



## Walter E. Lannis

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### OVERVIEW

**Estate and Trust Law:** Mr. Lannis counsels and represents individuals and families in both tax and non-tax aspects of estate planning and business succession planning.

**Tax-Exempt Organizations/Nonprofit Institutions:** Mr. Lannis assists individuals in developing and implementing charitable giving plans, including qualification and operation of tax-exempt charitable foundations and supporting organizations, and creation of charitable lead and remainder trusts.

### EDUCATION

- J.D., Duquesne University School of Law, 1998 (*cum laude*; *Duquesne Law Review*)
- B.S., Carnegie Mellon University, 1995

### ADMISSIONS

- Bar of Pennsylvania

### OTHER PUBLICATIONS

- "Helping the Disabled Retain Quality of Life," *Legal Times*, 23 November 1998

### AREAS OF FOCUS

- Estate Planning and Trusts & Estates
- Nonprofit Organizations