

# HALL BOOTH SMITH, P.C.



[rlugo@hallboothsmith.com](mailto:rlugo@hallboothsmith.com)

Attorney at Law

303.874.3460

[BIOGRAPHY](#) | [CREDENTIALS](#) | [MEMBERSHIPS](#) | [RECOGNITION](#) | [PRESENTATIONS](#) | [PUBLICATIONS](#) | [IN THE PRESS](#)

## Biography

Rodrigo Lugo is an Associate in our Denver, Colorado, office, and they concentrate their practice on medical malpractice and personal injury litigation defense. They also represent clients in labor and employment matters, premises liability, intellectual property and trade secret disputes, contracts and business litigation, and consumer protection and fraud.

Earlier in their career, Rodrigo was a law clerk intern for the 20th Judicial District in Boulder and a legal intern at the Rocky Mountain Victim Law Center, the Colorado Supreme Court, and the business and licensing division of the Colorado Office of the Attorney General in Denver.

Rodrigo earned a Juris Doctor from the University of Colorado, where they were the recipient of the Leadership in Law & Community Scholarship and the JJ Witt Memorial Scholarship, Order of the Coif. They also completed a Bachelor of Science in Biology with a Biomedical concentration at the University of Texas at El Paso. They are fluent in Spanish.

## Services

[Business Litigation](#)

[Business Transactions](#)

[Intellectual Property](#)

[Labor & Employment](#)

[Medical Malpractice](#)

[Premises Liability](#)

## Strategic Teams

[Entertainment](#)

[Reproductive Health](#)

## Credentials

### Admitted

State Courts:

- Colorado

U.S. District Courts:

- U.S. District Court for the District of Colorado

### Education

- J.D., University of Colorado
- B.S., Biology, University of Texas at El Paso

## Memberships

- Colorado Defense Lawyers Association
  - Racial Justice, Equity & Diversity Director; 2023-2025
- Colorado LGBT Bar Association
- Faculty of Federal Advocates
- National Lawyers Guild

## Recognition

- [\*Best Lawyers: Ones to Watch® in America\*](#), Medical Malpractice Law – Defendants; Best Lawyers®; 2024-2025
- Order of the Coif
- Leaders in Law and Community (LILAC) Scholarship

# HALL BOOTH SMITH, P.C.

## Presentations

- **Panel Discussion Related to First Few Years of Practice**  
Colorado Defense Lawyer's Association (CDLA) New Lawyer's Boot Camp; December 10, 2024
- **Med Mal Expert Witness Issue Review: Update and Tips**  
Colorado Defense Lawyer's Association (CDLA) Summer Conference; July 25, 2023
- **LGBTQIA+ Inclusivity in the Courtroom**  
Colorado Defense Lawyer's Association (CDLA) CLE; June 12, 2023

## Publications

- **Dobbs Decision Fractures Abortion Law Landscape**  
*Inside Medical Liability*; August 2024

## In the Press

### **HBS Denver** **Attorneys** **Recognized in** **2025 Colorado** **Super Lawyers** **& Rising Stars**

March 25, 2025

Hall Booth Smith proudly  
congratulates Denver Partner

# HALL BOOTH SMITH, P.C.

Bradley N. Shefrin and Attorney Rodrigo Lugo on being recognized in the 2025 Colorado Super Lawyers and Rising Stars list.

[Read Full Article](#)

## **33 HBS Attorneys Named to 2025 Best Lawyers: Ones to Watch® in America**

August 16, 2024

HBS is excited to announce that 33 lawyers have been included in the 2025 edition of Best Lawyers: Ones to Watch® in America.

[Read Full Article](#)

## **Inside Medical Liability: Tomlinson & Lugo on the Dobbs Decision &**

# HALL BOOTH SMITH, P.C.

## **Abortion Law Landscape**

August 9, 2024

Attorneys Teresa Pike  
Tomlinson and Rodrigo Lugo  
published an article reviewing  
the recent Dobbs Decision  
and its consequences on the  
abortion law landscape.

**[Read Full Article](#)**

## **34 Hall Booth Smith Lawyers Named to 2024 Best Lawyers: Ones to Watch® in America**

August 22, 2023

Hall Booth Smith is pleased to  
announce that 34 lawyers  
have been included in the  
2024 edition of Best Lawyers:  
Ones to Watch® in America.  
The award recognizes  
associates and other lawyers  
who are earlier in their  
careers for their outstanding  
professional excellence in  
private practice in the United  
States.

# HALL BOOTH SMITH, P.C.

[Read Full Article](#)

## **HBS** **Announces** **Reproductive** **Health** **Specialty** **Team**

August 19, 2022

Legal considerations surrounding reproductive healthcare are more complex than ever before and continue to change almost daily. To address these considerations, Hall Booth Smith has launched its new Reproductive Health Specialty Team. HBS has a dedicated team of highly experienced attorneys who counsel healthcare providers, insurers, employers, patients and others who provide, seek or support

[Read Full Article](#)

## **Hall Booth** **Smith Expands** **to Denver with** **Nixon Shefrin**

# HALL BOOTH SMITH, P.C.

## Additions

January 10, 2022

DENVER, Jan. 10, 2022 – Hall Booth Smith, P.C. announced today the opening of a Denver office with the addition of 17 attorneys and 18 staff members from Nixon Shefrin Ogburn Drew, P.C., a leading litigation defense firm in central Colorado. The combination is part of Hall Booth Smith's continued westward expansion and marks its

[Read Full Article](#)

[Load More Posts](#)