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Robert's practice includes the defense of professional liability cases, commercial litigation, product liability, personal injury, insurance coverage, and bad faith litigation. He has briefed and argued many appeals in state and federal courts and he has defended major personal injury and wrongful death cases arising from product liability, aircraft, industrial, construction and automobile accidents, explosions, and chemical exposure.

Robert regularly consults professional clients on pre-claim, claim repair, and risk management issues. His deep expertise enables him to also serve as a:

- Level One Coatings Inspector, certified by the National Association of Corrosion Engineers.
- National Coordinating Counsel for a Fortune 500 coating manufacturer defending large loss property damage/commercial loss cases across the country.
- Frequent lecturer on professional liability, commercial law, ethics, and professionalism topics.

BAR & COURT ADMISSIONS

Ohio, 1979

Michigan, 2011

SERVICE LINE

Litigation & Disputes

INDUSTRY SECTOR

Financial Institutions &
Insurance
Health Care
Hospitality, Leisure & Sports
Manufacturing
Real Estate, Construction &
Development

PRIMARY LOCATION

Toledo, OH

EDUCATION

U.S. District Court, Eastern District of, Michigan, 2006

United States Supreme Court, 1993

U.S. Court of Appeals, Sixth Circuit, 1981

U.S. District Court, Northern District of, Ohio, 1981

PROFESSIONAL & COMMUNITY AFFILIATIONS

- Professional Liability Underwriting Society (PLUS)
- Defense Research Institute
- NACE Certified Coatings Inspector Level 1 (National Association of Corrosion Engineers).
- Ohio State Bar Association
- Toledo Bar Association

HONORS

- AV® Peer Review Rated by Martindale-Hubbell
- Best Lawyers in America, 2016, 2018 2024
- Ohio Super Lawyer by Super Lawyers magazine, 2004 2005
- 2012 Association of Corporate Counsel (ACC) "Value Champion"
- Law Clerk to the Honorable William K. Thomas, United Stated District Court for the Northern District of Ohio, Eastern Division, 1979-1981

J.D., *cum laude*, The University of Toledo College of Law, 1979

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