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Matthew R. Connolly is an associate in Shipman & Goodwin's Boston office and a member of the firm's Trusts, Estates, and Fiduciary Management practice group. He assists individuals and families in creating clear, practical, and durable estate plans, with a focus on drafting foundational documents such as wills, revocable trusts, and incapacity instruments. In addition to advising clients on core estate planning documents, Matt also has experience drafting irrevocable trusts to facilitate strategic transfer tax planning.

Matt also handles the administration of estates and trusts. Matt's approach emphasizes careful planning, organized administration, and responsive client service. He brings a practical, detail-oriented perspective to fiduciary administration and client communication, thereby striving to make the process as smooth as possible for his clients.

Matt is a dual citizen of the United States and Ireland.

**Admitted only in New York*

Distinctions

Professional Affiliations

- Boston Estate Planning Council - Member

Community Involvement

- Screen Actors Guild - American Federation of Television and Radio Artists Union (SAG-AFTRA) – Member
- Pro Bono representation of non-profits to amend by-laws and articles of organization

Credentials

Education

- Boston University School of Law, LL.M
- University of Galway School of Law (NUIG), LL.B., First Class Honours
- New York University, B.F.A., Tisch School of the Arts

Bar Admissions

- New York, 2026