

Thomas R. Corbett

THOMPSON COBURN LLP

Mr. Corbett is the Chairman of the firm's Private Client Services Group. His practice focuses on the areas of estate planning and administration, federal estate and gift tax compliance and controversy, organizational, tax and succession planning for privately held businesses, and estate and trust law and litigation. Within those areas of practice Mr. Corbett counsels clients on the preservation and transfer of wealth in a tax-efficient manner and counsels business owners in the transition of ownership, management and control of private businesses. In addition, he represents individuals and estates in tax controversies before the Internal Revenue Service and represents beneficiaries and fiduciaries in litigation related to estate and trust administration. Mr. Corbett has authored numerous articles and has spoken on estate and business planning topics.

Professional Affiliations

- **American Bar Association**
- **American College of Trust & Estate Counsel**
- **The Missouri Bar**
- **Estate Planning Council of St. Louis**
President, 1994-95
- **The Bar Association of Metropolitan St. Louis**

Civic Involvement

- Family Resource Center
- H. T. And Phenie R. Pott Foundation
- W.R. Persons Charitable Trust
- Barnes-Jewish Hospital Foundation

Employment

- **Thompson Coburn LLP**
Partner (1981-Present)
Associate (1978-1980)
- **Internal Revenue Service**
Attorney (1971-1978)

Honors

- **Best Lawyers in America®**
Trusts and Estates (2001-2010)
- **Missouri & Illinois Super Lawyers® Magazine**
Closely-Held Business, Trusts and Estates (2005-2009)



Education

- **University of Missouri - Columbia**
J.D. (1971)
- **University of Notre Dame**
B.A. (1968)

Primary Practice Areas

- Private Client Services
- Privately held business planning
- Tax law
- Non-profit organizations

Licensure

- Missouri (1971)