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Richard R. Danforth is experienced in a variety of insurance defense litigation matters at trial and in appellate courts, including automobile liability, premises liability, toxic tort, industrial tort liability, defamation, insurance coverage, and more. He is accomplished in key strengths in litigation including writing, organization, advocacy, negotiation, cross-examination and oral presentation. Richard occasionally serves as a defense arbitrator and as a case evaluator in Wayne, Oakland and Macomb counties

Richard's personal interests include physical fitness and the study of historical and biographical publications. He devotes substantial time to volunteer work for his church and his alma mater.

Education

- Detroit Mercy Law (J.D., 1982)
- Hillsdale College (B.A. History, 1979)

Bar Admissions

- Michigan

Court Admissions

- Supreme Court of the United States
- U.S. District Court, Western District of Michigan
- U.S. District Court, Eastern District of Michigan

Professional Affiliations

Services

- Complex Tort & General Casualty

- State Bar of Michigan
- Oakland County (Michigan) Bar Association
- Catholic Lawyers Society

Representative Matters

Truck versus pedestrian death case resulting in summary disposition for the defendant, affirmed on appeal.

Traumatic hand amputation case involving an industrial press, resulting in summary disposition for the defendant (no appeal).

Death case in which a worker was crushed by an industrial mold. resulting in summary disposition for the defendant, affirmed on appeal.