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PRIMARY PRACTICES

Litigation

Complex Commercial Litigation

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Construction

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Michael B. Pascoe is a trial lawyer with experience in a wide range of commercial litigation representing both individuals and corporations in state and federal court. Mike routinely manages breach of contract claims, construction disputes, facilities management litigation, and business claims. He also advises clients on contract negotiation, commercial lease negotiations and construction contracts.

Mike's background as a computer programmer and IT systems administrator has helped him to litigate complex matters and represent designers of electrical test equipment in all aspects of their business.

Mike frequently represents clients across the country before the Occupational Safety and Health Review Commission. He also counsels clients on how to respond to OSHA enforcement efforts and assists with negotiation and resolution of citations prior to litigation. Mike regularly presents on new and emerging issues in OSHA rulemaking and enforcement in the construction industry.

Mike recently obtained a \$1.4 million settlement of Court of Claims case against the Ohio Department of Transportation related to a mine grouting project under State Route 2.

BAR ADMISSIONS

- State of Ohio, 2006
- U.S. District Courts for the Northern and Southern Districts of Ohio
- U.S. District Courts for the Eastern and Western Districts of Michigan

EDUCATION

- Case Western Reserve University School of Law, **magna cum laude**, J.D., 2006

Honors & Activities: International Academy of Trial Lawyer Award; Recipient, Jonathan M. Ault Award; Order of the Coif; Order of the Barristers; Jonathan M.



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Ault Mock Trial Team; earned Paul J. Hergenroeder Award as top student in Trial Tactics

- Wittenberg University, B.A., 2000
Honors & Activities: Alpha Phi Omega Service Fraternity, Vice President and Founding Member; Lambda Chi Alpha, Social Fraternity, Officer and Founding Member

AWARDS & HONORS

- *The Best Lawyers in America*®, Litigation – Construction, 2024

PUBLICATIONS & SPEAKING ENGAGEMENTS

- Speaker: REjournal's 9th Annual Cleveland Commercial Real Estate Summit - June 22, 2023
- Speaker: Regulatory Updates and Emerging Issues in OSHA Regulations and Enforcement - May 24, 2023
- Speaker: Resolving Scheduling Disputes (Ohio Transportation Engineering Conference) - October 26, 2022
- Author: OSHA Announces Enhanced Nationwide Enforcement on Trenching - July 26, 2022
- Speaker: OSHA Updates and Insights - June 23, 2022
- Author: Delays in Critical Material for Bridge Contractors: Managing Risk Through Proactive Planning and Strict Adherence to Notice Requirements - May 27, 2022
- Speaker: Joint Venture - Practical Pitfalls - February 24, 2022
- Speaker: OSHA Liability for Contractors - February 17, 2022
- Author: COVID-19 – Interim OSHA Update Regarding Recording Requirements - April 16, 2020



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- Author: What to Do When Your Employees Are Dive Bombed By Falcons - June 20, 2019
- Author: Owners and Contractors Beware! Electronic Payments in Construction Are Subject to Increased Fraud - April 30, 2019
- Author: OSHRC's Recent Ruling Provides Important Guidance on Limiting Controlling Employer Liability on Multi-Employer Worksites - March 22, 2019
- Author: OSHRC's Recent Ruling Provides Important Guidance for Employers on Heat Exposure and the General Duty Clause - March 14, 2019
- Speaker: Navigating ODOT's Dispute Resolution Provision - February 26, 2019
- Speaker: Construction Law: Advanced Issues and Answers - December 07, 2018

PROFESSIONAL HISTORY

- Partner, Hahn Loeser & Parks, 2015-present; Associate, 2006-15; Summer Associate, 2005
- Law Clerk, Milton Kramer Legal Clinic, 2004-05
- Founder and Owner, Pascoe Consulting, 2001-04
- Programmer/Analyst, Datatel, Inc., 2000-03