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White Collar Defense and Investigations  
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Jim represents corporations and individuals responding to criminal, regulatory and legislative inquiries and conducting internal investigations. He also contributes to Cooley's issues and appeals practice, offering clients creative solutions to complex legal problems. Jim joined Cooley after a stint with a litigation boutique and a clerkship on the US Court of Appeals for the Third Circuit. Before law school, he worked at the US Department of Justice as a speechwriter for then-Attorney General Loretta Lynch.

### Education

Stanford Law School  
JD, 2022

University of Cambridge  
MPhil, American History, 2018

University of Pennsylvania  
BA, English, summa cum laude, 2012

### Admissions & Credentials

District of Columbia

Pennsylvania

### Court Admissions

US Court of Appeals for the Third Circuit