also routinely provides guidance to public company clients on ongoing corporate governance and securities law matters.

Featured Work

Anglo American US\$57 billion merger of equals with Teck

Torys is acting as counsel to Anglo American in its proposed merger of equals with Teck Resources to create a US\$57 billion global critical minerals champion and one of the top five global copper producers in the world

Sagard minority GP stake transaction

Torys acted as counsel to Sagard in its sale of a minority stake in its management company to Groupe Bruxelles Lambert SA

Creation of Brookfield Renewable Corporation

Torys acted as counsel to Brookfield Renewable Partners in its unit split and special distribution of class A shares to create Brookfield Renewable Corporation, a new dual-listed Canadian corporation, which won the *Canadian Law Awards'* 2021 Capital Markets Deal of the Year

Clairvest in the sale of its portfolio company F12.net, one of the largest privately held managed IT service providers in Canada

Canadian Tire Corporation in its strategic review process for Canadian Tire Financial Services

[Top Aces in its C\\$200 million inaugural private placement of 9% senior unsecured notes](#)

[Brookfield Business Partners in the simplification of its corporate structure through the reorganization of Brookfield Business Partners L.P. and Brookfield Business Corporation into one publicly traded Canadian corporation](#)

[CIBC World Markets, TD Securities, BMO Nesbitt Burns and the syndicate of dealers in Intact Financial Corporation's C\\$1 billion private placement of unsecured medium term notes, including C\\$375 million of Series 11 1.207% notes, C\\$375 million of Series 12 2.179% notes and C\\$375 million of Series 13 3.765% notes](#)

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2022-2026 *Best Lawyers in Canada*—Leading lawyer in corporate law

2022, 2024-2026 *The Canadian Legal Lexpert Directory*—Leading lawyer to watch in corporate finance and securities and mergers and acquisitions

2021 *Lexpert's Rising Stars: Leading Lawyers Under 40*—One of Canada's leading lawyers under 40

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Education and Bar Admissions

Education

JD/MBA, 2008

University of Toronto Faculty of Law and Rotman
School of Management

BComm (High Distinction), 2004

University of Toronto

Bar Admissions

Ontario, 2009

New York, 2012