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Biography

Kurt Ciell is a Partner at Kelley Kronenberg, where he assists in handling matters related to **first-party property** and **third-party property insurance defense**, including **coverage and bad faith** litigation.

Prior to joining the firm, Kurt worked as an Attorney, where he investigated and analyzed complex coverage issues while representing insurance carriers in first-party property claims, primarily involving condominiums. Kurt possesses extensive experience in legal research across topics including civil procedure and insurance policy interpretation. In addition, he has assisted in drafting coverage opinions, pleadings and motions as well as preparing for depositions and mediations.

Kurt received his Bachelor of Science degree, *cum laude*, from the University of Florida. He then went on to earn his Juris Doctor degree, *cum laude*, from the University of Florida Levin College of Law. He graduated with certificates in Intellectual Property and Pro Bono Work.

Admissions

- Florida
- United States District Court
- Southern District of Florida
- Middle District of Florida
- Northern District of Florida

Education

- University of Florida Levin College of Law, J.D., *cum laude*, 2013
- University of Florida, B.S., *cum laude*, 2010

Industry Updates

- Speaker, "Legislation on AOBs: House Bills 7065 & 337 and EUOs," March 2022
- Florida Defense Lawyers Association (FDLA), Member

Representative Cases

- Kelley Kronenberg Secures Dismissal of Hurricane Ian Claim with Value Over \$230k, June 2024
- Kelley Kronenberg Secures Dismissal in Contentious First-Party Property Insurance Dispute, April 2024
- Kelley Kronenberg Obtains De Minimus Settlement in Multi-Million Dollar Claim, July 2023
- Kelley Kronenberg Prevailed on Motion to Dismiss for Invalid AOB, June 2023
- Kelley Kronenberg Continues Winning Streak Against The Kidwell Group, February 2023
- Kelley Kronenberg First-Party Property Win Affirmed Per Curiam by the Second DCA, February 2023
- Kelley Kronenberg Secures Another Summary Judgment Against Air Quality Assessors, February 2023
- Kelley Kronenberg Secures Another Summary Judgment Against Air Quality Assessors, January 2023
- Kelley Kronenberg Practice Group Partner Kurt Ciell Granted Motion for Summary Judgment in Assignment of Benefits Claim, June 2022