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Related Services

Business and Commercial

Insurance Litigation

Product Liability

National Coordinating Discovery

Education

The University of Alabama
School of Law, J.D., *magna cum laude*, 2015

The University of Alabama,
M.S., Civil Engineering, 2012

The University of Alabama,
B.S., Civil Engineering, 2011

Court Admissions

Alabama State Courts

Texas State Courts

United States District Court for
the Eastern District of Michigan

United States District Court for
the Southern District of Texas

United States District Court for
the Western District of Texas



Lane Morrison *Associate*

Lane Morrison focuses his practice on product liability litigation and commercial litigation, with an emphasis on critical trial motions and appeals. He has extensive experience representing automotive and heavy truck manufacturers in catastrophic personal injury cases, insurers and other national corporations in complex commercial disputes, and architects and engineers in professional liability claims. Lane prides himself on actively crafting creative legal strategies to obtain the best results for his client.

Representative Matters

- Obtained summary judgment on behalf of national environmental service provider in complex commercial contract dispute over wastewater processing practices.
- Secured summary judgment in favor of railroad service corporation against allegations of conversion relating to metal products.
- Facilitated favorable settlement for regional wireless service provider of multiple consumer actions involving identity theft allegations.
- Obtained judgment on the pleadings for a national life insurance carrier on various claims of breach of contract and unfair trade practices.
- Won affirmance of a summary judgment dismissal of product-liability claims based on arguments about inadequate experts.

Professional Memberships & Activities

Alabama State Bar, *Member*

State Bar of Texas, *Member*

Houston Bar Association, *Member*

The Houston Lawyers Editorial Board, *Member* (2022-2024)

American Constitution Society, *Member*

Honors & Awards

Order of the Coif

American Society of Civil Engineers (ASCE), State Civil Engineering Student of the Year (2010)

University of Alabama, Most Outstanding Civil Engineering Senior (2011) and Sophomore (2008)

Presentations & Publications

- "Clear and Unmistakable": The Supreme Court of Texas Joins Other Courts in Honoring the Incorporation of AAA Rules" *The Houston Lawyer* (2023)
- "Normalizing Paternity Leave," *The Houston Lawyer* (2022)
- "Jason Newman: Shaped by Swine Showmanship," *The Houston Lawyer* (2022)
- "Note, Equalizing the 'Great Equalizer': The Alabama Accountability Act and the Quest to Find a Model for Education Improvement Through Choice," 66 Ala. L. Rev. 1169 (2015)
- "Translating Transportation Data between Dissimilar-Resolution Linear Referencing Systems," Transportation Research Board 92nd Annual Meeting Compendium of Papers (2013)

Community & Pro-Bono Involvement

Lane has represented multiple individual tenants in wrongful eviction proceedings. He previously served as a board member for Volunteer Lawyers Birmingham in Birmingham, Alabama, which is one of the State's largest providers of pro-bono legal services. He currently volunteers with the Houston Volunteer Lawyers and has assisted with the organization's legal helpline (LegalLine) and represented tenants in eviction relief trials.

Prior Experience

Before joining BSP, Lane was a commercial and product-liability litigator at firms in Birmingham, Alabama and Houston, Texas. There, Lane represented

Lane Morrison *Associate (cont.)*

He has also served as in-house claims coverage counsel at Kemper Insurance, where he helped oversee good-faith handling of personal home and auto insurance claims.

Lane received his J.D. from the University of Alabama School of Law, where he was an Articles Editor for the Alabama Law Review and a member of the Order of the Coif. He was also a member of the Labor & Employment Moot Court Team. He holds an undergraduate and master's degree in Civil Engineering from the University of Alabama.