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Biography

Robert E. “Bob” Cooper is Of Counsel in the Birmingham office of Hall Booth Smith, where he focuses his practice on medical malpractice, premises liability, products liability, professional malpractice and ethics, and transportation matters. With more than 45 years of legal experience, Bob brings extensive trial experience and a distinguished background in civil litigation, representing clients in complex disputes throughout Alabama.

Throughout his career, Bob has tried well over 100 cases to jury verdict, defending clients against a wide variety of claims. He has tried cases in most of Alabama's 67 counties and in all three of the state's federal district courts. His litigation experience spans personal injury, professional negligence, fraud, bad faith, insurance defense, construction disputes, and other complex civil matters.

Prior to joining Hall Booth Smith, Bob served as a partner at two other substantial Birmingham litigation firms, where he developed a longstanding reputation as an accomplished trial attorney. He also worked with a nationally recognized mediation firm, drawing upon his decades of litigation experience to assist parties in

Services

Medical Malpractice
Premises Liability
Products Liability
Professional Malpractice & Ethics
Transportation

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resolving disputes through alternative dispute resolution.

Bob is a Fellow of several prestigious legal organizations, including the International Academy of Trial Lawyers, American Board of Trial Advocates, Litigation Counsel of America, American Bar Foundation, Alabama Law Foundation, and Birmingham Bar Foundation. He is also a member of the Birmingham Bar Association.

Bob earned his Bachelor of Science degree from the University of Alabama and his Juris Doctor from the University of Alabama School of Law.

Credentials

Admitted

State Courts:

- Alabama

U.S. Courts of Appeals:

- U.S. Court of Appeals for the Fifth Circuit
- U.S. Court of Appeals for the Eleventh Circuit

Education

- J.D., University of Alabama
- B.A., University of Alabama

Memberships

- Birmingham Bar Association

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Recognition

- Fellow, International Academy of Trial Lawyers
- Fellow, American Board of Trial Advocates
- Fellow, Litigation Counsel of America
- Fellow, Litigation Counsel of America
- Fellow, American Bar Foundation
- Fellow, Alabama Law Foundation
- Fellow, Birmingham Bar Foundation
- Best Lawyers in America
- Mid-South Super Lawyers
- Litigation Star by Benchmark Litigation

Presentations

- Bob participates as a speaker at numerous legal seminars, sharing insights gained from his extensive trial and litigation experience.
- **How Jurors Think-What Every Trial Lawyer Needs to Know;** NBI, February 12, 2027

In the Press

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