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Biography

David Proctor is the managing partner of Hall Booth Smith's Birmingham, Alabama, office. He has over 30 years of trial experience, including defending physicians in medical malpractice actions, breach of warranty, and fraud defense on behalf of automobile manufacturers, complex products liability cases, defending management in employment discrimination cases and EEOC matters, and consumer finance arbitration work in the financial services industry.

He has tried dozens of jury trials to verdict in various state and federal courts in Alabama. David is also a civil mediator registered with the Alabama Center for Dispute Resolution

As a Birmingham native, he is active in the community as a member of The Rotary Club of Birmingham and an active parishioner and former member of the Vestry of the Cathedral Church of the Advent (Episcopal). Previously, he served as a member of the Board of Directors of the Greater Alabama Council of the Boy Scouts of America and the Birmingham Business Alliance.

Services

Aging Services

Dental

General Liability

Medical Malpractice

Products Liability

Professional Malpractice & Ethics

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Credentials

Admitted

State Courts:

- Alabama

U.S. District Courts:

- U.S. District Court for the Northern District of Alabama
- U.S. District Court for the Middle District of Alabama
- U.S. District Court for the Southern District of Alabama
- U.S. District Court for the Northern District of Mississippi
- U.S. District Court for the Southern District of Mississippi

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., The University of Alabama, 1984
- B.A., *cum laude*, Washington and Lee University

Memberships

- Alabama Defense Lawyers Association
- American Bar Association
- American Board of Trial Advocates, Alabama Chapter: President
- Birmingham Bar Association, Jefferson County Coroner / Medical Examiner Commission: Representative

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- Birmingham Bar Association, Jefferson County Coroner /

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Medical Examiner Commission: Representative
- DRI, Medical Liability & Health Care Law and Products Liability Sections
- Mississippi Bar Association
- Washington and Lee University Alumni Association: President, 2009-2010; Board of Directors, 2006-2010

Recognition

- *The Best Lawyers in America*®, Best Lawyers®, 2009-2026
    - Awarded in: Medical Malpractice Law - Defendants, Personal Injury Litigation - Defendants
- Mid-South Super Lawyers, Super Lawyers®, 2012-2023
- AV Preeminent® Peer Review Rated™, Martindale-Hubbell

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- Alabama Super Lawyers, Super Lawyers®, 2014-2017
- American Board of Trial Advocates

In the Press

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November 21, 2024

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Magazine

December 6, 2022

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47 lawyers from the firm have been honored in the 2023 edition of The Best Lawyers in America.

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Hall Booth Smith Adds Five Attorneys in its Birmingham Office

March 30, 2022

BIRMINGHAM, AL – Hall Booth Smith, P.C. (HBS) has added five attorneys to its Birmingham office as the firm expands to better serve clients in the state of Alabama. The attorneys are all joining from Mudd, Bolvig, Luke & Wells, a civil trial and appellate firm in Birmingham. C. Peter Bolvig is a Partner in

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November 29, 2021

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Attorneys Included on 2020 Mid-South Super Lawyers and Rising Stars List

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2021

August 20, 2020

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November 27, 2019

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South Super Lawyers Magazine

November 9, 2018

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HBS Birmingham office relocates to the Renasant Place Building

December 12, 2016

Hall Booth Smith, P.C. (HBS) is pleased to announce that it has relocated its Birmingham office to Renasant Place, 2001 Park Place North, Suite 870 Birmingham, AL 35203. The new main telephone number is 205-533-9650. Renasant

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Place is a 15 story, class-A office building strategically located in the heart of the downtown Birmingham. The HBS Birmingham office

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HBS Welcomes Rhett Owens to the Birmingham Office

October 10, 2016

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Hall Booth Smith is pleased to welcome attorney R. Rhett Owens to the Birmingham office. In addition to his general commercial litigation practice, Mr. Owens has specific expertise in securities-related litigation, the preservation and production of electronically-stored information, estate administration and probate litigation, and matters involving allegations of trade secret protection and misappropriation and employee

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Hall Booth Smith Opens New office in Birmingham, Alabama

August 2, 2016

Hall Booth Smith, P.C. (HBS) is pleased to announce that it is expanding its footprint by opening an office in Birmingham, Alabama. The HBS Birmingham office will be led by a new HBS partner and a longtime Birmingham attorney David W. Proctor. The Birmingham location will be the firm’s twelfth office.

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