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Darien Brown represents individuals and businesses in all aspects of civil litigation. His practice focuses on the defense of claims involving general liability and transportation liability, as well as appellate advocacy.

Prior to joining Wilson Elser, Darien was a law clerk for the Honorable C. David Briley of the First Circuit Court in Davidson County, Tennessee. During law school, he was an intern in the Office of the General Counsel at Vanderbilt University. Additionally, he gained valuable insight into federal substantive and procedural law as a judicial intern for the Honorable Waverly Crenshaw in the U.S. District Court for the Middle District of Tennessee.

Before embarking on his legal career, Darien enhanced his scientific knowledge and data collection skills as an intern at the Department of Energy's National Nuclear Security Administration (NNSA), where he was tasked with analyzing and interpreting complex data related to uranium and plutonium deposits. Previously, as a research assistant at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology's Global Diversity Lab, Darien examined global climate change using databases such as Zotero.

Education

- Vanderbilt University School of Law
 - Chris Lantz Award
 - EDI Chair, VBA Executive Board
 - ABA Moot Court National Team
 - Community Service Cochair, Black Law Student Association

Services

- Transportation
- Appellate

- Vanderbilt Student Ambassadors
- Health Law and Space Law Societies
- Tuskegee University (B.A. Political Science, *magna cum laude*, 2021)
 - Minor in International Affairs

Bar Admissions

- Tennessee

Court Admissions

- U.S. District Court, Middle District of Tennessee

Clerkships

The Honorable C. David Briley, First Circuit Court, Davidson County, Tennessee

Professional Affiliations

- Harry Philips American Inn of Court
- Napier Looby Bar Association

Publications

December 3, 2025

CLM Features Article by Burd and Brown on Algorithm Bias in Medicine

CLM Magazine