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BIOGRAPHY

Kevin DeTurris is an experienced first-chair trial attorney with years of experience in managing litigation matters from initial pleading through trial and appeal. He regularly litigates complex business disputes involving breach of contract, labor agreements, fraud, conspiracy and a host of other business torts. His experience spans several industries, including real estate, construction, banking, trusts and estates, and technology.

Kevin has substantial experience in the area of real estate litigation, involving the use of property, construction disputes, mechanics liens, trespass and nuisance cases, and landlord-tenant matters. He has a particular focus on litigating property use and valuation cases. This experience includes representing condemnors and condemnees in eminent domain matters; municipalities and property owners in tax appeal matters; and banks in complex litigations related to their lending practices.

Kevin has successfully represented clients in all of the local federal and state trial courts, the Supreme Court of Virginia, the Maryland Court of Special Appeals, and the 4th Circuit Court of Appeals. Kevin also represents clients before local boards of zoning appeals, in arbitration and mediation.

REPRESENTATIVE CASES

I.G.S. vs. The Commerce Executive Park Association of Co-Owners, 2015 Va. Cir. LEXIS (Fairfax, VA, 2015)

Army Navy Country Club v. City of Fairfax, 2011 Va. Cir. LEXIS 187 (Fairfax, VA, 2011)

City of Fairfax v. The Lamb Center, 2011 Va. Cir. LEXIS 234 (Fairfax, VA, 2011)

Shehadeh v. Fountains of McLean, 78 Va. Cir. 357 (Fairfax, 2009)

Idearc Media Corp. v. Reliable 24 Hour Plumbing, 2007 US Dist. LEXIS 67361 (E.D.Va. 2007)

PROFESSIONAL HONORS & ACTIVITIES

Fairfax Bar Association

- Director, Board of Directors 2005-2007
- President of the Young Lawyers Section 2005-2006

PRACTICE AREAS

Civil Litigation

The Virginia Eminent Domain Group at
Blankingship & Keith

Hospital Liability Defense

BAR ADMISSIONS

Virginia State Bar (2003)

District of Columbia (2004)

Maryland State Bar (2009)

Eastern District of Virginia (2003)

Western District of Virginia (2003)

United States District Court for the District
of Columbia (2007)

United States District Court for the District
of Maryland (2009)

EDUCATION

American University, Washington College of
Law, cum laude, 2003

University of Rhode Island, 1995

- Director, Board of Directors of the Young Lawyers Section 2004-2006
- Member since 2003

Virginia Bar Association

- Director, Young Lawyers Division 2007-2008
- Member since 2006

Super Lawyers Rising Star

- 2013
- 2014