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**Practice Areas**

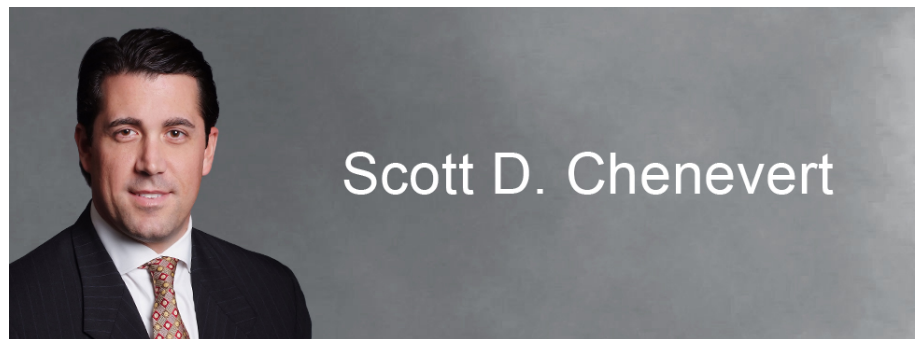
Business & Commercial  
Transactions  
Corporate & Securities  
Mergers & Acquisitions  
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Companies

**Bar Admissions**

Louisiana, 2004  
District of Columbia, 1999  
Maryland, 1997 (Inactive)

**Education**

Washington and Lee  
University School of Law,  
J.D., 1997, *magna cum laude*  
Louisiana State University,  
B.S. in Accounting, 1994



Scott Chenevert is a member of the firm's Corporate & Securities Practice Group and has been a partner since 2006. Prior to joining Jones Walker in 2001, Mr. Chenevert practiced with Gibson, Dunn & Crutcher LLP and Reed Smith LLP in Washington, D.C.

Mr. Chenevert's broad-based business practice includes areas such as securities, corporate governance, corporate finance, mergers and acquisitions, and energy. His clients include public companies and privately owned companies engaged in virtually all areas of the energy industry, as well as service providers, private capital portfolio companies, and other businesses in a variety of industries.

Mr. Chenevert has extensive experience in public and private offerings of equity and debt securities, and routinely structures and negotiates acquisitions and financing transactions. He also provides corporate and boardroom advice to a variety of public and private companies, including compliance with U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC) disclosure laws and the Sarbanes-Oxley Act (SOX); preparing proxy materials; implementing anti-takeover defenses, including stockholder rights plans; drafting contracts; and assisting clients with corporate governance matters.

An active member of the Baton Rouge Area Chamber (BRAC), Mr. Chenevert currently serves as Chair-Elect of the organization's board of directors and executive committee. He is also a member of BRAC's business development committee.

**Noteworthy**

- Listed in *The Best Lawyers in America*® 2012 (Copyright 2011 by Woodward/White, Inc., Aiken, SC) in the area of Mergers & Acquisitions Law

- Selected by *Baton Rouge Business Report* as one of Forty Under 40 (2005)
  - Selected for Baton Rouge Area Leadership (2008)
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### **Presentations**

- "Mergers and Acquisitions—What Corporate Counsel Needs to Know" Essential Issues Affecting In-House Counsel and Corporate Attorneys, Association of Corporate Counsel Louisiana Chapter CLE, Loyola University New Orleans College of Law, New Orleans, LA, September 24, 2010
  - "Entity Formation" Baton Rouge Area Chamber Small Business Education Seminar, May 22, 2007
  - "Preventing Costly Mistakes Through the Correct Entity Choice in Louisiana" National Business Institute, June 9, 2005
  - "Sarbanes-Oxley Act in Louisiana" Lorman Education Services, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, June 18, 2004
  - "Negotiating and Drafting Acquisition Agreements in Louisiana" National Business Institute, August 14, 2003
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### **Memberships**

#### **Civic**

- Advance Baton Rouge Charter Schools (Board of Directors)
- American Heart Association (Vice-Chair, 2012; Baton Rouge Heart Walk)
- Baton Rouge Area Chamber (Chair-Elect, 2011; Education Issue Council, Chair)
- Louisiana Arts and Science Museum (Board of Directors)
- Southeast Super-Region Committee

#### **Professional**

- American Bar Association
  - Baton Rouge Bar Association
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- District of Columbia Bar
- Louisiana State Bar Association