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PRACTICE EMPHASIS

As Chair of the firm's Employment Law and Business Litigation Practice group, James represents and advises employers and employees in disputes involving wrongful discharge, discrimination, wage and hour claims, and union matters. He also represents business entities in complex litigation, professional liability, and regulatory disputes.

EDUCATION

Gonzaga University School of Law

- Juris Doctor, *cum laude*, 2014
- *Gonzaga Law Review*, 2012 - 2014
- Alfred R. Mugel National Tax Moot Court Team, 2014

Pacific Lutheran University

- Bachelor of Business Administration, 2006

PRACTICE AREAS

- Labor & Employment
- Business Litigation

PROFESSIONAL & CIVIC

- Selected for inclusion to the Washington Super Lawyers "Rising Stars" List (Business Litigation), 2023
- Named to "Ones to Watch" by Best Lawyers in America® in the practice areas of Commercial Litigation and Litigation - Labor and Employment, 2024 ed.
- Member, Washington State Bar Association
- US District and Bankruptcy Court for the Western District of Washington



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