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Education

University of Texas School of Law, J.D. with honors
Wake Forest University, BA, Communication and Theatre

Admissions

- Texas
- U.S. District Court for the District of New Mexico
- U.S. District Court for the Eastern District of Texas
- U.S. District Court for the Northern District of Texas

Experience

- Haynes and Boone, LLP
– Associate Litigation
– Counsel, Litigation, Trademarks, Procurement and Supply Chain Management
- The Supreme Court of Texas -Intern, The Honorable Nathan Hecht

About

For over twelve years, George has represented clients in litigation across a broad range of industries and practice areas, from telecommunications to healthcare and from trademark defense to insurance recovery. Regardless of the matter, the industry, or the client, George quickly learned that every case shares common principles, including the need to build a solid litigation and discovery strategy from the outset to put the client in the best position to successfully resolve the dispute. George brings those lessons and skills learned to Hilgers' discovery practice group.

George's practice primarily focuses on commercial litigation, including business torts and contract matters. George also has substantial experience litigating trademark matters in federal court as well as before the Trademark Trial and Appeal Board. In all of these venues, George has spent a substantial portion of his career resolving pre-trial disputes and handling discovery projects in order to prevent adverse parties from exploiting the rules of procedure in order to gain leverage. Such discovery matters have ranged from fast-moving adversary proceedings in bankruptcy court, large-scale government investigations, and sensitive trade secret disputes.

George is based out of hometown of Dallas, Texas, where he lives with his wife, Courtney, and his three children Sawyer, Briar, and Addison. In addition to his law practice, George stays active in the community, including his high school alumni organization and his children's schools.