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## Biography

Austin Hord is an Associate in our Memphis office, focusing on general liability, medical malpractice, products liability, and premises liability matters. Previously a summer associate with HBS, he also externed for the Honorable John T. Fowlkes, Jr. of the U.S. District Court for the Western District of Tennessee.

Austin earned his Juris Doctor, *magna cum laude*, from the University of Memphis, where he was an articles editor for the *University of Memphis Law Review* and was awarded the McClurg Best Note Award. He was also a brief writer for the Duberstein Bankruptcy Moot Court Travel Team and the student leader of the ambassador program. He earned his Bachelor of Arts in Communication from Boston College with minors in Economics and Philosophy.

## Services

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## Credentials

# HALL BOOTH SMITH, P.C.

## Admitted

State Courts:

- Tennessee

U.S. District Courts:

- U.S. District Court for the Western District of Tennessee

## Education

- J.D., *magna cum laude*, University of Memphis, 2023
- B.A., Communication, Boston College, 2020

## Recognition

- Excellence for the Future Awards, CALI
  - Awarded in: Conflicts of Law, Pretrial Litigation, Intellectual Property Survey, Secured Transactions, and Legal Methods

## Publications

- **[Touching the Third Rail Doesn't Have to Hurt: A Holistic Approach to Social Security's Insolvency Crisis](#)**  
University of Memphis Law Review, 2022

## In the Press

# HALL BOOTH SMITH, P.C.

## **Attorney** **Austin L. Hord** **Joins HBS** **Memphis**

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Hall Booth Smith Memphis proudly welcomes Attorney Austin L. Hord, who focuses his practice on general liability, medical malpractice, products liability, and premises liability matters

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