

# HALL BOOTH SMITH, P.C.



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## Biography

Spencer Craig Gill is a Partner in the Charleston office. As a native South Carolinian, she graduated from Clemson University, *cum laude*, with a Bachelor of Science in Marketing and received her Juris Doctor from the Charleston School of Law in 2012.

During law school, she served as Judges Chair for the Moot Court Board, Research Assistant for the Legal Research and Writing Department, and was a member of the Business Law Society. Spencer also served as a judicial intern to the Honorable Robert S. Carr, Magistrate Judge of the United States District Court for the District of South Carolina.

Spencer joined the firm after serving as judicial law clerk to the Honorable Mikell R. Scarborough, Master-in-Equity for Charleston County, South Carolina.

## Services

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## Experience

### Aging Services

Early in her career, Spencer spent several months shadowing local administrators to learn how these facilities operate and comply with state and federal regulations. She uses her “boots on the ground” training and thorough knowledge of the regulatory requirements to assist her team in developing the most effective defense in cases involving understaffing, inadequate training/supervision, abuse and neglect, decubitus ulcers, transfer injuries, and falls. Spencer has successfully mediated and arbitrated these cases on behalf of both individuals and corporations as well as in the context of class action litigation.

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### Medical Malpractice

Since the beginning of her litigation career, Spencer’s practice has included the defense of health care professionals in medical malpractice actions. She has had the opportunity to represent health care providers in defense of alleged negligence care and treatment, misdiagnoses, medication and surgical errors, lack of informed consent, personal injuries, and wrongful death. Spencer uses her knowledge and experience in this area to assist various practice groups within the firm but particularly in defending health care professionals.

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## Credentials

### Admitted

State Courts:

- South Carolina

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U.S. District Courts:

- U.S. District Court for the District of South Carolina

## Education

- J.D., Charleston School of Law, 2012
- B.S., *cum laude*, Marketing, 2008

## Memberships

- Charleston County Bar Association
- Defense Research Institute (DRI)
- South Carolina Assisted Living Association
- South Carolina Association of Community Residential Programs (SCACRP)
- South Carolina Defense Trial Attorneys Association

## Recognition

- [Legal Elite](#), *Charleston Business Magazine*, 2020-2023
  - Healthcare
  - Medical Malpractice - Defendant
  - Personal Injury - Defendant
- Long Term Care Power Lawyers, Class of 2018

## Presentations

- **Hot Topics & Best Practices in Litigation**  
SCACRP Fall Conference; October 11, 2023
- **Hot Topics & Best Practices in Litigation**  
SCACRP Fall Conference; September 27, 2022
- **Hot Topics & Best Practices in Litigation**  
SCACRP Spring Workshop; May 11, 2022

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- **Hot Topics & Best Practices in Litigation**

SCALA, Spring Conference & Trade Expo; May 13, 2021

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- **Not If, But When: What to Expect in Litigation & Best Practices**

SCACRP; October 16, 2019

- **Not If, But When: What to Expect in Litigation & Best Practices**

SCACRP; April 3, 2019

- **Community Residential Care Facilities: Hot Topics in Litigation**

SCACRP Fall Conference; October 17, 2018

- **Admission v. Discharge: A Primer on Elder Law**

SCACRP Spring Workshop; May 16, 2018

- **Resident Rights v. Resident Safety: A New Frontier of Legal Claims**

Argentum South Carolina Annual Convention; October 3, 2016

## In the Press

### Charleston Business Magazine Honors Twelve HBS Attorneys as 2023 Legal Elite

August 17, 2023

Hall Booth Smith is proud to  
announce twelve of its

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attorneys were selected to be among Charleston Business Magazine's 2023 Legal Elite, the only regional awards program that allows every active attorney to nominate and vote for their peers across 26 categories.

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## **Ten HBS Attorneys Named to Charleston Business Magazine's Legal Elite 2022**

August 1, 2022

Hall Booth Smith is honored to announce ten firm attorneys were nominated and voted among Charleston Business Magazine's 2022 Legal Elite, the only regional awards program that allows every active attorney to nominate and vote for their peers across 26 categories. The selected attorneys will be recognized in the August publication of Charleston Business Magazine,

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## **Hall Booth Smith Names Six New Partners**

November 6, 2020

ATLANTA – November 6, 2020  
– Hall Booth Smith, P.C. (HBS)  
has named six new partners  
as the firm elevates leaders  
and recognizes their  
outstanding service to clients.  
Joining the firm’s partnership  
ranks are Abe Varner, J.  
Felicia LeRay, and Paul  
Trainor in Atlanta; Hank  
Pittman and J.D. Dean in  
Tifton; and Spencer Craig Gill

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## **Hall Booth Smith is Pleased to Welcome New Associate Spencer Craig to the Charleston Office**

February 2, 2015

HBS welcomes Spencer Craig

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as a new associate in the Charleston office. Ms. Craig will join the HBS Long Term Care and Professional Negligence practice groups. “We are pleased to have Spencer join us in the Charleston office,” said Jack Gresh, managing partner of HBS Charleston office. “She will be a valuable addition and allow

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