



## Stephen D. Caruso

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### OVERVIEW

Stephen Caruso is a shareholder at Bean, Kinney & Korman focusing his practice primarily in civil and commercial litigation in federal and state courts in Virginia and the District of Columbia. He has first and second chaired multiple trials, as well as formal mediations and arbitrations, and routinely handles motions in Court and depositions. Stephen has represented clients in an array of matters, including:

- Government contracting disputes
- Business torts and corporate governance litigation
- Small business disputes
- Commercial tenant and landlord disputes
- Construction litigation on behalf of both owners and contractors
- Certain real property matters concerning land disputes
- Other contract disputes

Prior to joining the firm, Stephen worked as a judicial intern for the Honorable Lawrence J. Block, and also for the Honorable Bruce White. He also worked as a law clerk at Bean, Kinney & Korman.

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### BAR & COURT ADMISSIONS

- Virginia, 2014
- District of Columbia, 2017
- U.S. Bankruptcy Court for the Eastern District of Virginia
- U.S. District Court for the Eastern District of Virginia
- U.S. District Court for the Western District of Virginia
- DC Federal Court

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### EDUCATION

- George Mason University School of Law, J.D., *cum laude*, 2014
- Managing Editor, *George Mason University Civil Rights Law Journal*
- University of Maryland, B.A., 2011

## AWARDS & AFFILIATIONS

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### Awards

- Virginia Super Lawyers, Rising Star in Business Litigation, 2023-2024
- Washington, D.C. Super Lawyers, Rising Star in Business Litigation, 2023-2024
- Virginia Lawyers Weekly, “Go to Lawyer”, Business Litigation, 2023, 2025
- Virginia Business, Legal Elite – Civil Litigation, 2022-2025
- Arlington Magazine, Top Attorney – Litigation, 2021-2025, Construction, 2025
- Virginia Business, Legal Elite – Young Lawyers, 2020
- Best Lawyers in America: Ones to Watch, Commercial Litigation, 2021 – 2026

### Professional Affiliations

- Leadership Arlington – Ignite Young Professionals, Class of 2020
- Arlington County Bar Association (Director at Large, Young Lawyers Section)
- Fairfax Bar Association