

Boies Schiller & Flexner LLP – Hunter Biden

Riley’s time at Boies Schiller & Flexner LLP overlapped with Hunter Biden; who while employed at the firm facilitated a foreign lobbying relationship with Burisma Holdings in which the firm would not register under FARA – instead employing a strategy of “legal and political services...‘right up to the line’ at which the firm would have to disclose” their work to officials:

- Riley worked at Boies Schiller & Flexner LLP from 2007-2009 and 2010-2011 as an Associate, from 2014-2016 as Counsel, and from 2016-2021 as a Partner.

BSF	Boies, Schiller & Flexner LLP 6 years 3 months
•	Partner Dec 2016 - Jan 2021 · 4 years 2 months Washington, D.C.
•	Counsel Nov 2014 - Dec 2016 · 2 years 2 months Washington, D.C.

(Joshua Riley, [LinkedIn](#), Accessed 8/26/22)

BSF	Associate Boies, Schiller & Flexner LLP Aug 2010 - Sep 2011 · 1 year 2 months Miami, FL
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(Joshua Riley, [LinkedIn](#), Accessed 8/26/22)

BSF	Associate Boies, Schiller & Flexner LLP Sep 2007 - Sep 2009 · 2 years 1 month South Florida
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- Hunter Biden worked as an Attorney at Boies Schiller & Flexner LLP from 2009-2014.

Period	Employer	Title	Additional Info
2014-2019	Burisma Holdings Revolving Door Personnel: (1)	Board member	Client lobbying profile
2013-2019	BHR Partners Revolving Door Personnel: (1)	Founder/Board Member	
2009-2014	Boies Schiller Flexner LLP Revolving Door Personnel: (1)	Attorney	Client lobbying profile
2009-2012	Eudora Global Revolving Door Personnel: (1)	Founder	Major Donor profile
2009-	Rosemont Seneca Partners Revolving Door Personnel: (1)	Co-founder	

(“Employment History: Biden, Robert, Hunter,” [Open Secrets](#), Accessed 8/27/22)

- As of April 2014, Hunter Biden was employed by Boies Schiller & Flexner LLP and suggested using the firm to facilitate foreign lobbying of US officials on behalf of Burisma Holdings. “In the same April 2014 email, Hunter Biden indicated that Burisma’s officials ‘need to know in no uncertain terms that we will not and cannot intervene directly with domestic policymakers, and that we need to abide by FARA and any other U.S. laws in the strictest sense across the board.’ He suggested enlisting the law firm where he worked at the time, Boies Schiller Flexner, to help Burisma through ‘direct discussions at

state, energy and NSC,' referring to two cabinet departments and the National Security Council at the White House. The firm 'can devise a media plan and arrange for legal protections and mitigate U.S. domestic negative press regarding the current leadership if need be,' Mr. Biden wrote in the email.” (Katie Benner, Kenneth P. Vogel and Michael S. Schmidt, “Hunter Biden Paid Tax Bill, but Broad Federal Investigation Continues,” [New York Times](#), 3/16/22

- **Hunter Biden worked as Counsel at the law firm Boies Schiller & Flexner, who’s lobbying strategy for Burisma included providing “legal and political services for Burisma ‘right up to the line’ at which the law firm would have to disclose the work under federal lobbying laws.”** “The prominent law firm for which Hunter Biden served as counsel took steps to avoid disclosing to Congress its work with Ukrainian energy giant Burisma Holdings, emails from Biden's laptop show. Heather King, a partner at Boies Schiller Flexner, detailed the lobbying strategy in emails to Biden, his business partners, and an executive for Burisma Holdings in 2014. King wrote that she planned to provide legal and political services for Burisma "right up to the line" at which the law firm would have to disclose the work under federal lobbying laws. King also wrote of plans to meet with State Department officials in order to advocate for Burisma, which was seeking to expand its operations in the West as its owner was the subject of an international bribery investigation.” (Chuck Ross, “Hunter Biden-Linked Law Firm Dodged Lobbying Disclosures for Burisma Work,” [Washington Free Beacon](#), 6/29/21)
- **Neither Hunter Biden nor the law firm of Boies Schiller & Flexner registered under FARA on behalf of Burisma.** “Mr. Biden, Mr. Archer, Boies Schiller Flexner and Blue Star Strategies did not register under FARA on behalf of Burisma.” (Katie Benner, Kenneth P. Vogel and Michael S. Schmidt, “Hunter Biden Paid Tax Bill, but Broad Federal Investigation Continues,” [New York Times](#), 3/16/22

