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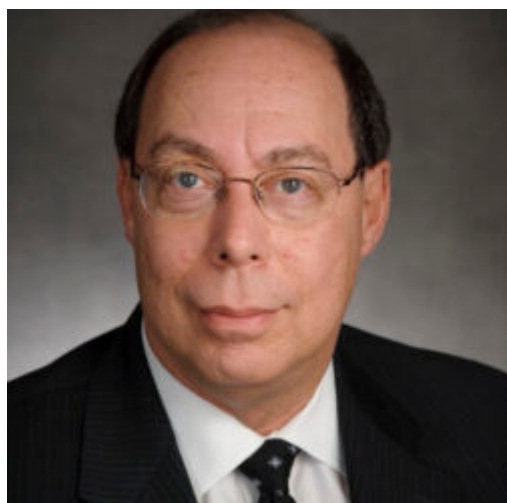


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# Ronald S. Bronstein

For over 30 years, Ron Bronstein's practice has primarily involved tax planning, estate planning, trust administration, probate matters, and associated litigation and representation before administrative bodies, including state and municipal taxing authorities and the IRS. He represents clients with regard to income tax planning for LLC's, partnerships, corporations, and other business entities; income, estate, gift, and charitable tax planning for individuals and charitable organizations; estates and trusts; probate and trust administration and litigation; taxation transactions; and federal, state, and local taxation controversies.

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## **Stuart E. Bodker**

Stuart Bodker has developed a wide-ranging practice in corporate and real estate matters in Kansas City. Mr. Bodker is primarily known for his representation of nationwide developers of shopping centers and office buildings; however, his practice includes acting as general counsel for mid-size corporations as well as documenting secured loans, providing advice on bankruptcy matters, and litigating with respect to all of the above topics.

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## **Colby L. Rieke**

Colby Rieke is a tenured domestic relations attorney with over 20 years of experience serving clients in Kansas and Missouri. As firm President, a member of McDowell Rice's Executive Board, and leader of the Family Law & Divorce and Wills, Trusts & Estate Planning Practice groups, Mr. Rieke focuses his practice on divorce, paternity, child custody, child support, and maintenance (alimony) matters.

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## **Hugh L. Marshall**

Hugh Marshall's varied practice emphasizes commercial, probate and trust litigation in state and federal trial and appellate courts and before administrative tribunals, representing individuals and businesses of all sizes in commercial disputes involving contract, landlord-tenant, construction, real estate, mechanic's lien, bond, business tort, collection, professional negligence, defamation, probate litigation, trust litigation, nursing home compliance, and mental health matters. He has been honored by his peers as a "Super Lawyer" (Top 5%) in Estate and Trust Litigation.

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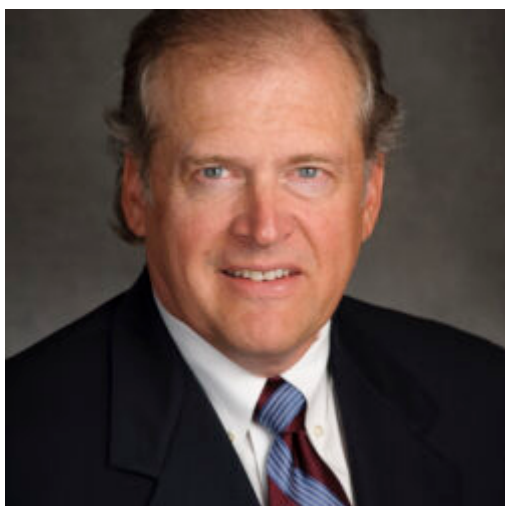


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# Thomas R. Buchanan

Tom Buchanan serves as the General Counsel of McDowell Rice, Smith & Buchana, P.C., where he leads the firm's Litigation and Dispute Resolution, Construction and Architect/Engineer Law, and Transportation Law Groups. A highly accomplished trial attorney, Mr. Buchanan is Board Certified as a Civil Trial Advocate by the National Board of Trial Advocacy, reflecting his depth of experience and unwavering commitment to excellence in trial practice.

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## **Jason L. Buchanan**

Jason Buchanan practices in all areas of civil litigation with an emphasis on complex civil litigation. He represents clients in construction, contract, and other commercial disputes. Mr. Buchanan has appeared in cases filed in Missouri, Kansas, Nebraska, Oklahoma, Iowa, Nevada, Montana, Arkansas, Illinois, and Colorado. He also has appellate experience in both state and federal courts.

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## **R. Pete Smith**

Pete Smith's practice consists primarily of business litigation, commercial transactions, bankruptcy, financial restructuring, and labor and employment law. He is a skilled litigator and adept problem-solver who handles a wide variety of complex business and financial matters.

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## **Scott A. Long**

For more than 35 years, Scott A. Long has represented clients in a wide variety of business, corporate, commercial, real estate and lending transactions. He served, and continues to serve, as outside general counsel to many of his clients, including clients in the manufacturing, agribusiness, health care, senior living and railroad industries.

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