Holland & Hart



PRACTICES

Business Litigation
Real Estate Litigation
Appellate
Stakeholder Disputes
Bankruptcy and Restructuring

EDUCATION

Duke University School of Law, J.D., 2010
Duke University Class of 1968 Scholar

University of Idaho, B.S., 2007
History
University of Idaho Scholars Award
University of Idaho Presidential Leadership Scholarship
Chapter President, Sigma Alpha Epsilon

BAR ADMISSIONS

Idaho

Christopher McCurdy

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Chris assists clients in finding efficient, cost-effective, and practical litigation solutions to a wide range of business disputes.

Clients benefit from Chris' extensive courtroom experience that includes dozens of bench trials, numerous jury trials, and multiple state court appeals he handled from briefing through oral argument.

Prior to joining Holland & Hart, Chris served as deputy prosecutor at the Ada County Prosecutor's office where he handled a full caseload of criminal misdemeanor and juvenile cases from arraignment through jury trial. Chris also clerked for Chief Justice Roger S. Burdick of the Idaho Supreme Court.

EXPERIENCE

Litigation

- Financial litigation
- Contract Disputes
- Subpoena response

Government and Internal Investigations

Real Estate and Construction Litigation

- Collection matters
- Fair Housing Act
- Construction Defect

Government and Municipality

- Petitions for Judicial Review

CLIENT RESULTS

Reported Cases

Bedke v. Ellsworth, 480 P.3d 121, 124 (Idaho 2021)

Other Experience

Represented clients in land use appeals before the Boise City Counsel.

Successfully defended client Apartment owner against Fair Housing Act claim and obtained a favorable settlement and dismissal of claims.

Obtained favorable settlement for client in Fair Housing Act claim involving several allegations of discrimination at two different apartment complexes.

Member of team for plaintiff Idaho Legislature in unanimous Idaho Supreme Court decision against the State Treasurer.

Participated in Idaho House Ethics Committee proceedings as committee counsel.

PUBLICATIONS

"Chasing Their Tails: Are Service Animals Protected Under the American Disabilities Act?," *Holland & Hart News Update*, 08/29/2022

"Service Animals 101: Keep Your Business Out of the Legal Doghouse," *Holland & Hart News Update*, 03/29/2022

RECOGNITION

- *Idaho Business Review*, Accomplished Under 40, 2024
- *Idaho Business Review*, Leaders in Law, 2022
- *Best Lawyers: Ones to Watch® in America*, Commercial Litigation, 2021-2025
- *The Best Lawyers in America®*, Commercial Litigation, 2026

PROFESSIONAL AND CIVIC AFFILIATIONS

- Idaho Law Foundation’s Access to Justice Leadership Committee for Ada County, Past Member
- Discovery Center of Idaho Board of Directors, Past Member and Past President
- Boise Metro Chamber of Commerce Leadership Boise Program, Class of 2023
- Idaho State Bar Exam, Grader
- American Inn of Court No. 130, Past Member