



**Braun Cathie Kruzel**  
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## **Estate Planning Attorney Firm Receives Multiple Recognitions**

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Braun Cathie Kruzel PC, a law firm in Scottsdale AZ offering estate planning attorney services, has won several awards. Bradley S. Braun has been chosen by his peers to be included in The Best Lawyers in America© 2024 for the 11th consecutive year. Kelley L. Cathie, a partner and managing director at the firm, has been named one of the Top Lawyers in Wills, Estates, and Trusts by Phoenix Magazine for 2023. Gregory M. Kruzel, a managing director at the firm, has again received an AV Preeminent rating from Martindale-Hubbell.

More information about Kelley L. Cathie's award from Phoenix Magazine 2023 can be learned from <https://bckazlaw.com/kelley-l-cathie-named-top-lawyer-by-phoenix-magazine/>. The Top Lawyer designation by Phoenix Magazine is based on a vote by lawyers across the Phoenix area as a way to give recognition to the most distinguished lawyers in the Valley. This has been Kelley's second consecutive year receiving the Top Lawyer in Wills, Estates, and Trusts designation.

Bradley S. Braun is one of the firm's managing directors and has been named in The Best Lawyers in America© every year since 2013. This recognition is the result of a peer-review survey in which tens of

thousands of leading attorneys confidentially assess their professional peers. Best Lawyers uses a conscientious, sophisticated, rational, and transparent survey process to come up with substantive and meaningful assessments of the quality of legal services. The Best Lawyers recognition is entirely based on peer review, with the process specifically designed to get, as accurately as possible, the consensus opinion of leading attorneys regarding the professional abilities of their colleagues within the same legal practice area and geographical area.

Meanwhile, the AV Preeminent rating received by Gregory M. Kruzel is the highest standard given by Martindale-Hubbell. It is given to lawyers who are ranked at the highest level of professional excellence for their legal expertise, ethical standards, and communication skills by their peers. The AV rating indicates that the lawyer has achieved the highest level of professional excellence and is recognized for having achieved the highest levels of integrity and skill.

The firm has been also recognized in the 2024 edition of Best Law Firms for the 20th consecutive year. More about this can be learned from <https://bckazlaw.com/bck-recognized-again-in-2024-edition-of-best-law-firms/>.

Firms included in the 2024 Best Law Firms list are recognized for their persistently impressive ratings from clients and peers and for professional excellence. Best Lawyers is the oldest and most distinguished peer-review research firm to give recognition to those who excel in the legal profession. Best Lawyers lists extensive recognitions by performing exhaustive peer-review surveys where tens of thousands of leading attorneys confidentially assess the work of their fellow legal professionals within their specialty and local market. Lawyers are not allowed or required to pay a fee to be listed. Braun Cathie Kruzel PC has received recognition in the Scottsdale area for Trusts and Estates Law.

Founded in 1999, Braun Cathie Kruzel PC is focused on providing estate planning, probate and trust administration, real estate services, business organization and succession planning, and charitable gift planning.

Bradley S. Braun is a shareholder and managing director in the firm. He founded the firm with Gregory M. Kruzel in 1999. He has been providing top quality services to clients since 1986. His areas of practice are business organization and succession planning, charitable gift planning, probate and trust administration, and estate planning. He always strives to understand his clients and their current and future goals and concerns.

Gregory M. Kruzel is a shareholder and managing director and was co-founder of the firm in 1999. He has been practicing law in Arizona since 1987. His areas of practice include business organization and succession planning, probate and trust administration, estate planning, charitable gift planning.

Kelley L. Cathie joined the firm in 2011 and is also a shareholder and managing director. Kelley focuses on

estate and probate administration, estate and business planning, and corporate and real estate transactions. Her corporate and real estate experience serve to complement her estate planning practice. Her areas of practice are charitable gift planning, business organization and succession planning, real estate, estate planning, and probate and trust administration.

Those who are interested in learning more about the legal services provided by Braun Cathie Kruzel PC can check out their website at <https://bckazlaw.com> or contact them on the phone or through email.

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*Braun Cathie Kruzel PC (BCK) was formed in 1999 to exclusively focus on Estate Planning and Trust Administration, settlement of estates, and related business and tax planning. Several members of our team have been in practice for decades.*

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