

Robyn M. Williams

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Robyn Williams represents businesses and individuals in all aspects of civil litigation. Before joining Wilson Elser, she practiced for 27 years at a boutique Nashville firm, where she focused on defending claims involving civil rights, employment law, general liability, personal injury, premises liability, and automobile liability. She has represented public officials and judges and conducted legal training at the Tennessee New Sheriff School.

Robyn has litigated matters in state and federal courts throughout Middle Tennessee, successfully obtaining numerous dismissals through dispositive motion practice.

Civil Rights & Employment Defense

Robyn defends public entities, public officials, and private employers in matters involving Section 1983 civil rights claims, the Tennessee Governmental Tort Liability Act (TGTLA), and administrative proceedings before the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission (EEOC) and the former Tennessee Human Rights Commission (THRC). Her employment defense practice encompasses discrimination, harassment, retaliation, Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) claims, and related disputes.

Education

- University of Memphis Cecil C. Humphreys School of Law (J.D., 1998)
- University of Memphis (B.A. History, 1993)

Bar Admissions

- Tennessee

Court Admissions

- Supreme Court of the United States
- U.S. Court of Appeals, Sixth Circuit
- U.S. District Court, Eastern District of Tennessee

Services

- Insurance & Reinsurance Defense
- Municipal/Local Government
- Employment & Labor

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

Clerkships

The Honorable C. Neal Small, Chancery Court of Tennessee, Thirtieth Judicial District, Shelby County

Professional Affiliations

- Nashville Bar Association
- Tennessee Bar Association