Subsequently after Hunter Biden left Boies Schiller & Flexner LLP, he joined the board of “scandal-plagued Ukrainian natural gas company” Burisma Holdings, getting “paid up to \$50,000 per month” with “no apparent qualifications for the job except that his father was the vice president” of the United States, and in charge of America’s Ukraine policy:

- Hunter Biden worked as an Attorney at Boies Schiller & Flexner LLP from 2009-2014 and worked as a Board Member for Burisma Holdings from 2014-2019.

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2014-2019	Burisma Holdings <small>Revolving Door Personnel: ⓘ</small>	Board member	<small>📄</small> Client lobbying profile
2013-2019	BHR Partners <small>Revolving Door Personnel: ⓘ</small>	Founder/Board Member	
2009-2014	Boies Schiller Flexner LLP <small>Revolving Door Personnel: ⓘ</small>	Attorney	<small>📄</small> Client lobbying profile
2009-2012	Eudora Global <small>Revolving Door Personnel: ⓘ</small>	Founder	<small>📄</small> Major Donor profile
2009-	Rosemont Seneca Partners <small>Revolving Door Personnel: ⓘ</small>	Co-founder	

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- In 2014, Hunter Biden joined the board of “scandal-plagued Ukrainian natural gas company” Burisma, getting “paid up to \$50,000 per month” with “no apparent

qualifications for the job except that his father was the vice president” and in charge of Ukraine policy.” “Back in 2014 after a change of regime in Ukraine, Hunter Biden joined the board of a scandal-plagued Ukrainian natural gas company named Burisma. Hunter had no apparent qualifications for the job except that his father was the vice president and involved in the Obama administration’s Ukraine policy. He got paid up to \$50,000 per month for the job and the situation constituted the kind of conflict of interest that was normally considered inappropriate in Washington until the Trump era.” (Matthew Yglesias, “Hunter Biden, the black sheep who got Trump impeached, explained,” [Vox](#), 8/20/20)

Riley has taken over \$140,000 from employees of the law firm Boies Schiller & Flexner LLP while running as a candidate for Congress during the 2021-2022 election cycle:

- As of September 19, 2022, Josh Riley has taken \$141,204 from employees of the law firm Boies Schiller & Flexner LLP while running as a candidate for Congress during the 2021-2022 election cycle.

Editor’s Note: *See Subsequent Table for detailed summary of donations to Riley’s campaign.*

Josh Riley Campaign Donations from Employees of "Boies Schiller Flexner LLP"

<u>Contribution</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Amount</u>
James Denvir	8/2/22	\$500
Phillip Korologos	8/2/22	\$1,000
Carl Goldfarb	7/31/22	\$250
Christopher Belelieu	7/19/22	\$500
Stephen Zack	7/5/22	\$500
Scott Wilson	6/30/22	\$250
Kathleen Hartnett	6/30/22	\$2,900
Alex Holtzman	6/30/22	\$250
Sigrid McCawley	6/30/22	\$500
Gregory Dubinski	6/30/22	\$500
Mark Mao	6/30/22	\$1,000
David Boies	6/29/22	\$2,900
Marilyn Kunstler	6/29/22	\$250
John Gerardi	6/28/22	\$300
Karen Dunn	6/28/22	\$2,900
Pascual Oliu	6/28/22	\$100
Nicholas Standish	6/28/22	\$250
Stuart Singer	6/27/22	\$2,900
Michael Gottlieb	6/27/22	\$2,900
Vanessa Tussey	6/26/22	\$250
Robert Dwyer	6/25/22	\$2,900
Tyler Ulrich	6/25/22	\$500
Sashi C Bach	6/24/22	\$50
Richard Feinstein	6/15/22	\$2,900
William Weaver	6/13/22	\$250
Samuel Kaplan	5/27/22	\$250
John Kucera	5/20/22	\$250
Robert Dwyer	5/19/22	\$2,900
Duane Loft	5/17/22	\$500
Jim Denvir	5/6/22	\$500
Amy Neuhardt	5/2/22	\$500
Christopher Belelieu	4/10/22	\$250
Julia Bredrup	4/5/22	\$250
Gregory Dubinsky	3/31/22	\$200
Carlos Sires	3/31/22	\$500
Benjamin Solomon-Schwartz	3/31/22	\$250

