

Chambliss Attorneys Selected for Best Lawyers in America® 2023

Chambliss, Bahner & Stophel, P.C. is honored to announce *Best Lawyers in America*® named four attorneys as “Lawyer of the Year” in the Chattanooga area among the 21 selected for [The Best Lawyers in America® 2023](#). In addition, 12 Chambliss attorneys were named to the second edition of the [Best Lawyers: Ones to Watch](#) list.

The four Chambliss attorneys recognized as [2023 Chattanooga “Lawyer of the Year”](#) include Cathy Dorvil, Jeffrey Maddux, Mark Turner, and Gregory “Greg” Willett.

Attorney Name	2023 “Lawyer of the Year” Awards, Chattanooga, Practice Area
Cathy S. Dorvil	Litigation – Health Care
Jeffrey W. Maddux	Bankruptcy and Creditor Debtor Rights / Insolvency and Reorganization Law
Mark Turner	Real Estate Law
Gregory “Greg” D. Willett	Trusts and Estates

Each lawyer represents a wide variety of clients across the nation on matters ranging from elder law to product liability disputes. Cathy focuses her practice on health care litigation. Jeffrey counsels clients in bankruptcy and reorganization law matters. Mark concentrates his practice on real estate law matters and business financing. Greg concentrates his practice on trusts and estates.

Best Lawyers selects only one lawyer in each practice area and geographic region as the “Lawyer of the Year.” The publication selects lawyers based on voting averages received during the peer review assessments. Receiving this designation reflects the high level of respect each lawyer has earned among other leading lawyers in the same communities and same practice areas for their abilities, professionalism, and integrity.

Best Lawyers recognized 21 Chambliss attorneys in [The Best Lawyers in America® 2023](#):

Attorney Name	Practice Area
William P. Aiken	Corporate Law, Health Care Law, Mergers and Acquisitions
Stephen D. Barham	Litigation – Health Care
Mark A. Cunningham	Corporate Law, Health Care Law
Cathy S. Dorvil	Litigation – Health Care
James “Jim” Exum III	Insurance Law
Timothy “Tim” M. Gibbons	Construction Law, Litigation – Construction
Jeffrey “Jeff” G. Granillo	Commercial Litigation, Product Liability Litigation – Defendants
Frederick “Rick” L. Hitchcock	Energy Law
Richard “Rick” T. Hudson	Real Estate Law
J. Nelson Irvine	Corporate Law, Mergers and Acquisitions Law, Nonprofit / Charities Law
Anthony “Bud” A. Jackson	Litigation – First Amendment, Media Law
John G. Jackson	Litigation – Intellectual Property
Jeffrey W. Maddux	Bankruptcy and Creditor Debtor Rights / Insolvency and Reorganization Law, Commercial Litigation, Litigation – Bankruptcy
Harold “Hal” L. North, Jr.	Bankruptcy and Creditor Debtor Rights / Insolvency and Reorganization Law
Dana B. Perry	Elder Law, Trusts and Estates
William H. Pickering	Employment Law – Management, Litigation – Labor and Employment

Michael N. St. Charles	Corporate Law, Real Estate Law
Michael J. Stewart	Banking and Finance Law
Mark Turner	Banking and Finance Law, Business Organizations (including LLCs and Partnerships), Real Estate Law, Securitization and Structured Finance Law
Gregory "Greg" T. Willett	Trusts and Estates
Jay A. Young	Banking and Finance Law, Project Finance Law

"Chambliss is built upon the foundation of providing the highest level of service to our clients," said President and Managing Shareholder [Mark Cunningham](#). "We are proud to see so many Chambliss attorneys again recognized for their outstanding legal quality in the 2023 edition of *Best Lawyers* and *Ones to Watch*."

Best Lawyers: Ones to Watch attorneys are noteworthy attorneys who have been in private practice for less than 10 years in the U.S. These attorneys are typically individuals who have been in practice between five to nine years and have displayed outstanding professional excellence. This recognition is based on peer review, as well.

Best Lawyers selected 12 Chambliss attorneys for the third edition of [Best Lawyers: Ones to Watch](#):

Attorney Name	Practice Area
Stephen D. Adams	Intellectual Property Law, Patent Law
Kelly B. Etchells	Commercial Litigation, Personal Injury Litigation – Defendants, Product Liability Litigation – Defendants
Willa B. Kalaidjian	Business Organizations (including LLCs and Partnerships), Corporate Law, Mergers and Acquisitions Law, Privacy and Data Security, Venture Capital Law
Courtney J. Keehan	Corporate Law, Health Care Law, Mergers and Acquisitions Law
Nathan "Nate" L. Kinard	Appellate Practice, Commercial Litigation, Product Liability Litigation – Defendants
Calvin "Cal" B. Marshall	Corporate Governance and Compliance Law, Corporate Law, Health Care Law, Privacy and Data Security
Martha Culp Millener	Real Estate Law
Leah R. Mitchell	Elder Law
Jed Roebuck	Corporate Governance and Compliance Law, Corporate Law, Health Care Law, Mergers and Acquisitions Law, Transportation Law
Kathleen M. Siciliano	Labor and Employment Law – Management, Litigation – Labor and Employment
Logan C. Threadgill	Commercial Litigation, Construction Law, Litigation – Bankruptcy, Litigation – Construction
Kirby Waddell	Real Estate Law, Transportation Law
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Read the Chattanooga article, "[Chambliss Attorneys Selected for Best Lawyers in America for 2023](#)."