



## Mark A. Imbrogno

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**Mark A. Imbrogno is a Member in the Health Care, Financial Services and Public Finance industry groups, focusing primarily on public-private partnerships, municipal and tax-exempt bonds, banking and finance, and government relations. He practices out the Firm's office in Morgantown, West Virginia.**

Don't let Mark's easygoing demeanor fool you – he's definitely juggling 10 things, he just never lets it show. Mark routinely serves as bond counsel, underwriter's counsel and issuer's counsel in public and governmental financing, primarily involving tax-exempt bonds. In addition, he has experience in financing and development of infrastructure and economic development projects, including tax increment financing. He has acted as counsel in transactions involving loans and other financing arrangements for private entities and has experience with performing due diligence for business transactions. He has worked on transactions in several different industries, including banking, energy, manufacturing and higher education. Mark has experience in securities law, including blue sky filings and preparing offering materials. He has also drafted legislation for clients, including economic development and public finance legislation authorizing the creation of special districts and the issuance of revenue bonds.

Mark's reputation for being smart, practical, and unflappable even led to a short hiatus in his time at Jackson Kelly – so he could serve as Deputy General Counsel to Governor Earl Ray Tomblin. Mark's involvement in politics and the legislative process, including serving as counsel to the West Virginia Senate Finance Committee and Economic Development Committee, makes him the ideal person to guide clients through financing and other transactional projects.

A Charleston native, Mark now lives in Morgantown with his wife, two daughters, and their dog. When Mark isn't wheeling and dealing, you can find him taking in a Mountaineers' game, cooking a mean homemade pizza, or trying to get his wife to appreciate the music of the Grateful Dead.

## Awards

- Named a West Virginia *Super Lawyers*® *Rising Star* for Government Finance Law (2021)

## Work History

- Jackson Kelly PLLC (2018-Present)
- West Virginia University, Office of General Counsel, Senior Associate General Counsel (2017-2018)
- West Virginia Office of the Governor, Governor Earl Ray Tomblin, Deputy General Counsel (2014-2016)
- West Virginia Senate Finance Committee and Economic Development Committee, Counsel (2013 Legislative Session)
- West Virginia Legislature Joint Commission on Economic Development, Counsel (2013 Legislative Interims)

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- West Virginia Senate Finance Committee and Economic Development Committee, Counsel (2012 Legislative Session)
- West Virginia Legislature Joint Commission on Economic Development and Select Committee on Infrastructure, Counsel (2012 Legislative Interims)
- Jackson Kelly PLLC, Associate (2011-2014)
- Jackson Kelly PLLC, Summer Associate (2010)
- Jackson Kelly PLLC, Summer Associate (2009)

## Practices

- Banking & Finance
- Business Law
- Commercial Lending
- Economic Development
- Municipal & Tax-Exempt Bonds
- Opportunity Zones
- Public-Private Partnerships

## Industries

- Education
- Financial Services
- Health Care
- Manufacturing
- Public Finance

## Education

- University of Louisville Louis D. Brandeis School of Law (J.D., *summa cum laude*, 2011)
- University of Kentucky (B.A., 2002)

## Admissions

- West Virginia (2011)
- U.S. District Court, Southern District of West Virginia (2011)

## Professional Organizations

- National Association of Bond Lawyers, Member
- American Inns of Court, Judge John A. Field, Jr. Chapter, Member

## Speaking Engagements & Publications

### Speaking Engagements

- Panelist, "Positively WV Small Business MasterMind," InnerAction Media Podcast, Aug. 13, 2021
- Lecturer, "Preparing for Business Growth in a Shale Gas Economy: Economic Incentives," West Virginia CLE: Hot Topics in the Shale Play

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### Writings and Publications

- Note, Pipedream to Pipeline: Ownership of Kentucky's Subterranean Pore Space for Use in Carbon Capture and Sequestration, 49 U. Louisville L. Rev. 291 (2011)

## Community

- Morgantown Area Partnership, Board Member (2019 - present) and Board Chair (2021)