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Andrew was destined to become an attorney because he is a problem-solver who never leaves an issue outstanding or a stone unturned. Stemming from his years playing rugby, where he competed in the national championships at both the high school and collegiate levels, Andrew knows the importance of utilizing effective communication and teamwork to achieve collective goals. When conferring with clients, he puts himself in their shoes and works diligently to ensure the matter reaches its successful conclusion.

Having worked on transactional matters early in his career, it was a natural path that led Andrew to practice real estate law. He takes pride in providing each client with a positive experience, whether it is the client's first real estate transaction or one of many.

Prior to joining Underberg & Kessler and returning home to the Rochester area that he knows and loves, Andrew was an entertainment lawyer in Manhattan. He also served as an intern at the Monroe County District Attorney's Office. An outstanding student at Fordham University, he was a Notes and Articles Editor for Fordham Law's Intellectual Property, Media & Entertainment Law Journal, and a Communications Editor for the Fordham Sports Law Forum. Andrew abides by a Robert Brault quote: "Enjoy the little things, for one day you may look back and realize they were the big things." Words to live by indeed.

PROFESSIONAL & COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

- Monroe County Bar Association, member, graduate of the 2024 Leadership Academy
- New York State Commercial Association of REALTORS® (NYSCAR), member
- Greater Rochester Association of REALTORS, Young Professionals Network Leadership Committee, member
- Webster Soccer Association/Lakefront Soccer Club, President, Board of Directors
- Webster Chamber of Commerce, Board member and Secretary
- Women's Council of Realtors Rochester, member
- Bishop Sheen Ecumenical Housing Foundation, Board member
- ReImagine ROC Housing Task Force, member

PRACTICE AREAS
Banking & Commercial Lending

Creditors' Rights

Municipal

Real Estate & Finance

ADMISSIONS
New York State

US District Court,
Southern District of New York

EDUCATION
Fordham University
School of Law, J.D.

Fordham University
Gabelli School of Business,
B.S., *summa cum laude*

AWARDS & RECOGNITIONS
2026 and 2027 editions *of Best Lawyers: Ones to Watch® in America* for Banking and Finance Law and Real Estate Law, Rochester, NY

2025 *Rochester Business Journal* Forty Under 40 Honoree

2026 Upstate New York Super Lawyers Rising Stars Honoree

2025 edition *of Best Lawyers: Ones to Watch in America®* for Real Estate Law, Rochester, NY

2023 *The Daily Record* and *Rochester Business Journal* Legal Excellence Award for Up and Coming Lawyers