

## Robert L. Widener

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Robert Widener's practice is limited primarily to state and federal appeals. He also assists in dispositive motion work in significant cases, as well as post-trial motions practice in cases that may be appealed. He joined the Burr Forman McNair Law Firm in 1994 after serving for seven years as a Staff Attorney and Deputy Chief Staff Attorney for the South Carolina Court of Appeals.

### Honors & Recognition

- Listed in *The Best Lawyers in America*®, Appellate Practice since 2015, Commercial Litigation since 2021
- Listed in *The Best Lawyers in America*®: "Lawyer of the Year," Appellate Practice Columbia, SC (2021)
- Order of the Coif, University of South Carolina School of Law
- Order of Wig and Robe, University of South Carolina School of Law
- National Deans List and Am. Jur. Awards, University of South Carolina School of Law

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### CAPABILITIES

Appellate Litigation  
Manufacturing  
Commercial Litigation  
Class Action

### EDUCATION

J.D., University of South Carolina  
(1983)

B.A., Honors: *cum laude* (*Biology & Political Science*) *rite* (*History*),  
*Interdisciplinary Studies*, Amherst  
College (1979)

Phillips Exeter Academy (1975)

### LICENSED IN

South Carolina

### ADMITTED IN

U.S. Court of Appeals, District of  
Washington, D.C.

U.S. Court of Appeals for the  
Eleventh Circuit

U.S. Court of Appeals for the Fourth  
Circuit

U.S. Supreme Court

U.S. District Court - South Carolina