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Services

Tax Law, Trusts & Estates Planning,

John is a Partner practicing in the firm's Hilton Head office where he focuses his practice on Estate Planning and Probate Administration law.

John is certified by the South Carolina Supreme Court as a specialist in Estate Planning and Probate Administration and is a Fellow of the American College of Trust and Estate Counsel (ACTEC).

John graduated from the University of South Carolina School of Law in 1998 and was admitted to the South Carolina and Virginia Bar in the fall of 1998. After graduation, John practiced in Richmond, Virginia and in Alexandria, Virginia before returning to South Carolina in the fall of 2000. John practiced in Columbia, South Carolina until joining McNair Law Firm in the fall of 2005.

John writes and speaks regularly to public and private groups about estate planning, estate administration, and South Carolina probate issues. He served on the South Carolina Bar committee studying the proposed Uniform Trust Code and on the South Carolina Bar Committee studying the ETHICS 2000 report of the American Bar Association. John serves on the South Carolina Bar committee to study and propose changes to the South Carolina Probate Code.

Publications

- Tax Reform and Estate Planning: How the 2017 Tax Cuts and Jobs Act Impacts Estate Plans for McNair Clients
- Free Charitable Giving, Estate Planning Seminar
- 2013 Estate and Gift Tax Update

Education

J.D., University of South Carolina, (1998)

B.A., Government and International Studies, University of South Carolina, (1994)

Licensed In

Virginia

Honors & Awards

- *Best Lawyers in America*; "Lawyer of the Year," Trusts and Estates, Savannah, SC (2019)
- *Best Lawyers in America* (2016-2020)
- Martindale-Hubbell AV Preeminent© Peer Review Rating
- Certified as a Specialist in Estate Planning and Probate Administration by the South Carolina Supreme Court

Professional Associations

South Carolina Bar

Virginia State Bar Association

Hilton Head Island Area Council of Estate and Financial Advisors

University of South Carolina (Daniel Management Center) Certified Financial Planner Program,
Former Estate Planning Instructor

Midlands Technical College Certified Financial Planner Program, Former Estate Planning Instructor

Hilton Head Island Bar Association, Member and Past Chair

South Carolina Bar, Professional Responsibility Committee, Past Chair

South Carolina Bar, Probate Estate Planning and Trust Section, Former Chair and Member

Community Involvement

The Sandbox (a children's interactive museum), Former Board Member

Hilton Head Symphony Orchestra, Former Board Member

St. Francis Catholic School (Hilton Head), Former School Board Member

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