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## Shumaker Attorneys Named to 2017 North Carolina Super Lawyers<sup>®</sup> and Rising Stars



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The selections for this esteemed list are made by the research team at *Super Lawyers*, a Thomson Reuters business. Each year, the research team at *Super Lawyers* undertakes a rigorous multi-phased process that includes a statewide survey of lawyers, independent research evaluation of candidates, and peer reviews by practice area. Only 5% of North Carolina attorneys have been selected for inclusion in *Super Lawyers*.

The Rising Stars selection process is identical to the *Super Lawyers* process, with one exception: to be

eligible, a candidate must be either age 40 years old or younger, or in practice for 10 years or less. Only 2.5% of North Carolina attorneys are selected for the Rising Stars list.

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