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OVERVIEW

Ketajh Brown is an associate at the firm's Chicago office. He is a member of the Commercial Disputes practice group.

PROFESSIONAL BACKGROUND

Prior to joining the firm, Ketajh served as an associate at a large U.S.-based Am Law 100 law firm where he focused his practice on commercial litigation and contentious business disputes.

Before entering private practice, Ketajh served as a Law Clerk for the Honorable David R. Herndon of the United States District Court for the Southern District of Illinois, and also served as a Judicial Staff Attorney for the United States Court of Appeals for the Eighth Circuit.

ACHIEVEMENTS

- *Best Lawyers*® “Ones to Watch”—Commercial Litigation (2023)
- *Best Lawyers*® “Ones to Watch”—Commercial Litigation; Litigation—Construction (2022)
- U.S. District Court, Eastern District of Wisconsin, 2021-2022 Pro Bono Attorney Honor Roll
- Wisconsin Access to Justice Commission, Wisconsin Pro Bono Honor Society, 2020
- Forward 48, 2020 Class
- Association of Corporate Counsel, Value Champion, 2018
- University of Wisconsin Law School Mathys Memorial Award for Excellence in Appellate Advocacy, 2016

ADDITIONAL BACKGROUND

Before practicing law, Ketajh had a successful career in the public service sector as a criminal investigator. A veteran, Ketajh is a former U.S. Army Infantry Officer who served on two deployments in support of Operation Enduring Freedom in Egypt's Sinai Peninsula, and Operation Iraqi Freedom in Northern Iraq.

EDUCATION

- J.D., University of Wisconsin Law School, 2016 (*Wisconsin Law Review*, *Note and Comment Editor*; *Moot Court Board*; *Mock Trial team*)
- B.A., Howard University, 2001

ADMISSIONS

- Bar of Illinois
- Bar of Wisconsin
- United States District Court for the Central District of Illinois
- United States District Court for the Eastern District of Wisconsin
- United States District Court for the Northern District of Illinois
- United States District Court for the Southern District of Illinois
- United States District Court for the Western District of Wisconsin

THOUGHT LEADERSHIP POWERED BY HUB

- 3 August 2022, What The Fudge?! Popular Breakfast Snack's Lack of Key Ingredient Did Not Trigger Liability Under State Consumer Fraud and Magnuson-Moss Warranty Acts

OTHER PUBLICATIONS

- Specific Jurisdiction and “In-Forum Business Conduct” Further Defined by Landmark SCOTUS Decision, *Toxic Tort Monitor*, April 2021
- Jobsite Tech Advances Here to Stay in the Wake of COVID-19, *Construction Executive*, September 2020 (co-author)
- Top 10 Recent Wisconsin Supreme Court Decisions, *Wisconsin Lawyer*, December 2018 (co-author)

NEWS & EVENTS

- 12 April 2023, Networking with Diverse Professionals, Hosted by Loyola University Chicago School of Law

- 24 February 2023, 55th Annual Regional Convention - Corporate Law Panel, Hosted by Midwest Black Law Students Association (MWBLSA)
- 18 August 2022, More Than 350 K&L Gates Lawyers Named Among 2023 Best Lawyers in America, Ones to Watch

AREAS OF FOCUS

- Commercial Disputes