The Millennial Who Is Now Running an NJL 500 Firm

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James Goodstein, the fast-track NJL 500 star who joined Perennone & Coogh in 2018, has been named managing partner for the New Jersey law firm. He will take over the reins from Stephen Duff on April 1, making him one of the youngest managing partners in the legal industry.

At the start of his time at the firm, Goodstein, 38, who has been named one of the nine most intriguing young attorneys in the country by The New York Times, was already a rising star in the legal community. He joined Perennone as a junior associate in 2007 and quickly rose through the ranks, becoming the youngest partner in the firm’s history just five years later.

Goodstein’s rise to the top is a testament to his hard work and dedication. He credits his success to his focus on clients and his ability to think outside the box.

“With his unique perspective and innovative approach, James is poised to lead Perennone & Coogh into the next chapter of its distinguished history,” said current managing partner Stephen Duff.

Goodstein has been recognized for his leadership and commitment to social justice issues, particularly in the area of immigration. He has been involved in numerous pro-bono cases and has been a vocal advocate for the rights of immigrants.

“James is a shining example of what can be achieved when individuals come together to work towards a common goal,” said Duff.

Goodstein’s leadership style is characterized by his ability to listen and collaborate with others. He believes in empowering his team and encouraging them to think creatively.

“James is a natural leader and is always looking for ways to improve the firm’s processes and procedures,” said a colleague. “His focus on client service and his ability to build strong relationships are second to none.”

Goodstein’s appointment as managing partner is a significant milestone for Perennone & Coogh. The firm has a long history of excellence and innovation, and Goodstein is poised to continue leading the firm into the future.

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