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Wendy Cousler's practice focuses primarily on Civil Litigation and Transactions.

Prior to joining Blankingship & Keith, Wendy served as law clerk for the Honorable Daniel E. Ortiz on the Court of Appeals of Virginia and in Fairfax County Circuit Court. Wendy earned her law degree from George Mason University Antonin Scalia Law School where she was Production Editor for *The George Mason Law Review*. She earned her B.A., *with high honors*, from New Mexico State University.

Practice Areas

- Civil Litigation

Education

- George Mason University School of Law (J.D., *cum laude*, 2020)
- New Mexico State University (*with high honors*, 2014)

Bar Admissions

- Virginia State Bar, 2020
- U.S. District Court for the Eastern District of Virginia, 2023

Clerkships

- Hon. Daniel E. Ortiz, Court of Appeals of Virginia, 2021-2022
- Hon. Daniel E. Ortiz, Fairfax County Circuit Court, 2020-2021

Professional Honors & Activities

Professional Honors

- *Best Lawyers: Ones to Watch®*, Commercial Litigation; Corporate Law (2026)
- *Super Lawyers*, Rising Star, Business Litigation (2026)

Representative Cases

Civil Litigation

- Obtained Victory for Homeowners in Overturning Unlawful Arlington County Zoning Amendment

Business and Corporate Law

- \$1.343M Verdict + Sanction – Fraudulent Transfers (Dissolution)

News & Insights

- Blankingship & Keith Attorneys Recognized in 2026 Virginia Super Lawyers and Rising Stars
- Thirty Blankingship & Keith Attorneys Recognized in the 2026 Editions of Best Lawyers in America® and Best Lawyers: Ones to Watch®
- Blankingship & Keith Corporate Law Principal Bob Scully and Associate Wendy Cousler Wins \$1.343M Jury Verdict for Client