



## Jonathan D. Niemeyer

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Jonathan D. Niemeyer is senior vice president, chief administrative officer and general counsel of Western & Southern Financial Group (Western & Southern), based in Cincinnati. Niemeyer joined Western & Southern in 2001, became vice president and associate general counsel in 2004, was promoted to senior vice president and general counsel in 2010, and was promoted to senior vice president, chief administrative officer and general counsel in 2016. Niemeyer leads Western & Southern's Law Department, including Compliance and Government Relations, and the Finance, Actuarial, Controller, Risk Management, Tax and Treasury functions. He reports to John F. Barrett, Western & Southern's chairman, president and chief executive officer.

Niemeyer was previously with Squire, Sanders & Dempsey LLP, and Graydon Head & Ritchey LLP, in Cincinnati, where he concentrated on corporate law, mergers and acquisitions, private equity and securities. He began his legal career at LG&E Energy Corp. in Louisville, Kentucky, in 1993.

Niemeyer earned a Bachelor of Arts in political science, with distinction, from the University of Kentucky, and graduated from the University of Kentucky College of Law, Order of the Coif, with distinction. He served on the editorial board of the Kentucky Law Journal, and is a member of the Cincinnati and Kentucky Bar Associations and the American Council of Life Insurers. He most recently served on the board of the Association of Life Insurance Counsel (ALIC), where he continues as a member. Niemeyer is licensed to practice law in Kentucky and Ohio.

He was named president-elect of ALIC in May 2018 and has previously served on its board. Niemeyer is a member of the Cincinnati Art Museum board and the board of directors of Bethesda, Inc., a major funder of health care transformation and co-sponsor of TriHealth, the leading integrated health delivery system in Southwest Ohio. He is also on the advisory board of the Salvation Army of Greater Cincinnati and is a member of the United Way's Tocqueville Society. He and his family attend and are involved at Crossroads Church in Oakley, Ohio, and he previously served on various boards and committees at Montgomery Community Church, Doug Pelfrey's Kicks for Kids and David Pollack's Empower Foundation in Cincinnati.