

## Bird Marella Partners Named Among Top Entertainment Lawyers by Variety and The Hollywood Reporter

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Bird Marella partners [John Berlinski](#), [Julia Cherlow](#), [Kimberly Meyer](#), and [Ekwan Rhow](#) have been selected to *Variety*'s 2025 Legal Impact Report. The highly regarded list honors entertainment's top litigators and dealmakers representing the most prominent and influential figures in film, television, music, and sports.

*Variety* profiles the firm's public representations which include representing Scarlett Johansson in her high-profile dispute against OpenAI and its CEO Sam Altman, in which OpenAI was accused of misappropriating Ms. Johansson's voice. The team also represents Brad Pitt in multi-jurisdictional lawsuits against Angelina Jolie and others concerning the parties' interests in Château Miraval, the renowned French winery.

Additionally, Mr. Berlinski and Ms. Cherlow are named in *The Hollywood Reporter*'s Top 100 Power Lawyers list, marking Mr. Berlinski's fifth year of recognition and Ms. Cherlow's debut listing.

The *Variety* profile can be read [here](#) and *The Hollywood Reporter* feature [here](#).