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Gary counsels and represents insurers in complex disputes arising under professional liability policies and general liability policies in a variety of contexts at the trial and appellate court levels.

Representative Matters

- Regularly counsels clients on a variety of professional liability coverage issues, including the application of policy provisions in the bankruptcy context.
- Extensive experience providing counseling and in litigating claims under first-party policies and general liability policies in the environmental, product liability, and other contexts.
- Serves as monitoring counsel in connection with numerous securities matters and novel professional liability exposures analyzing underlying matters and advising regarding liability and settlement.
- Obtained summary judgment in a pair of cases for a lawyers professional liability insurer concerning the application of "related claims" provisions to multiple underlying claims.
- Reviews and drafts policy forms and endorsements for an array of general liability and professional liability coverages.

Professional Experience

• Commercial general liability and commercial property underwriter for small business risks (1995-1996)



Practice Areas

Insurance Issues and Appeals Litigation Public Entities and Educational Institutions

Credentials

Education

J.D., *magna cum laude*, Washington and Lee University School of Law; Order of the Coif

A.B., magna cum laude, Harvard University

Clerkships

Law Clerk for the Honorable Ellsworth A. Van Graafeiland, U.S. Court of Appeals for the Second Circuit (2000-2001)

Bar and Court Memberships District of Columbia Bar

U.S. Court of Appeals for the Fourth Circuit

Recognitions

- Listed by Chambers USA in Insurance: Insurer (2024)
- Included in The Best Lawyers in America directory for Insurance Law (2023-2024)
- Recognized by Law360 as a "Rising Star" in Insurance (2012)
- Recognized by The Legal 500 US as a "Recommended Lawyer" in Insurance (2013, 2019-2024)