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Douglas D. Underwood has experience in insurance defense including vehicular torts, premises torts, motorsports liability, spectator sports, water sports and/or boating incidents, general civil litigation and appellate.

Representative Experience

- Fowler White Boggs Banker P.A., St. Petersburg, FL
Attorney, August 1990 – October 2008

Presentations

- "Arrive Alive - Did Recent Case Law Strap Florida's Seat Belt Defense?"
Author, *The Business of Insurance in Florida - Effective Strategies for Handling Today's Tough Issues*, Tampa, FL, May 17, 1995

Publications

- "The Exclusionary Rule in Florida," Author, *Florida State University Law Review*, Vol. 17:1

Professional Affiliations

- The Florida Bar: Trial Lawyers Section
- Florida Defense Lawyers Association
- Hillsborough County Bar Association: Trial Lawyers section

Distinctions

AV Peer Review Rated by Martindale-Hubbell

Book Award for Employment Discrimination,
Florida State University College of Law

Book Award for Professional Responsibility,
Florida State University College of Law

Gorman and Matthews Book Award for Torts,
Florida State University College of Law

Practice Areas

Recreational Sports
Construction Litigation
Personal Injury
Litigation
Property Damage
Litigation

Education

J.D., With High Honors,
Florida State University
College of Law, 1990
(*Law Review*; Chairperson,
Law Review Piece
Selection Committee)
B.S., With Honors,
University of Texas,
1987

Bar Admissions

Florida

Court Admissions

Florida State Courts
U.S. Court of Appeals,
Eleventh Circuit
U.S. District Court,
Middle District of
Florida

