

■ Law Ones to Watch



ROBIN ABRAMOWITZ



MICHAEL CANNATA

**Robin Abramowitz**

Partner

Lazer Aptheker Rosella & Yedid

Robin Abramowitz is a Melville-based partner for Lazer Aptheker Rosella & Yedid. The attorney co-chairs the full-service law firm's litigation, matrimonial and bankruptcy practice groups. She has represented corporate and individual debtors and creditors in Chapter 7 and 11 bankruptcies. She has also represented subcontractors, general contractors, suppliers and owners in construction litigation; residential and commercial landlords in landlord/tenant proceedings; and individuals and corporations in commercial litigation. Abramowitz also serves as an arbitrator on the Long Island General Commercial Panel for the American Arbitration Association.



JENNIFER ECKER



CHRISTOPHER PALMER

**Michael Cannata**

Partner

Rivkin Radler

Uniondale-based Rivkin Radler announced the election of Michael Cannata to partner at the start of the year. A member of the firm's intellectual property practice group, Cannata is a trial lawyer with extensive experience litigating complex intellectual property, commercial and other business disputes in state and federal courts across the country. He counsels clients on their intellectual property rights and how best to protect their portfolios. His client list has included product manufacturers and suppliers, animation companies, websites, artists, jewelers, restaurants, entrepreneurs, medical practice groups, construction contrac-



JONATHAN SULLIVAN



DANIELLE TRICOLLA

**Jonathan Sullivan**

Partner

Ruskin Moscou Faltischek

In addition to chairing the litigation department at Uniondale-based Ruskin Moscou Faltischek, Jonathan Sullivan is a member of the firm's environmental, intellectual property and employment practice groups. He has substantial experience in both trial and appellate advocacy, representing clients in a wide variety of commercial cases. These have included breach-of-contract actions, employment and civil rights claims, commercial real estate disputes and antitrust claims. He also is well-versed in municipal law matters, including eminent domain proceedings and land use and zoning disputes.

tors, insurance carriers and municipalities.

**Jennifer Ecker**

Partner

Moritt Hock & Hamroff

Jennifer Ecker was elevated to partner at Moritt Hock & Hamroff in Garden City at the start of the year. Formerly of counsel to the firm, Ecker has more than 18 years of experience in litigating complex real estate disputes. Her diverse real estate practice includes construction law; drafting, analyzing and negotiating commercial leases; counseling clients on landlord/tenant legal issues; and New York condominium and cooperative law. She is a member of the Association of Real Estate Women and the Long Island Real Estate Group.

**Christopher Palmer**

Managing Partner

Cullen and Dykman

Last summer, Christopher Palmer was named managing partner of Garden City-based Cullen and Dykman. A commercial banking attorney, Palmer has represented a number of financial institutions, specializing in structuring and negotiating complex commercial and real estate financing transactions. As managing partner, he oversees the firm's expansion of core areas including banking and financial services, corporate, commercial litigation, and trusts and estates. Palmer began his career in 1994 with Bleakley Platt Remsen Millham and Curran, which named him a partner five years later. The firm merged with Cullen and Dykman in 2003.

**Danielle Tricolla**

Associate

Forchelli, Curto, Deegan, Schwartz, Mineo & Terrana

Based in Uniondale, attorney Danielle Tricolla concentrates her practice in the areas of litigation, land use and real estate law. She has represented clients in a variety of litigation matters including Article 78 proceedings and District Court proceedings relating to zoning matters. Admitted to practice in both New York and New Jersey, as well as the U.S. District Court for the Eastern District of New York, Tricolla is a member of the Nassau County Bar Association's commercial litigation committee as well as the Women's Bar Association of Nassau County.