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### Education

University of Tennessee Knoxville, J.D. University of Tennessee Knoxville, Bachelor of Arts in English Capitol Page School, Washington, D.C.

# **Employment**

The Neal Law Firm, 5401 Kingston Pike, Building 1, Suite 170 Knoxville, Tennessee 37919, Commercial Litigation, Personal Injury, Insurance Defense and Coverage.

Morton, Lewis King and Krieg (Now Lewis, Thomason), Knoxville, Tennessee, Associate and Partner. Banking, Commercial Litigation, Bankruptcy, Insurance Defense and Coverage.

Finkelstein, Kern, Steinberg and Cunningham, Knoxville, Tennessee Commercial Litigation Associate.

#### **Bar Admissions**

Admitted to the Tennessee Bar, Eastern and Middle Districts of Tennessee and the Sixth Circuit Court of Appeals.

## **Experience**

Rated AV. Three Years as a Bankruptcy Trustee and a great deal of high dollar litigation in both Bankruptcy and United States District Courts. Litigation concerning denial of Bankruptcy discharge and violations of the automatic stay. Many Insurance Defense and coverage matters over a broad spectrum of issues, Arguments before the Tennessee Supreme Court, Tennessee Court of Appeals and Sixth Circuit Court of Appeals. Representation of numerous banks, including in person repossession of all equipment on a strip mine in Middlesboro, Ky. Participated in representation of the FDIC in 23 Tennessee bank failures. Major lien litigation against the Tennessee Valley Authority. Participation in many mediations. Trained as a Rule 31 and Domestic mediator. Drafting of many coverage opinions and extensive experience with ISO policies. Commercial Litigation and Collections, Personal Injury Plaintiff.