

Resume

Phillip Byron Jones

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Phillip Byron Jones was licensed in Tennessee in 1990, handling complex business litigation with an emphasis on Contract disputes, corporate disputes, Commercial Construction project disputes and aviation law. I have litigated throughout the state courts of Tennessee and in the Federal Courts in the Western, Middle and Eastern districts of Tennessee, as well as in the Federal courts in New York City, Tampa, Baltimore and Cleveland.

Admitted to Practice

- Supreme Court of Tennessee, 1990
- U.S. District Court, Middle District of Tennessee, 1990
- U.S. Court of Appeals, 6th Circuit, 1992
- Admitted, *Pro Hac Vice*---Federal Courts: Tampa, Florida; Baltimore, Maryland, Cleveland, Ohio, and New York, New York

Education

- B.A.---Political Science and History: **Trevecca University**, 1985
Honors—Dean's List
- Juris Doctorate: **University of Louisville**, School of Law, 1989
Activities—*Journal of Law and Education*

Representative Matters

- ***Rock Ivy Holdings v. RC Properties, LLC, et al.*** 464 S.W.3d 623 (TN App. 2014). This case was a dispute between minority and majority owners of a Limited Liability Company,

concerning a multi-million-dollar real estate development. I successfully defended the majority owners at trial, and again, on appeal. The Appellate Court opinion is a published opinion, and it is considered the preeminent case in Tennessee regarding owner disputes in the context of an LLC. The case has been cited as well in other jurisdictions.

Publications

- Nashville Bar Journal, April 2014---“***An Ethical Crossroads---Dealing with the Personality Challenged Lawyer***”
- Nashville Bar Journal, April 2015---“***The Triple D: Deposing the Difficult Deponent (while also dealing with a difficult Attorney)***”

Speaking Engagements

- 2018, Nashville Association of Legal Assistants: Topic of presentation: “***A Civil Trial, the invaluable role of a paralegal***”

Community Involvement

- ***Inns of Court, Davidson County***
- ***Fellow, Nashville Bar Foundation***
- ***Nashville Conflict Resolution Center—Board Member: 2025***
- ***Nashville Film Festival---Board Member: 2025***
- ***Former Board Member, Green Hills YMCA***
- ***Former Senior Warden/Vestry Member, Advent Episcopal Church***