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Joseph is an associate in the Estate Planning Department of Lewis Rice, where he advises clients on estate and gift tax matters.

Prior to attending law school, where he graduated second in his class, Joseph studied abroad in the Netherlands and Australia. He previously worked at Cushman & Wakefield U.S. as a transaction coordinator and later as a senior portfolio manager, continuing in that role throughout law school. While earning his J.D., he competed in multiple Board of Advocates competitions and served as Lead Articles Editor for the *Business*, *Entrepreneurship*, and *Tax Review* at the University of Missouri.

Additionally, he holds a Missouri real estate salesperson's license, which enhances his understanding of property-related issues in estate planning.

Education

- University of Missouri at Columbia School of Law (J.D., *magna cum laude*, 2025)
 - Tax Concentration
 - Order of the Coif
 - President, Tax and Transactional Law Society (2024-2025)
 - Lead Articles Editor, *Business*, *Entrepreneurship*, and *Tax Review*
 - Phi Delta Phi Honor Society
- Missouri Baptist University (B.S., 2020)
 - Business Administration

Legal Background

- Summer Associate, Lewis Rice LLC (2023-2024)
- Entrepreneurship Legal Clinic, University of Missouri School of Law

Admissions

- Missouri Bar

Services

- Trust & Estates

Special Honors

- Michelle Arnopol Cecil Award in Tax
 - William F. Fratcher Prize for Best Work in Estates and Trusts
 - CALI Awards: Partnership Taxation, Estates & Trusts, Taxation of Property Transactions
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Publications

August 15, 2025

From Listings to Lawsuits: The Future of Real Estate is Looking More Competitive
American Bar Association