

# LAW WEEK COLORADO

**The Colorado 200: 2018**  
**Firm growth has slowed while large firms converge**  
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Law Week Colorado's annual Colorado 200 lists the largest firms in Colorado according to headcount. We collect information on Colorado's law firms through a self-reported survey, and when we don't have that survey information available, we count attorneys ourselves.

In addition to the simple headcount, we also collect data on the number of attorneys firmwide for any law firms operating outside Colorado, the number of partners, associates and counsel, and the number of female and minority partners. Our final survey gives us a look at the demographics of Colorado's legal community. That full list of data goes back to 2012, which means we're now able to look longitudinally at growth in Colorado's legal community at an attorney level and a firm level.

Our list for 2018 illustrates the fact that despite having a listing of the largest 200 firms, most of Colorado's legal market is made up of small firms. Only the top 17 even break 50 attorneys, and the vast majority of the list comprises firms of 20 or fewer attorneys. The chart below demonstrates just how sharp the drop-off is from the largest firms.

Rank	Firm Name	2018 Lawyers Firmwide	2018 Lawyers Colorado
1	Holland and Hart	446	215
2	Sherman & Howard	183	154
3	Brownstein Hyatt Farber Schreck	237	142
3	Davis Graham & Stubbs	142	142
5	Wheeler Trigg O'Donnell	108	103
6	Hogan Lovells	3,014	92
7	Polsinelli	853	91

8	Kutak Rock	551	88
9	Bryan Cave Leighton Paisner	1,575	87
10	Hall & Evans	95	86
11	Faegre Baker Daniels	744	75
<b>12</b>	<b>Lewis Roca Rothgerber Christie</b>	<b>238</b>	<b>69</b>
13	Greenberg Traurig	2,120	66
14	Perkins Coie	1,110	60
15	Messner Reeves	100	57
15	Moye White	57	57
17	Spencer Fane	258	50
18	Franklin D. Azar & Associates	49	49
19	Burg Simpson Hersh Eldredge Jardine	63	47
20	Fairfield and Woods	46	46
21	Gibson Dunn & Crutcher	1,291	45
22	Husch Blackwell	690	44
22	Sheridan Ross	44	44
24	Ballard Spahr	656	43
25	Berg Hill Greenleaf & Ruscitti	41	41
26	Dorsey & Whitney	585	40
26	Lewis Brisbois Bisgaard & Smith	1,308	40
28	Ireland Stapleton Pryor & Pascoe	39	39
28	Otten Johnson Robinson Neff + Ragonetti	39	39
30	Cooley	1,024	38
31	Fox Rothschild	931	37
31	Snell & Wilmer	424	37
33	BakerHostetler	922	35
33	Bartlit Beck Herman Palenchar & Scott	84	35
33	Kilpatrick Townsend & Stockton	650	35
36	Beatty & Wozniak	40	34
36	Robinson Waters & O'Dorisio	34	34
38	Foster Graham Milstein & Calisher	33	33
38	Gordon & Rees	817	33
40	Ritsema & Lyon	33	32
41	Burns Figa & Will	31	31
41	Senter Goldfarb & Rice	31	31
43	Caplan and Earnest	30	30
43	Jones & Keller	30	30
43	Welborn Sullivan Meck & Tooley	37	30

46	Squire Patton Boggs	1,500	28
47	Hutchinson Black and Cook	27	27
47	Lewis Bess Williams & Weese	27	27
49	Ruegsegger Simons Smith & Stern	26	26
50	Bachus & Schanker	25	25
50	Garfield & Hecht	25	25
50	Riggs Abney Neal Turpen Orbison & Lewis	81	25
50	Robinson & Henry	25	25
50	Senn Visciano Canges	25	25
50	White and Steele	25	25
56	Arnold & Porter	1,030	24
57	Armstrong Teasdale	242	23
57	Hoskin Farina & Kampf	23	23
59	Coan Payton & Payne	22	22
59	Little Mendelson	1,514	22
59	Lyons Gaddis Kahn Hall Jeffers Dworak & Grant	22	22
59	Stinson Leonard Street	475	22
63	Dentons	4,244	21
63	WilmerHale	864	21
65	Lathrop Gage	233	20
65	Montgomery Little & Soran	20	20
65	Nixon Shefrin Hensen Ogburn	20	20
65	Ogletree Deakins Nash Smoak & Stewart	893	20
65	Pollart Miller	20	20
65	The Harris Law Firm	20	20
65	The Sawaya Law Firm	20	20
72	Dietze and Davis	19	19
72	Frascona Joiner Goodman & Greenstein	19	19
72	Koenig Oelsner Taylor Schoenfeld & Gaddis	19	19
72	Merchant & Gould	102	19
76	Dill Dill Carr Stonbraker & Hutchings	18	18
76	Griffiths Law (formerly Gutterman Griffiths)	18	18
78	Kaplan Kirsch & Rockwell	28	17
78	Sweetbaum Sands Anderson	17	17
78	Taylor   Anderson	31	17

