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Mike is a litigator whose practice is focused on general civil litigation and particularly insurance defense. As a former Judicial Fellow for the North Carolina Administrative Office of the Courts, and as an intern providing legal support to Superior and Court of Appeal Judges, Mike has substantive background in detailed research for trial courts while bringing a unique perspective of the judicial process. He also has experience as a project attorney with a legal business solutions technology provider. His in-depth involvement in research, document review and analysis contribute to the firm's robust complex litigation practice.

Experience Highlights

Obtained a complete dismissal of all claims against a business owner in a malicious prosecution case.

Successfully represented clients in district court proceedings resulting in complete defense verdicts.

Areas of Focus

Construction
Insurance Litigation
Trucking & Transportation

Education

UNC at Chapel Hill School of Law – JD 2019,
NC International Law Journal, Notes & Comments Editor, Staff Member; Civil Legal Assistance Clinic, Certified Law Student; Craven Moot Court Competition, General Problem Writer
UNC at Wilmington – BA 2016, Leadership and Service-Learning Community

Professional Affiliations

North Carolina Bar Association
Wake County Bar Association
NC Association of Defense Attorneys
Defense Research Institute (DRI)
Claims & Litigation Management Alliance (CLM)

Community

UNC Innocence Project, volunteer, 2016-17

Honors & Awards

Best Lawyers in America - Listed "Ones to Watch" since 2023 in Personal Injury Defendants, Insurance Litigation and Construction Litigation
NC Super Lawyers - Rising Star 2024
Legal Elite Young Guns - 2023, 2024 editions of *Business North Carolina* magazine

