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Dean Masuda is a partner in the New York office of Gibson Dunn where he is a member of the firm's Finance Practice Group. He represents borrowers and private equity sponsors in a variety of debt finance transactions.

Dean is recognized in *Best Lawyers: Ones to Watch® in America 2025* for his work in Banking and Finance Law.

Representative Clients and Transactions*:

- CapVest Partners in its financing of its acquisition of Recochem Corp.
- Cole Haan, a portfolio company of Apax Partners in its refinancing of its credit facilities
- Consolidated Precision Products, a leading manufacturer of highly complex components for the commercial aerospace market, in connection with a refinancing of its existing secured debt and issuance of preferred equity as part of a complicated amend and extend transaction involving more than \$1.3 billion in funded debt
- Digital River Inc., a portfolio company of Siris Capital Group in its amendments of its credit facilities
- Galaxy Digital Holdings in its financing of its acquisition of Helios bitcoin mining facility from Argo Blockchain
- Grayshift LLC, a portfolio company of Thoma Bravo in its refinancing of its credit facilities
- HPS Investment Partners in its financing for the management-led group's takeover bid for Canaccord Genuity Group Inc.
- Identity Digital Inc., a portfolio company of ABRY Partners in its refinancing of its credit facilities
- Integra Parent, a portfolio company of Thoma Bravo in its financing of its acquisition of Cyborg Security Inc.
- Kohlberg Kravis Roberts & Co. and its portfolio companies in various matters including:
 - Acquisition of SunFireMatrix Inc.
 - Acquisition of Janney Montgomery Scott
 - Take-private of Chase Corporation
 - Incremental financings for GeoStabilization International, LLC
 - Industrial Physics in its amendments to its credit facilities



Capabilities

Finance
Private Equity

Credentials

Education

Columbia University - 2015 Juris Doctor
University of Notre Dame - 2012 Bachelor of Arts

Admissions

Florida Bar
New York Bar

- Learfield Communications in a comprehensive deleveraging transaction with its lenders and equity partners. Significantly reducing debt by \$600 million and raised \$150 million in new equity
- Medusind Solutions, a portfolio company of Alpine Investors in multiple refinancings and acquisition financings
- Ortholite LLC, a portfolio company of Trilantic Capital Partners in its refinancing of its senior credit facilities
- Point 41 Capital Partners and its portfolio companies in various financing matters including:
 - Acquisition of Interstate AC Services
 - Acquisition of Kimbro Mechanical Inc.
 - Acquisition of Open Source Controls LLC
 - Acquisition of Anchor Heating and Air
- Warburg Pincus in its financing of its acquisition of Everise Holdings Inc.
- 24-7 Intouch Inc., a portfolio company of Ontario Teacher's Pension Plan in its incremental credit facility

Dean earned his Juris Doctor in 2015 from Columbia Law School, where he was a Harlan Fiske Stone Scholar. He received a Bachelor of Arts degree in Philosophy from the University of Notre Dame in 2012. Prior to joining Gibson Dunn, he was a debt finance partner at a global law firm.

**Includes transactions prior to Dean's association with Gibson, Dunn & Crutcher LLP.*

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