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Practice Areas

Wealth Planning, Trusts and Estates
Tax Law
Business and Corporate Law

Education

Southern Methodist University
LL.M., Taxation - (1986)

University of Arkansas School of Law
J.D. - (1985)

Southern Methodist University
M.B.A. - (1982)

Centenary College of Louisiana
B.S., Accounting - (1981)

Bar Admissions

Arkansas
Texas

Experience

- Counsel to corporations, partnerships, and limited liability companies concerning formation, reorganization and other tax planning matters.
- Counsel to corporations, partnerships and individuals concerning structuring real estate transactions to qualify for income tax deferral as like-kind exchanges.
- Counsel to individuals concerning preparation of complex estate plans.
- Served as an attorney-advisor for the Assistant Chief Counsel, Internal Revenue Service (National Office), Washington, D.C., from 1986 to 1990.

Professional Recognition

- *The Best Lawyers in America®*: Tax Law (2023-2026)
- *The Best Lawyers in America®*: Trust and Estates (2006-2026)
- *Best Lawyers®:* "Lawyer of the Year" for Tax Law (2025, 2026)
- *Best Lawyers®:* "Lawyer of the Year" for Trust and Estates (2012, 2015, 2018, 2024)

Involvement

- American Bar Association (Taxation Section)
- Arkansas Bar Association
- Former Board Member, Mercy Northwest Arkansas
- Former Board Member, Northwest Arkansas Community College Foundation
- Former Board Member, Boys and Girls Club of Benton County
- Former President, Northwest Arkansas Estate Planning Council (2007-2009)