



Megan McKennon

Associate

Commercial Litigation

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Megan McKennon represents clients in a variety of industries in complex civil and commercial litigation and business disputes. As a litigator, Megan takes the time to get to know her clients and understand their needs and objectives to achieve their goals in an efficient and cost-effective manner.

Representative Experience

- Member of a trial team that obtained over \$520 million in settlement funds on behalf of a Global Fortune 500 Company over a three-year period in a confidential arbitration proceeding involving force majeure and material breach issues.
- Obtained complete dismissal of claims against a banking institution for lack of personal jurisdiction filed in the United States District Court for the Northern District of Texas, with such dismissal being affirmed on appeal.
- Obtained summary judgment for a venture capital firm on the firm's claims for breach of guaranty agreements. Summary judgment resulted in a final judgment of over \$1 million plus interest for the venture capital firm.
- Successfully defended an international chain of salons against breach of contract claims, resulting in complete dismissal of the lawsuit.
- Part of a trial team representing a software staffing company that successfully obtained a temporary restraining order against a former employee for theft of trade secrets.
- Successfully defended a telecommunications company against breach of contract claims in arbitration, resulting in a complete dismissal of all claims.*

*Experience prior to Katten

Practices

- Commercial Litigation
- Litigation
- Mergers and Acquisitions Litigation

Education

- JD, SMU Dedman School of Law, *cum laude*
- BS, The University of Texas at Austin, *with honors*

Bar Admissions

- Texas

Court Admissions

- US District Court, Northern District of Texas
- US District Court, Southern District of Texas
- US District Court, Eastern District of Texas
- US District Court, Western District of Texas
- US District Court, District of Colorado

Professional & Community Involvement

- Attorneys Serving the Community
- Dallas Bar Association
- Dallas Association of Young Lawyers, Pro Bono Partners Committee, Membership Committee, Former Leadership Class
- Dallas Women Lawyers Association
- DAYL Foundation
- Junior League of Dallas

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Recognitions

Recognized or listed in the following:

- *Best Lawyers in America*
 - Ones to Watch
 - Commercial Litigation, 2021–2026
 - Litigation - Construction, 2021–2026
- *Super Lawyers Rising Stars*
 - Texas, 2023-2025

News

- Katten Attorneys Named to Super Lawyers Texas List for 2025 (October 31, 2025)
- Katten's Rising Leaders Named to 2026 *Best Lawyers: Ones to Watch*® List (August 21, 2025)
- Katten Dallas Attorneys Recognized by Texas Super Lawyers 2024 (September 17, 2024)
- Katten Attorneys Recognized as *Best Lawyers*® and *Best Lawyers: Ones to Watch*® Award Recipients (August 15, 2024)
- Katten Attorneys Named to 2024 Super Lawyers Texas Rising Stars List (March 21, 2024)
- Katten Attorneys Distinguished by *Best Lawyers*® (August 17, 2023)
- Katten Attorneys Selected for 2023 Super Lawyers Texas Rising Stars List (March 27, 2023)
- Katten Attorneys Recognized by *Best Lawyers*® (August 18, 2022)
- Katten Attorneys Listed in *The Best Lawyers in America*® (August 19, 2021)