81	Adsero IP (formerly Swanson and Bratschun)	16	16
81	Dufford Waldeck Milburn & Krohn	16	16
81	Jackson Lewis	893	16
81	Shapiro Bieging Barber Otteson	20	16
81	Vicente Sederberg	39	16
81	White Bear Ankele Tanaka & Waldron	16	16
87	Allen & Vellone	15	15
87	Altitude Community Law (formerly HindmanSanchez)	15	4
87	Balcomb & Green	15	15
87	Butler Snow	349	15
87	Campbell Killin Brittan & Ray	15	15
87	Childs McCune	15	15
87	Ciancio Ciancio Brown	15	15
87	Fredericks Peebles & Morgan	38	15
87	Haddon Morgan and Foreman	15	15
87	Holland & Knight	1,335	15
87	Ryley Carlock & Applewhite	43	15
87	Sparks Wilson Borges Brandt & Johnson	15	15
87	Treece Alfrey Musat	15	15
100	Fisher Phillips	392	14
100	Haynes & Boone	574	14
100	Keating Wagner Polidori Free	14	14
100	McElroy Deutsch Mulvaney & Carpenter	280	14
100	Nathan Dumm & Mayer	14	14
100	Stevens Littman Biddison Tharp & Weinberg	14	14
100	Wells Anderson & Race	14	14
107	Cordell & Cordell	304	13
107	Markus Williams Young & Zimmerman	15	13
107	Otis Bedigfield & Peters	13	13
107	Springer & Steinberg	13	13
111	Collins Cockrel & Cole	12	12
111	Gasper Law Group	12	12
111	Glade Voogt Lord Smith	12	12
111	Karp Neu Hanlon	12	12
115	Hoban Law Group	40	11

115	Cochran Freund & Young	11	11
115	Cozen O'Connor	736	11
115	Dinsmore & Shohl	656	11
115	Hall Estill	136	11
115	Katz Look & Onorato	11	11
115	Marsh Fischmann & Breyfogle	11	11
115	McGeady Becher	11	11
115	Miller & Steiert	11	11
115	Montgomery Amatzio Dusbabek Chase	11	11
115	Ogborn Mihm	12	11
115	Ridley McGreevy & Winocur	11	11
127	Coombe Curry Rich Jarvis	10	10
127	Davis & Ceriani	10	10
127	Denver Trial Lawyers	10	10
127	Fowler Schimberg Flanagan McLetchie	10	10
127	Hamilton Faatz	10	10
127	Harris Karstaedt Jamison & Powers	10	10
127	Lohf Shaiman Jacobs Hyman & Feiger	10	10
127	Minor & Brown	10	10
127	Morrison & Foerster	941	10
127	S&D Law	10	10
127	Wegner Scarborough Younge & Hockensmith	10	10
138	Hernandez & Associates	9	9
138	Anderson & Jahde	9	9
138	Baldwin Morgan & Rider	9	9
138	Fischer Brown Bartlett and Gunn	9	9
138	Gradisar Trechter Ripperger & Roth	9	9
138	Jachimiak Peterson	9	9
138	Jackson Kelly	160	9
138	Killmer Lane & Newman	9	9
138	Litvak Litvak Mehrstens and Carlton	9	9
138	McConnell Fleischner Houghtaling	9	9
138	Mulliken Weiner Berg & Jolivet	9	9
138	Murr Siler & Accomazo	9	9
138	Oates Knezevich Gardenswartz Kelly & Morrow	9	9
138	Packard and Dierking	9	9

138	Poulson Odell & Peterson	9	9
138	Rathod Mohamedbhai	9	9
154	Dworkin Chambers Williams York Benson & Evans	8	8
154	Godfrey Johnson	8	8
154	Greenspoon Marder	223	8
154	Hatch Ray Olsen Sandberg	8	8
154	Johnson & Repucci	17	8
154	Levin Sitcoff	9	8
154	McCollum Crowley Moschet Miller & Laak	26	8
154	Trout Raley Montaño & Freeman	8	8
154	Tucker Holmes	8	8
154	Vahrenwald McMahill Massey & Mitchell	8	8
154	Vranesh and Raisch	8	8
165	Alpern Myers Stuart	7	7
165	Black & Graham	7	7
165	Buchanan Stouffer	7	7
165	Chayet & Danzo	7	7
165	Evans Case	7	7
165	Folkstead Fazekas Barrick & Patoile	7	7
165	Jester Gibson & Moore	7	7
165	Joseph Immigration Law Firm	7	7
165	Kolko & Associates	7	7
165	Lass Moses Ramp & Cooper	7	7
165	Metier Law Firm	7	7
165	Reilly Pozner	7	7
165	Shook Hardy & Bacon	483	7
165	Silver & DeBoskey	7	7
165	The Husted Law Firm	7	7
180	Bayer & Carey	6	6
180	Hackstaff and Snow	6	6
180	McDermott Stuart & Ward	6	6
180	Range Law	6	6
180	Richards Carrington	7	6
180	Shoemaker Ghiselli + Schwartz	6	6
180	Waas Campbell Rivera Johnson & Velasquez	6	6
187	Beck Payne Frank & Piper	5	5
187	The Bendinelli Law Firm	5	5

187	Benson Kerrane Storz & Nelson	10	5
187	Broxterman Alicks McFarlane	5	5
187	Dickinson Prud'Homme Holway Hoffman	5	5
187	Elkind Alterman & Harston	5	5
187	Fennemore Craig	142	5
187	Gorrell Giles Gollata	5	5
187	Hill & Robbins	5	5
187	King & Greisen	5	5
187	Levy Wheeler Waters	5	5
187	Martin Conklin	5	5
187	Norton Rose Fulbright	1,900	5
187	Sparkman + Foote	6	5
187	Timmins	5	5
187	White & Jankowski	5	5
187	Woods & Aitken	30	5
187	Zupkus & Angell	5	5