



Andrew Bean

Senior Counsel

About

Andrew applies the lessons he has learned from litigating some of the nation's most complex cases to craft creative and effective legal solutions for his clients' most pressing legal needs. Recognizing that problems must first be understood before they can be solved, Andrew works tirelessly to simplify even the most complex legal issues so that they are understandable and persuasive to judges and juries.

Andrew specializes in complex commercial litigation and appeals and has extensive briefing, oral argument, and deposition experience. Andrew practices in both state and federal court. Andrew has been recognized by Super Lawyers: Texas Rising Star (2024-2025), by Best Lawyers: Ones to Watch® in America for Commercial Litigation (2021-2025), by Lawdragon 500 X - The Next Generation (2025), and he was named to D Magazine's 2025 "Best Lawyers Under 40".

Andrew has experience on a wide range of legal matters of various sizes, representing both plaintiffs and defendants. For example, some of Andrew's litigation matters have included:

- Coordinated and led complex discovery workstreams while representing a midstream oil and gas company that ultimately resulted in a favorable jury verdict for over \$600 million in damages for trespass, defamation, and tortious interference with a contract claims.
- Defending a video game retailer against tens of millions of dollars in breach of contract claims brought by a national consulting firm.
- Representing a national heavy machinery rental company in various trade secrets cases in state courts across the country and in a federal multi-district litigation.
- Representing a financial technology company in a lawsuit against the Federal Trade Commission for alleged deceptive and unfair practices.
- Representing an international consulting firm in an arbitration defending against employment discrimination claims.
- Representing an oil and gas company against claims for overtime wages and other damages under the Fair Labor Standards Act.
- Representing a title insurance and property valuations company against a claim for \$80 million in attorney's fees.
- Representing an estate against a claim for \$20 million in attorney's fees after the case was remanded from the Texas Supreme Court.

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Education

Brigham Young University, J.D.,
summa cum laude

Brigham Young University, B.A.,
International Relations and
Business

Admissions

- Texas
- Utah
- U.S. Dist. Court for the Northern District of Texas
- U.S. Dist. Court for the Eastern District of Texas
- U.S. Dist. Court for the Southern District of Texas
- United States Court of Appeals for the Fifth Circuit
- United States Court of Appeals for the Seventh Circuit

Experience

- Gibson Dunn & Crutcher
- United States Court of Appeals for the Fifth Circuit, Law Clerk
- United States District Court for the District of Oregon, Law Clerk



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- Super Lawyers: Texas Rising Star" should be for 2024-2025
- Best Lawyers: Ones to Watch® in America for Commercial Litigation (2021-2025)

- Representing a beverage distribution company in claims against other beverage companies for breach of contract and tortious interference claims.

Andrew understands that when it comes to litigation, one-size doesn't fit all—Andrew partners with his clients to ensure that their specific legal objectives are met in the most efficient way possible.

Prior to joining Hilgers Graben, Andrew practiced for nearly seven years at Gibson Dunn & Crutcher. Andrew served as a law clerk first for the Honorable Michael W. Mosman, Chief Judge of the United States District Court for the District of Oregon and then for the Honorable Jennifer Walker Elrod of the United States Court of Appeals for the Fifth Circuit.

Andrew earned his Juris Doctor summa cum laude from the J. Reuben Clark Law School at Brigham Young University. While attending law school, he served as a Lead Articles Editor of the Brigham Young University Law Review and published multiple articles in the Law Review. Andrew also received several notable awards, including the J. Reuben Clark Award for exemplifying academic excellence, integrity, high ethical standards, and service, and the Hugh B. Brown Barrister's Award, which is presented to one third-year student in recognition of high standards of preparation and performance in the classroom. He was also elected to the Order of the Coif.

Andrew lives outside of Dallas with his wife, Laura, and their two twin daughters.