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Lisa is the senior partner at Reeves McEwing LLP, a full service maritime and transportation law firm. She graduated magna cum laude from the Washington College of Law, American University in 1985, and joined Krusen Evans & Byrne immediately thereafter. In 1995, the firm merged with Fox Rothschild where she served as chair of the firm's maritime department. From 2001-2011, she managed a growing maritime and commercial litigation practice within the firm of Donna Adelsberger & Associates, P.C. Throughout her career, Lisa has represented vessel owners, charterers, P&I insurers, logistics providers, and terminal operators in connection with investigation and litigation, including commercial disputes, marine and motor carrier casualties, intermodal issues, pollution response, dock damage, cargo/freight claims, arrests, regulatory issues and transportation litigation in the state and federal courts.



Lisa was selected as one of the Best Maritime Lawyers in Philadelphia* for the past ten years. Reeves McEwing has been listed as the best tier one maritime firm in the Delaware Valley since 2012*. She was honored as Woman of the Year by the Women's International Trade Association in 2005.

She is a member of the Women's International Shipping and Trading Association, Maritime Law Association of the United States, Transportation Intermediaries Association, and Transportation Lawyers Association.

She has served in many leadership roles, including Past President of both the Ports of Philadelphia Maritime Society and the Women's International Trade Association, and a former director and committee chair of the Maritime Law Association. She is currently on the board of the Maritime Exchange for the Delaware River, and is the Vice President of the local chapter of the Women's International Shipping and Trading Association. Lisa regularly contributes to industry legal columns and speaks on a variety of transportation topics.

Lisa and her husband, Ray Bender, live in the Queen Village section of Philadelphia with their dogs, Penny and Baxter. Lisa enjoys yoga, kayaking and volunteering with the elderly through her church and neighborhood associations.

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