

TRAVIS A. MERRITT Attorney at Law

Principal Areas of Practice

Complex Civil Litigation, Employment and Labor Law, Professional Negligence Defense



Travis Merritt practices in our civil litigation area. He obtained a Master's Degree in Public Health Policy and a Doctor of Medicine degree before choosing to pursue a career in law through Willamette College of Law. Travis helps defend the firm's clients in a wide variety of disputes, including employment litigation, medical malpractice defense, business litigation and arbitrations. Travis has served as a law clerk for Lane County Circuit Court, and has experience on both sides of the Bar, most recently with a defense firm in Southern Oregon where he worked on a variety of cases.

Mr. Merritt blends a breadth of knowledge of malpractice and employment issues, with a commitment to detailed analysis of the facts at issue. As a result of his broad education and background, Travis brings that extremely rare combination of a lawyer who has the empathy to understand the mindsets of both plaintiffs and defendants in such cases, as well as the mindset of an individual trained in public health research and medicine.

Education and Admissions:

Willamette University College of Law, J.D., 2019
Poznan University of Medical Sciences, M.D., 2014
Loma Linda University School of Public Health, M.P.H., 2010
Willamette University, B.S., 2008
Oregon State Bar, 2019
United States District Court for the District of Oregon, 2020
United States District Court for the Ninth Circuit Court of Appeals, 2022

Professional Distinctions, Affiliations & Experience:

Marion County Bar Association
Oregon State Bar, House of Delegates, Region 3 (former)
Jackson County Inn of Court, Vice President, (former)
Campaign for Equal Justice, Southern Oregon Steering Committee (former)
Oregon State Bar Book Ch. 11, Medical Malpractice in Oregon, Co-Author