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ATTORNEYS AT LAW
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Zach Buffington focuses his practice in the areas of business law and health law.

He represents business owners and executives in connection with acquisitions, sales, mergers, joint ventures, investments, corporate governance, and operational matters. Zach also serves as general counsel to the Economic Development Corporation of Sarasota County. With respect to his health law practice, Zach advises individual physicians, physician groups, and various businesses involved in the healthcare industry including a purchasing cooperative and a regional supply chain management organization. He is a key member of the firm's legal team that serves Sarasota County Public Hospital District and the District's affiliated entities.

Along with other community work and activities, Zach has served as a Director of the Sarasota County Bar Association Young Lawyers Division, he is a member of the Sertoma Club of Sarasota, and he is a graduate of the Chamber of Commerce's Leadership Sarasota program.

Zach earned his law degree from Stetson University College of Law, his M.B.A. from Stetson University, and his B.S. from Susquehanna University.



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EDUCATION

J.D., **Stetson University College of Law**, Cum Laude; Law Review
M.B.A., **Stetson University**, Beta Gamma Sigma International Honor Society
B.S., **Susquehanna University**, Magna Cum Laude

PRACTICES

Corporate
Healthcare & Senior Living

ADMISSIONS & LICENSURE

Bar
Florida

HONORS

Florida Legal Elite, Up and Comer, 2014, 2016, 2017
Sertoma Club of Sarasota Gem Award, 2016

PUBLICATIONS & PRESENTATIONS

Florida's Government-in-the-Sunshine Law: Does It Apply to Your Organization? (11/15/2018)
Employee Equity Provisions in Organizational Documents (2/28/2017)
Legal Considerations for Structuring Business Sale or Acquisition (5/4/2016)

PROFESSIONAL & CIVIC ENGAGEMENT

Lakewood Ranch Business Alliance, Board of Directors, Legal Counsel
Economic Development Corporation of Sarasota County, General Counsel, 2016-present
Leadership Sarasota, 2014
Sarasota County Bar Association, YLD Board of Directors, 2012-2016
March of Dimes, March for Babies Executive Leadership Team, 2014-2016
American Heart Association, Heart Walk Executive

