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Michael G. Rabinowitz practices in the area of workers' compensation defense. He understands the intricacies of workers' compensation insurance law. His experience includes appellate law, permanent total claims, Medicare Set Aside issues, and coverage issues involving the construction industry. You can read Michael's interpretations and opinions on all of the latest Workers' Compensation legal updates at <http://www.workerscompblog.wordpress.com>.

Representative Experience

- Fowler White Boggs Banker P.A., Tampa, FL
Associate, August 2001 - October 2008
- City Attorney's Office, City of Tallahassee, Tallahassee, FL
Law Clerk, May 1999-August 1999
- George Schafer, Esq, Gainesville, FL
Law Clerk, January 1998-May 1998

Presentations and Publications

Presentations

- "Florida Workers' Compensation and the Trucking World", Florida Trucking Association Education Institute, November 2011
- "Stemming the Tide: Pre-suit Tips on Keeping Litigation Costs Down From a Workers' Compensation and Bodily Injury Perspective", Public Risk Managers Association, September, 2010
- "Yes They Did!" Claims Handling In The Post-Emmay Murray World, Nationwide Insurance, January 2009
- "Maneuvering Through The Pitfalls Of Medical Benefits In A Post 10/1/03, Chapter 440," Specialty Risk Services, Hartford, March 2006
- "Interpreting Surveillance For Your Best Defense," AIG Claims Services Conference, April 2005

Practice Areas

Workers' Compensation

Education

J.D., Florida State University College of Law, 2001

B.A., With High Honors, University of Florida, 1998

Bar Admissions

Florida

Court Admissions

Florida State Courts

U.S. District Court, Middle District of Florida

Publications

- “Illegal Aliens: Employers Hire Them, Employers Buy Them”, Hillsborough County Bar Association “Lawyer Magazine”, November 2011
- “A Game of Multiplication: First DCA Allows Both E/C’s and Claimants to Obtain Multiple IME’s”, Florida Bar Workers’ Compensation Section “News & 440 Report”, Volume XXX, No. 1, Fall 2010 (co-authored)

Professional Affiliations

- Hillsborough County Bar Association: Workers’ Compensation Section Co-Chair
- The Florida Bar: Workers’ Compensation Section
- Pinellas County Bar Association

Professional Certifications

- University of Florida certificate to write Medicare Set Asides, May 2011
- Certified Instructor for CEU Public Adjuster Accreditation by the Florida Department of Financial Services

Community Involvement

- St. Michael’s Legal Center (pro-bono), Christ of King church
- Tampa Museum of Art: Avant Garde Steering Committee, Young Professionals Fundraising

Distinctions

AV Peer Review Rated by Martindale-Hubbell