



## Robert S. Whitehill

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Bob has focused his practice exclusively on immigration and nationality law for more than two decades.

A former chair of the firm's Immigration Group and currently Senior Counsel, he serves the immigration needs of individuals and employers, including those skilled and highly trained in:

- the sciences
- the arts
- medicine
- commerce and industry

Bob also assists:

- employers in securing non-immigrant work visas for new hires and permanent residence for permanent personnel
- health care institutions with immigration issues of foreign-born professional staff
- institutions in developing and implementing system-wide immigration policies and protocols
- multi-national companies in bringing in executives, managers or individuals with specialized knowledge
- universities with foreign-born faculty, researchers, and graduates, including Carnegie Mellon University and the University of Pittsburgh
- entrepreneurs forming start-up enterprises or relocating to the U.S. in securing treaty-based visas
- individuals seeking status based on family or asylum

### Services

- Labor & Employment
- Immigration
- EB-5 Immigrant Investor Services
- International
- Israel

### Beyond Fox Rothschild

Bob has been an adjunct professor at the West Virginia University, School of Law for more than 25 years. He is also currently the co-director of the law school's Immigration Law Clinic.

Bob participates in Carnegie Mellon University's Project Olympus program, a startup incubator that encourages and supports student, faculty, alumni and staff entrepreneurship by helping to turn their research and ideas into business ventures.

## Bar Admissions

- Pennsylvania
- Florida

## Court Admissions

- U.S. Supreme Court
- U.S. Court of Appeals, Third Circuit
- U.S. District Court, Western District of Pennsylvania

## Education

- University of Pittsburgh School of Law (J.D.)
- Tulane University (B.A.)

## Memberships

- American Immigration Lawyers Association

## Honors & Awards

- Justitia Officium, West Virginia University College of Law (2022)
- Named the "Second Most Read Contributor in the United States" by Mondaq (August 2015, January 2016)
- Named the "Third Most Read Contributor in the United States" by Mondaq (August 2015)
- Named in "Who's Who Legal" in the area of Corporate Immigration Law (2014)
- Selected to the "Best Lawyers in America" list for Immigration Law in Pittsburgh, PA by *Best Lawyers* (1991-2024)
- Named among the "Corporate Counsel Super Lawyers" in the area of Immigration (2009 and 2010)
- Named a "Super Lawyer" in the area of Immigration by Philadelphia Magazine and Law & Politics Magazine (2005-2018)
- Annual Honoree, Jewish Education Institute (2001)
- Pro Bono Award, Allegheny County Bar Association (1999)
- Levinson Award for community leadership, United Jewish Federation (1997)
- Martindale-Hubbell "AV" rated