

Jeremy A. Walter

Associate

Jeremy Walter is a business litigator with experience helping clients resolve disputes covering a broad range of issues, including breach of contract, fiduciary duties, business divorce, construction defects, real property issues, trade secret theft, non-compete and confidentiality agreements, securities fraud, property damage claims and personal injury defense. He has achieved positive outcomes in complex cases before courts and arbitrators throughout Texas and in several states across the U.S.

Jeremy's litigation background spans a number of industry sectors, from energy, transportation, distribution and manufacturing to construction, commercial real estate, pharmaceuticals and many others. He also has experience collaborating with foreign counsel to resolve complex litigation that crosses borders, including cases in Germany, Venezuela, Italy and other jurisdictions abroad.

Jeremy is also a dedicated pro bono advocate for Houston-area clients in a variety of legal matters.

Representative Experience

- Defended leading midstream services provider and its employee against negligence claims following on-the-job motor vehicle accident
- Defended international EPC company and its officers and directors in securities fraud class action and related state court opt-out litigation
- Represented owner of large food processing facility in arbitration and litigation related to several major construction defects
- Defended international E&P company and its officers and directors in securities fraud class action and related



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Practices
Commercial Litigation

Education
J.D., *magna cum laude*, Baylor
University School of Law (2015)
B.S., *summa cum laude*, Emporia
State University (2010)

Judicial Clerkships
Judge Ruben Reyes, 72nd District
Court, Lubbock, TX (May 2013 -
August 2013)

Bar Admissions
Texas (2015)

Court Admissions
United States District Court,
Southern District of Texas

government investigations

- Defended major pharmaceutical company in contract dispute related to alleged patent infringement
- Defended condominium association and directors from contract and fiduciary duty claims brought by former unit owner
- Represented clients in breach of contract and tort cases, including breach of fiduciary duty cases and contracts for sale under the UCC
- Represented national sand distributor in securing contract performance from international oilfield services company
- Defended provider of dental services against contract and tort claims brought by former partners
- Represented record label in litigation and arbitration involving contract dispute with emerging recording artist
- Defended commercial motor vehicle carriers and drivers against tort-based and statutory claims arising from motor vehicle accidents
- Provided defense of personal injury claims, property damage claims, and first party insurance claims
- Represented the State of Texas as a special prosecutor in Justice of the Peace courts in Harris County, Texas
- Pro bono experience representing asylum applicants before the immigration court, Board of Immigration Appeals, Fifth Circuit

Honors

- Judge Thomas Gibbs Gee Award (2019, awarded for

outstanding pro bono service)

- Baker Botts Pro Bono Champion (2016 – 2019, completed more than 200 hours of pro bono service each year for clients in need from the Houston community)
- Baylor Law School High Marks, achieved the highest grade in the following courses: Criminal Law, Property I, Advanced Legal Research, Business Torts and Conflicts of Law
- *Baylor Law Review*, served on the Executive Board as Managing Senior Executive Editor and published an article in 2014 through an independent peer review process
- Baylor Law School Moot Court, Pace Law School National Environmental Law competition

Organizational Involvement

- Houston Bar Association
- Houston Young Lawyers Association