

CAPE SOKOL CELEBRATES 25 YEARS OF GROWTH, INNOVATION, AND CLIENT COMMITMENT

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Capes Sokol is proud to celebrate its 25th anniversary, marking a quarter century of growth, innovation, and dedication to serving clients in St. Louis and beyond.

Founded in 2001 by a group of eight attorneys with a shared vision of building a collaborative, client-focused firm, Capes Sokol has evolved into a dynamic, full-service law firm recognized for its deep relationships, entrepreneurial spirit, and commitment to excellence.

Over the past 25 years, the firm has expanded its team, enhanced its capabilities, and continuously adapted to meet the evolving needs of its clients. From early expansion of its physical footprint to the development of innovative practice areas, Capes Sokol has consistently positioned itself at the forefront of the legal services industry.

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"Reaching 25 years is a meaningful milestone for our firm," said [Douglas S. Dove](#), Managing Shareholder of Capes Sokol. "It reflects not only our growth, but the strength of the relationships we've built with our clients and our community. We are incredibly proud of the culture we've created and the people who continue to drive our success."

"Over the past few years, we've made intentional investments in our infrastructure, technology, and people to support the firm's continued growth," said [Katie Bircher](#), Chief Operating Officer of Capes Sokol. "Our goal has been to build a strong operational foundation that allows our attorneys to focus on serving clients while also creating opportunities for leadership and development. Today, five of our seven practice groups are led by female attorneys, which reflects the strength and depth of our team. As we look to the future, we will continue to focus on thoughtful, strategic expansion that supports our clients and our people."

Throughout its history, Capes Sokol has demonstrated a commitment to forward-thinking development. The firm has expanded its service offerings to include practice areas such as intellectual property and entertainment and media, while also bolstering its real estate and litigation practice groups. Most recently, the firm has added family law and launched the Retail Law Collective, further strengthening its ability to serve clients across a wide range of industries and needs.

In addition to its legal work, Capes Sokol has remained deeply rooted in the St. Louis community. The firm has been recognized by the *St. Louis Business Journal's* Philanthropy Awards each year since 2020, an honor that reflects its continued commitment to giving back and supporting the region it serves.

A defining moment in the firm's recent history came in 2023, when founding member Jeffrey A. Cohen transitioned from Managing Shareholder to Chairperson, passing day-to-day leadership to Dove. This transition marked a new chapter while reinforcing the firm's commitment to continuity, collaboration, and long-term success.

"From the very beginning, our goal was to build a firm grounded in collaboration, integrity, and exceptional client service," said [Jeffrey Cohen](#), Chairman of Capes Sokol. "Seeing how Capes Sokol has grown and evolved over the past 25 years is incredibly rewarding, and I'm confident the firm is well-positioned for continued success in the years ahead."

Today, Capes Sokol operates from its modern, multi-floor office in the Regions Centre in Clayton, reflecting both its evolution and its continued investment in providing a premier environment for clients and employees alike.

As the firm looks to the future, Capes Sokol remains focused on strategic expansion, innovation, and delivering exceptional service. With a strong foundation and a forward-looking mindset, the firm is

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well-positioned to continue evolving alongside its clients and the industries it serves.

A full timeline of Capes Sokol's 25-year history, highlighting key milestones and growth, is available [here](#).

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