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Biography

Gregg Metzger is a Partner at Kelley Kronenberg, focusing his practice on **commercial litigation** and **business transactions**. An AV® Preeminent rated attorney, he brings over thirty years of experience in complex and diverse business and intellectual property litigation, successfully prosecuting and defending multi-million dollar claims and high-stakes injunction cases in federal and state courts, as well as arbitration proceedings throughout the United States.

His litigation practice encompasses disputes involving complex commercial relations, business torts, trademarks, trade secrets, unfair competition, false advertising, non-compete and non-disclosure covenants, employer-employee relations, license agreements, intra-organizational matters, real estate, creditor-debtor relations, and product liability defense. He has appeared as trial and appellate counsel on behalf of a wide variety of business concerns, from individual entrepreneurs to major national corporations.

In addition to his litigation practice, Gregg has significant experience in business and corporate transactions. He has negotiated and prepared an extensive portfolio of business agreements and represented clients in sale and purchase of business transactions, business and venture formation, secured lending transactions, and corporate formation and administration.

Gregg earned his Bachelor of Science in Business Administration with a concentration in Finance from the University of Florida. He received his Juris Doctor, *cum laude*, from the University of Miami, where he was inducted into The Order of the Coif.

Admissions

- Florida
- United States Court of Appeals, Eleventh Circuit
- United States Court of Appeals, Eighth Circuit
- United States District Court, Southern District of Florida
- United States District Court, Middle District of Florida
- United States District Court, Northern District of Florida
- United States Bankruptcy Court, Southern District of Florida (Qualified Practitioner)

Education

- University of Miami, J.D., *cum laude*, 1989
- University of Florida, B.S.B.A., 1986

Representative Cases

- *St. Jude Medical v. Cormier*, 745 F.3d 325 (8th Cir. 2014)
- *Baron v. Rhett*, 847 So.2d 1032 (Fla. 4th DCA 2003), rev. den., 899 So.2d 1066 (Fla. 2005)
- *Ward v. St. Jude Medical*, 2016 WL 1208789 (S.D. Fla. March 28, 2016)
- *Viserta v. St. Jude Medical*, 2012 WL 667814 (D. S.C. Feb. 29, 2012)
- *Kiland v. Boston Scientific Corp.*, 2011 WL 3035088 (D. Minn. July 25, 2011)
- *Webster v. Pacesetter*, 259 F.Supp.2d 27 (D. D.C. 2003)
- *Rentclub, Inc. v. Transamerica Rental Finance Corp.*, 811 F. Supp. 651 (M.D. Fla. 1992), aff'd, 43 F.3d 1439 (11th Cir. 1995)

Awards

- South Florida Legal Guide "Top Lawyers," 2016
- Legal Leaders "South Florida Top Rated Lawyers," 2015