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Charles's practice focuses on business and commercial litigation, employment litigation and intellectual property litigation.

REPRESENTATIVE EXPERIENCE

- Business litigation, including statutory claims, contractual disputes, tortious interference, libel, slander, negligent misrepresentation, fraud, disparagement, deceptive trade practices, unfair competition, breach of fiduciary and related duties, and usurpation of company opportunities
- Employment litigation encompassing claims of wrongful termination; employment discrimination, harassment and retaliation; infliction of emotional distress, invasion of privacy and defamation; and protection or enforcement of confidentiality, non-piracy, intellectual property, non-competition and similar restrictive provisions
- Intellectual property and franchise litigation, including trademark, copyright, trade secret, proprietary information rights, licensing and franchisor/franchisee disputes
- Construction litigation encompassing claims for delay, defective design and improper performance
- Claims involving damage to businesses arising from a wide variety of products, including manufacturing machinery, heavy equipment, aviation and medical products
- Use of and defense against injunctive and other extraordinary relief

PUBLICATIONS

- Next Wave of MBS Litigation Focuses on Issuers, Underwriters (November 8, 2010)
- "Days Slip By Under Variety of Statutes: An Employer Faced with a Disabled or Injured Employee Needs to Consider Myriad Overlapping Regulations and Laws" *National Law Journal* (April 23, 2001)

PROFESSIONAL RECOGNITION

- Profiled as one of "Texas' Top Rated Lawyers" by *ALM* in Business & Commercial Law (2012)

AFFILIATIONS

- State Bar of Texas
 - Section on Litigation
 - Section on Labor and Employment

PRACTICES

Commercial Litigation
Litigation
Mortgage-Backed
Securities

EDUCATION

JD, 1976, *with honors*,
The University of Texas
School of Law
BA, 1973, University of
Missouri

ADMISSIONS

Texas 1976
US Supreme Court
US Court of Appeals for
the Fifth Circuit
US Court of Appeals for
the Eleventh Circuit
US Court of Appeals for
the Fourth Circuit
US District Court for the
Northern District of
Texas
US District Court for the
Southern District of
Texas
US District Court for the
Eastern District of Texas
US District Court for the
Western District of
Texas

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- Section on Intellectual Property
- College of the State Bar of Texas
- Dallas Bar Association
- Texas Bar Foundation, Fellow

Certified - Civil Trial Law, National Board of Trial Advocacy and Texas Board of Legal Specialization

Briefing Attorney - Texas Court of Civil Appeals, Dallas (1976-1977)

Qualified Mediator