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Practice Areas

Business Litigation

Intellectual Property

Employment and Trade Secret
Law

Cybersecurity and Data Breach

UAS/UAV (Drone) Litigation
and Investigations

Insurance Coverage and Bad
Faith Law

Federal Criminal Defense

Corey Bauer practices in the firm's litigation practice group in the substantive areas of Business Litigation, Intellectual Property Litigation, Cybersecurity and Data Breach Response, Employment, Trade Secret and DTSALaw®, Insurance Coverage and Bad Faith, and UAS/Drone Litigation and Investigations.

He acts as a litigation team lead for the firm in complex trade secret, patent, contract, and tort disputes in state and federal courts. He has first and second-chair trial experience, has presented oral arguments before trial and appellate courts, and has taken and defended dozens of depositions.

Corey has unique experience handling sophisticated matters involving UAS/UAV (drone) technology. He has represented individuals and corporations in FAA regulatory compliance matters and investigations and successfully defended an individual in a UAS-related jury trial in Pennsylvania. He has spoken and published articles on the subject of UAS technology in the judicial system on both a state and national level.

In his personal time, Corey is an avid outdoorsman. He is a member of the Rocky Mountain Elk Foundation which aims to enhance conservation efforts across the nation through the reinstatement of wild elk habitat. You can often find him fly fishing, hiking, or skiing in his spare time.

Bar Admissions

- U.S. Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit, 2018
- U.S. District Court for the Western Districts of Pennsylvania, 2017
- Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, 2017

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Education

- University of Pittsburgh, J.D.
 - *William H. Eckert Prize for superior upper-division legal writing*
 - *National Finalist in the 2016-2017 American Bar Association National Mock Trial Competition*
 - *CALI Awards (best grade in class) in Securities Arbitration Clinic, Advanced Trial Evidence, and Criminal Defense and Prosecutorial Ethics Seminar.*
- Kent State University, B.A., Political Science

Awards/Recognition

- U.S. News Best Lawyers “One to Watch” – Commercial Litigation 2023
- Pennsylvania Super Lawyers, Rising Star (2020-2023)
- National Trial Lawyers Top 40 Under 40 (2021)
- Allegheny County Bar Association Young Lawyers Acknowledgment of Achievement Award (2021-2022)

Professional Affiliations

- Defense Research Institute (“DRI”)
 - Young Lawyers Committee Council Member
 - Intellectual Property Committee Trade Secret Chair
 - Commercial Litigation Committee
- Allegheny County Bar Association (“ACBA”)
 - Litigation Section
 - Young Lawyers Division Council Member (2020-2022)
 - Legal Education Committee
- The American Bar Association
 - Litigation Section
 - Forum on Air and Space Law Member
 - Drone Law Committee
 - Young Lawyers Division
- U.S. District Court for the Western District of PA –Criminal Justice Act Panel Member

Publications

- Copyright Infringement or a Work of Fiction? The Curious Case of Larson v. Perry, Allegheny County Bar Association, Young Lawyers Division, *Point of Law* (Winter Issue 2022)
- Drone Crimes: A New Frontier in Criminal Defense, National Association of Criminal Defense Lawyers, *The Champion Magazine*, (November 2020 Issue)
- How the Coronavirus Affects Contracts With Force Majeure Clauses in Pennsylvania Courts, Allegheny County Bar Association, Young Lawyers Division, *Point of Law* (Summer Issue 2020)
- The New Road to Municipal Workplace Safety, The Pennsylvania Municipal Authorities Association, *The Authority Magazine*, Co-Author (Volume 51, Number 1, February 2020).

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- What You Need to Know About Pennsylvania Drone Crimes, The Pennsylvania Bar Association, *The Pennsylvania Lawyer Magazine* (March/April Issue 2020).
- Peeping Drones: Uncertainty in the UAV World After ACT 78, Allegheny County Bar Association, Young Lawyers Division, *Point of Law* (Summer Issue 2019).
- The Law's Blind Eye Toward Injustice: Why Lawyers Sometimes Allow Wrongful Convictions, Allegheny County Bar Association, Young Lawyers Division, *Point of Law* (Winter Issue 2019).

Speaking Engagements

- A Night at The Science Center: Criminal Procedure for the Non-Criminal Lawyer, The Allegheny County Bar Association, Pittsburgh, PA (February 28th, 2020) (ABA Award Winner)
- Drone Laws: The Imminent Quandary, The American Academy of Forensic Sciences Annual Scientific Meeting, Anaheim, CA (February 21st, 2020)
- Constitutional Rights in the Digital Age: Is There an App for That?, The Allegheny County Bar Association, Pittsburgh, PA (August 29th, 2019)