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## BOARD CERTIFIED BY THE FLORIDA BAR

Board Certified in Wills Trusts & Estates

## PRACTICE FOCUS

Estate Planning

Probate & Trust Administration

Family Business Succession Planning

Charitable Gift Planning

Tax

Probate, Trusts & Fiduciary Litigation

Trusts & Estates

## EDUCATION

Florida State University, B.S., 1995

Florida State University College of Law, J.D., 1998

University of Miami, LL.M., 2004

## BAR ADMISSIONS

American Bar Association

Chad Callahan is chair of the firm's Trusts and Estates Group. His practice is primarily devoted to estate planning, estate, gift and generation-skipping transfer, tax planning, business succession planning, charitable planning, tax controversy matters against the Internal Revenue Service and matters involving the administration of trusts and estates.

Chad enjoys working with families to achieve their various estate planning objectives including succession planning closely-held businesses, life insurance, wealth preservation, planning with private foundations, and planning for families with young children. He also works with family members and professional fiduciaries through the probate and trust administration process after a death and the related post-mortem tax issues.

## HONORS

- Florida Super Lawyers (2014-2022)
- Florida Super Lawyers Rising Star (2012-2013)
- Florida Trend's Legal Elite (2013-2016, 2020, 2022)
- Tampa Chamber of Commerce Leadership Tampa Class of 2014
- *The Best Lawyers in America*® (2013-2023)

## COMMUNITY & PROFESSIONAL

- The Tampa Museum of Art Foundation: Vice President, Board of Directors

## CHARLES W. CALLAHAN III

- Real Property, Trust and Estate Law Section
  - Estate Planning and Administration for Business Owners, Farmers and Ranchers Committee

### The Florida Bar

- Real Property, Probate, and Trust Law Section
  - Executive Council
  - IRA, Insurance and Employee Benefits Committee
  - Asset Protection Committee
  - Probate Law and Procedure Committee

### Hillsborough County Bar Association

### Wills Trusts and Estates Certification Committee

## COURT ADMISSIONS

All Florida State Courts

- Tampa Bay History Center: The Advancement Committee
- Success 4 Kids and Families, Inc.: Immediate Past Chair of the Board
- Tampa Bay Estate Planning Council

## NEWS & INSIGHTS

Eighty-One Hill Ward Henderson Attorneys Cited in The Best Lawyers in America 2023 Publication  
Firm News, 8.18.22

61 Hill Ward Henderson Attorneys Recognized in 2022 Florida Super Lawyers Listing  
Firm News, 7.1.22

Florida Trend Names Hill Ward Henderson Attorneys to 2022 Hall of Fame and Legal Elite  
Firm News, 6.29.22

Seventy Six Hill Ward Henderson Attorneys Cited in The Best Lawyers in America 2022 Publication  
Firm News, 8.19.21

58 Hill Ward Henderson Attorneys Recognized in 2021 Florida Super Lawyers Listing  
Firm News, 6.23.21

67 Hill Ward Henderson Attorneys Cited in The Best Lawyers in America 2021 Publication  
Firm News, 8.20.20

Florida Trend Names Hill Ward Henderson Attorneys to Hall of Fame, Legal Elite, and Up & Comers  
Firm News, 6.22.20

Fifty Nine Hill Ward Henderson Attorneys Recognized in 2020 Florida Super Lawyers Listing  
Firm News, 6.5.20

2019 Best Lawyers Cites 46 Hill Ward Henderson Attorneys & Names Six "Lawyer of the Year"  
Firm News, 8.16.18

Florida Trend Names Hill Ward Henderson Attorneys To Hall Of Fame, Legal Elite, And Up & Comers  
Firm News, 7.2.18

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Hill Ward Henderson Attorneys Named 2018 Florida Super Lawyers  
Firm News, 6.25.18

2018 Best Lawyers Cites 44 Hill Ward Henderson Attorneys & Names  
Five "Lawyer Of The Year"  
Firm News, 8.15.17

Florida Trend Names Hill Ward Henderson Attorneys to Hall of Fame,  
Legal Elite, And Up & Comers  
Firm News, 6.22.17

Hill Ward Henderson Attorneys Named 2017 Florida Super Lawyers  
Firm News, 6.8.17

2017 Best Lawyers Cites 44 Hill Ward Henderson Attorneys & Names  
Two "Lawyers Of The Year"  
Firm News, 8.15.16

Hill Ward Henderson Attorneys Named 2016 Florida Super Lawyers  
Firm News, 6.15.16

2016 Best Lawyers Cites 40 Hill Ward Henderson Attorneys & Names  
Five "Lawyer of the Year"  
Firm News, 8.17.15

Hill Ward Henderson Attorneys Named 2015 Florida Super Lawyers  
Firm News, 6.11.15

2014 Best Lawyers Cites 42 Hill Ward Henderson Attorneys & Names  
Three "Lawyer Of The Year"  
Firm News, 8.30.13

Hill Ward Henderson Shareholder Selected For Leadership Tampa  
Firm News, 8.20.13

Florida Trend Names Hill Ward Henderson Attorneys to Hall of Fame,  
Legal Elite and Up & Comers  
Firm News, 7.1.13

Hill Ward Henderson Attorneys Named 2013 Florida Super Lawyers  
Firm News, 6.3.13

Hill Ward Henderson Attorneys Named 2012 Florida Super Lawyers  
And Rising Stars  
Firm News, 3.20.12