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**Practice Areas**

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**Profile:**

Ronald E. Lyons is a Managing Partner with McMillan Metro, P.C. His practice areas include Business Startups, Mergers and Acquisitions, Stock and Asset Sales, Commercial Leasing, Corporate and Business Law, Employment Law, Contracts, and Estate Planning and Administration. For more than 35 years, Ronald has focused on providing legal advice to business owners regarding all aspects of their operations, as well as individuals starting new businesses. He counsels clients on how to choose the right entity; draft shareholder, succession planning, buy-sell, operating, employment, partnership and joint venture agreements; commercial leases; purchases and sales of businesses, including asset and stock purchases; as well as financing arrangements, including debt and venture capital transactions. Ronald also assists people in settling commercial disputes through the use of alternative dispute resolution including mediation and arbitration. In addition, he works with couples to provide security for their families by drafting comprehensive estate planning documents of all types and is experienced in handling the administration of estates and trusts and the probate of wills in Maryland and D.C. Ronald consistently brings insight, perspective and passion to every legal matter.

**Education:**

J.D., Washington College of Law, American University  
B.S./B.A., American University, cum laude

**Admissions:**

Maryland  
District of Columbia

**Memberships & Activities:**

American Bar Association  
Maryland State Bar Association

District of Columbia Bar Association

**Honors & Awards:**

Rated AV Preeminent<sup>®</sup> attorney by LexisNexis | Martindale Hubbell, 1995-2019

Past Member of Board of Directors of Rebuilding Together Montgomery County, Inc.

Senior Editor, American University Law Review

Appointed to Presidential Clemency Board by President Gerald Ford

Law Clerk to Ralph G. Shure, Chief Judge of Maryland's Sixth Judicial Circuit

Past President and Member of Board of Directors of Make-A-Wish Foundation<sup>®</sup> of the Mid-Atlantic, Inc.

Past Member of Board of Directors and Officer of Rockville, Maryland Chamber of Commerce

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