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Kristen McMullen focuses her practice on insurance defense, counseling clients on matters of coverage disputes, and general liability. With extensive experience representing insurance companies and their insureds in a variety of first-party and third-party matters including breach of contract, premises liability, auto negligence, property damage, and other contractual and general liability claims, she provides counsel and representation to clients on issues arising prior to the inception of litigation through trial.

Notable Work

Auto Negligence Trial: Second chaired an auto negligence trial in Broward County, Florida, concerning a right-of-way dispute. The jury returned a defense verdict, finding no liability by the defendant for the subject accident.

Published Work and Lectures

- Virgil Hawkins Florida Chapter National Bar Association, Presenter, "Daubert Considerations," March 2020
- *The Florida Bar News*, Author, "Practitioners Learn the Ins and Outs of Legal Malpractice," December 15, 2013
- *The Florida Bar News*, Author, "'Rookies' Get a Crash Course on Doing Business," May 1, 2012

Affiliations

- The Florida Bar, Annual Convention Committee Member, 2012-2015
- Virgil Hawkins Florida Chapter National Bar Association, Awards Chair, 2017-Present; Third Quarterly Meeting Coordinator, 2019-2020, 2021-2022
- F. Malcolm Cunningham Bar Sr. Bar Association, Holland Scholarship Committee, Co-Chair, 2021-2022
- Palm Beach County Bar Association, Member, 2018-Present

Areas of Experience

Litigation
Insurance Litigation

Education

J.D., Florida State University College of Law, 2010,
International Law Certificate
B.S., University of Florida, 2008

Admissions

Bars

Florida

Courts

U.S. District Court, Southern District of Florida
U.S. District Court, Northern District of Florida

- Tallahassee Barristers Association, President, 2013-2014
- Tallahassee Women Lawyers, Breakfast and Books Committee Chair, 2013-2014
- WMFE 90.7 Orlando, Community Advisory Board, Member, 2014-2016

Honors and Distinctions

- National Bar Association, Virgil Hawkins Florida Chapter, Special Recognition Award, 2019-2020
- Florida Association of Women Lawyers, Leaders in the Law, 2013-2014
- Tallahassee Barristers Association, President's Recognition Award, 2011-2012