BIOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION



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Mr. Quattlebaum is a founding member of Quattlebaum, Grooms & Tull PLLC, in Little Rock, Arkansas, practicing in the areas of products liability and business litigation, and has served as lead counsel in over 100 trials, including several multidistrict bellwether trials in various state and federal courts throughout the country. He has represented individuals and many of the leading businesses in the United States. He is a graduate of Western State Colorado University and the University of Arkansas School of Law.

Mr. Quattlebaum is the 2023 National President of the American Board of Trial Advocates. He served as Chair of the 2020 ABOTA Covid-19 Task Force, which authored a white paper entitled *Guidance for Conducting Civil Jury Trials During the Covid-19 Pandemic* utilized by courts throughout the country. ABOTA is a national organization of over 7,000 plaintiff and defense lawyers and is devoted to preserving the right to trial by jury in civil cases as guaranteed by the Seventh Amendment to the Constitution of the United States, the independence of the judiciary, civility in the practice of law and adherence to the rule of law.

Mr. Quattlebaum is a fellow of the International Academy of Trial Lawyers and the American College of Trial Lawyers and has served in various leadership roles in the Arkansas Bar Association, including Chair of the Board of Governors and President of the Arkansas Bar Foundation.

Mr. Quattlebaum was inducted into the *Lawdragon 500 Hall of Fame* in 2021 after receiving that recognition eight times. He has been included in *Chambers USA's Guide to America's Leading Lawyers for Business* (since 2003), and *Super Lawyers* (since 2006). In addition, Mr. Quattlebaum has been listed in *The Best Lawyers in America®* since 2001 and is currently recognized in the areas of Bet-the-Company Litigation, Commercial Litigation, Insurance Law, Mass Tort Litigation/Class Actions – Defendants, Personal Injury Litigation – Defendants, Product Liability

Litigation – Defendants, and was named *Best Lawyers*' Little Rock Mass Tort Litigation/Class Actions – Defendants Lawyer of the Year (2014 and 2021), Little Rock Personal Injury Litigation – Defendants Lawyer of the Year (2015), and Little Rock Bet-the-Company Litigation Lawyer of the Year (2013, 2016, and 2019). He is also recognized as a local litigation star for Arkansas in *Benchmark Litigation*.

Mr. Quattlebaum is frequently invited to speak at meetings of lawyers and business professionals on various topics related to jury trials and trial practice throughout the country.