William Weaver	3/30/22	\$100
Alexander Boies	3/29/22	\$2,900
Mary Boies	3/29/22	\$2,900
Tyler Ulrich	3/29/22	\$500
Alexander Boies	3/29/22	\$2,900
David Barrett	3/29/22	\$500
Thomas Sosnowski	3/29/22	\$350
Joanna Wright	3/29/22	\$500
Eric Maurer	3/29/22	\$500
Carl Goldfarb	3/29/22	\$500
Michael Mitchell	3/29/22	\$500
Alexander Boies	3/29/22	\$2,900
Andrew Brenner	3/29/22	\$500
Samuel Kaplan	3/28/22	\$500
John Gerardi	3/27/22	\$500
Hsiao Mao	3/25/22	\$1,500
Hsiao Mao	3/25/22	\$1,400
Hsiao Mao	3/25/22	\$1,500
James Miller	3/24/22	\$500
Stephen Zack	3/23/22	\$500
Pascual Oliu	3/23/22	\$500
Richard Feinstein	3/22/22	\$900
Yotam Barkal	3/17/22	\$500
Peter Skinner	3/16/22	\$500
Scott Wilson	3/15/22	\$1,350
Sashi C Bach	3/15/22	\$500
Benjamin Solomon-Schwartz	3/9/22	\$500
Vanessa Tussey	3/3/22	\$500
Amy Neuhardt	3/1/22	\$500
Alex Holtzman	3/1/22	\$1,000
Robert Dwyer	3/1/22	\$2,900
James Lee	3/1/22	\$250
Hamish Hume	2/27/22	\$2,000
Jim Denvir	2/27/22	\$500
Jonathan Sherman	2/18/22	\$2,900
Jonathan Sherman	2/18/22	\$2,900
Jonathan Sherman	2/18/22	\$2,900
Michael Gottlieb	2/16/22	\$2,900
Michael Gottlieb	2/16/22	\$2,900

Scott Wilson	2/7/22	\$500
Richard Feinstein	2/7/22	\$1,000
Samuel Kaplan	1/31/22	\$100
David Barrett	12/31/21	\$250
Joanna Wright	12/3/21	\$1,000
Kathleen Hartnett	12/31/21	\$2,900
John Kucera	12/31/21	\$500
Scott Wilson	12/20/21	\$25
Stephen Zack	12/29/21	\$1,000
Joseph Kroetsch	12/22/21	\$500
Maxwell Pritt	12/21/21	\$250
Christopher Belelieu	12/20/21	\$1,000
Pascual Oliu	12/17/21	\$250
Gregory Dubinsky	12/16/21	\$500
Sabria McElroy	12/16/21	\$250
Ann O'Leary	12/16/21	\$2,900
Sashi Bach	12/16/21	\$250
Karen Dunn	12/16/21	\$2,900
Karen Dunn	12/16/21	\$2,900
William Isaacson	12/15/21	\$2,900
William Isaacson	12/15/21	\$2,900
Hsiao Mao	12/7/21	\$1,500
Carlos Sires	12/2/21	\$500
Scott Wilson	11/30/21	\$25
Benjamin Solomon-Schwartz	11/24/21	\$250
Abby Dennis	11/19/21	\$1,000
Sashi Bach	11/18/21	\$250
Amy Neuhardt	11/18/21	\$500
Scott Wilson	11/15/21	\$1,000
Chloe Houdre	11/12/21	\$500
Sigrid McCawley	11/11/21	\$1,000
Richard Feinstein	11/11/21	\$1,000
David Boies	11/11/21	\$2,900
Pascual Oliu	11/11/21	\$500
David Boies	11/11/21	\$2,900
Carl Goldfarb	11/11/21	\$500
Samuel Kaplan	11/10/21	\$1,000
Edward Takashima	11/4/21	\$2,900
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TOTAL:		\$141,204.45
("Receipts: Josh Riley for Congress: Employees of Boies Schiller," Federal Elections Commission , Accessed 9/19/22)		