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A well-rounded trial attorney, Kenway Wong is an emerging industry leader focusing his practice on products liability, commercial, real estate, and international disputes, with an emphasis on contract and business litigation. While maintaining a practice in Florida, Kenway represents clients with presences both nationally and abroad. Relied on by a roster of some of the biggest businesses in the manufacturing and distribution industries, Kenway is a key part of Akerman's leading Litigation Practice Group.

Kenway has developed a unique practice working with manufacturers and global packaging companies with product offerings ranging from flexible packaging to custom roll stock printing, to commercial inflatable products, electromagnetic shielding equipment, and beyond. In recent years, Kenway has served as trial counsel in a products liability jury trial spanning five weeks, defended a large manufacturer against claims relating to the CHIPS and Science Act, secured final summary judgment in a high-six-figure contractual dispute, and obtained a complete trial victory through final judgment in a contentious commercial real estate matter.

In all representation, Kenway proactively identifies client concerns and provides counseling that aligns with his clients' objectives and risk profile. Driven by obtaining positive outcomes for his clients, Kenway draws on his versatility and significant trial experience to effectively and efficiently resolve disputes, whether through high-paced litigation or strategic negotiation.

In addition to his practice, Kenway is an active member of the legal community, having served as a Pathfinder with the Leadership Council on Legal Diversity, the president of the Greater Orlando Asian American Bar Association, a board member of the Asian American Chamber of Commerce of Central Florida, a board member of the Downtown Orlando YMCA, chair of the Diversity & Inclusion Committee for the Orange County Bar Association, co-chair of the Community Service Committee for the OCBA, Young Lawyers Division, and pro bono immigration counsel.

Areas of Experience

Litigation
Real Estate Litigation
International Litigation and Arbitration
Product Liability and Mass Torts

Education

J.D., University of Florida Levin College of Law, 2016, cum laude, Florida Moot Court Team
B.A., University of Florida, 2013, cum laude

Admissions

Bars

Florida

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Record Number of Akerman Lawyers Named to *The Best Lawyers in America 2024 Guide*
August 22, 2023

Notable Work

Commercial/Real Estate Litigation: Represented a limited liability company in a contractual dispute through judgment and a complete trial victory.

Commercial Litigation: Represented an international company in defending allegations of breach of contract and tortious interference while prosecuting counterclaims for breach of contract and declaratory judgment.

Real Estate Litigation: Represented various clients in the successful prosecution and defense of partition, quiet title, eviction, ejectment, and unlawful detainer actions.

Condominium Litigation: Represented a developer in the first contested and reported judicial termination of a condominium in the State of Florida, which dispute involved novel issues of fact and law.

Construction Litigation: Represented a builder in litigation facing allegations of breach of contract, misrepresentation, and negligence.

Health Care Litigation: Represented a health care provider in defending a seven-figure lawsuit arising out of monies allegedly owed to the estate of a bankrupt health plan (HMO).

28 USC § 1782 Dispute: Represented a foreign client in prevailing upon and enforcing discovery requests under 28 USC § 1782 to obtain evidence for use in a foreign international proceeding.

Judgment Collection: Represented a financial institution in collecting upon and satisfying a seven-figure judgment.

Insurance Litigation: Secured a final summary judgment victory in a contentious high six-figure dispute. The judgment included a judicial declaration supporting the insurance company's interpretation of the subject policy, further reinforcing its stance for future cases.

Published Work and Lectures

- *Thomson Reuters Practical Law Practice*, Co-Author, "Release Agreement (FL)," August 2018
- *Thomson Reuters Practical Law Practice*, Co-Author, "Indemnification Clauses in Commercial Contracts (FL)," October 2017

Affiliations

- Greater Orlando Asian American Bar Association, President, 2021-2022
- Asian American Chamber of Commerce of Central Florida, Board Member
- Orange County Bar Association, Diversity & Inclusion Committee, Chair
- Orange County Bar Association, Young Lawyers Division, Community Service Committee, Co-Chair
- Orange County Bar Association Foundation, Board Member
- Downtown Orlando YMCA, Board Member; Community Outreach Committee, Co-Chair
- National Asian Pacific American Bar Association, Member

- National Association of Asian American Professionals, Orlando Chapter, Member
- Orange County Asian Committee, Member
- Asian American Pacific Islanders Coming Together (ACT), Member

Honors and Distinctions

- *Best Lawyers*, 2023-2025, Listed in Florida for Commercial Litigation, Litigation - Construction, and Litigation - Real Estate as “One to Watch”
- *Super Lawyers* Magazine, 2024, Listed in Florida as a “Rising Star” for Business Litigation
- *Florida Trend’s* Legal Elite 2022, Listed as an “Up & Comer” for Litigation