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Lisa J. Saul



Lisa Saul has represented clients in residential and commercial real estate transactions for over 20 years. She practiced for seven years in the Real Estate group at Mayer Brown LLP, handling commercial real estate acquisitions and dispositions, real estate finance transactions, and zoning matters.

Lisa has extensive experience in a wide variety of complex real estate transactions including the acquisition, sale, financing, and development of commercial property on behalf of developers as well as institutional and individual investors. She has vast experience representing condominium homeowners' associations throughout the condoconversion process. Lisa has successfully negotiated and closed upwards of 1,000 real estate purchases and sales per year.

In 2019, Lisa sat down with Maggie Baczkowski, founder of MB Luxury Group, for an episode of Making Sense of the Market to share her insight into co-ops, contracts, and taxes. Her "informative, on-point" interview can be found at http://traffic.libsyn.com/eccpods/Co-ops2C2oContracts20262oTaxes.mp3. In late 2018, Lisa joined Matt Laricy, Managing Broker of Americorp Real Estate, for the Attorney State of Mind episode of The Matt Laricy Project to discuss why you want an attorney for a real estate transaction, what to look for in an attorney, and what can happen when a real estate deal goes south. An audio version of that episode is available at http://mattlaricyproject.libsyn.com/attorney-state-of-mind-matt-laricy-project-video-podcast-s1-e4-w-lisa-saul.

Lisa is featured in the Who's Who section of the most recent issue of *Chicago Agent*, Chicago's leading source of local real estate news and information.

In <u>Our Craziest Real Estate Closing Stories! | Laricy LIVE E112</u>, Lisa, along with Matt Laricy and Jamie Daly of The Laricy Group, recount how cash and emotions can sometimes play havoc in real estate closings.

In an episode of The Laricy Vlog, Lisa sheds light on the role of the real estate

attorney in the home buying process. The episode, <u>The Ultimate First Time Home Buyers Guide 2022 – Step by Step! | Laricy Vlog E45</u>, expertly breaks down the step-by-step home buying process for first-time home buyers.

Lisa was featured in *Chicago Real Producers*, as well as the *Leading Lawyers Magazine* – *Real Estate Edition for 2020*.

CIVIC AND CHARITABLE ACTIVITIES

• Board Member, IMD Guest House Foundation Board of Directors

PROFESSIONAL HISTORY

- 2016-Present Forde & O'Meara LLP
- 2013-2016 Lisa J. Saul Law
- 2008-2013 Mission Measurement
- 2001-2008 Mayer Brown LLP

AWARDS AND RECOGNITIONS

- Georgetown University Law Center, J.D., 2001, cum laude
- Tulane University, B.S., 1998, cum laude, Phi Beta Kappa