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Scott S. Amitrano is a member of the General Trial practice group in the firm's Tampa office, with a focus on construction litigation, products liability, professional liability, toxic torts, commercial litigation, environmental litigation, premises liability, and personal injury defense.

**Representative Experience**

- Banker Lopez Gassler P.A., Tampa, FL  
Associate, August 2014 to Present
- The Honorable Chris W. Altenbernd, Florida Second District  
Court of Appeal, Tampa, FL  
Staff Attorney, August 2012 to August 2014
- The Honorable Louis R. Meloni, J.S.C., Superior Court of New  
Jersey, Law Division, Civil Part, Camden, NJ  
Judicial Law Clerk, September 2011 to August 2012
- The Honorable Jack M. Sabatino, J.A.D., Superior Court of New  
Jersey, Appellate Division, Trenton, NJ  
Judicial Extern, January 2011 to April 2011

**Publications**

- *The (Near)-Death of the Economic Loss Rule in Florida: Returning the Rule to its Products Liability Roots*, Trial Advocate Quarterly (Winter 2015 ed.), at 11.
- "Elimination of Florida Terms of Court and its Effect on Appellate Mandates," Fla. B.J., November 2013, at 26.

**Practice Areas**

Commercial Litigation  
Construction Litigation  
Products Liability  
Professional Malpractice  
Toxic Tort/Mold/  
Asbestos/Benzene

**Education**

J.D., Rutgers School of Law,  
2011 (Executive Editor of the  
Rutgers Journal of Law & Public  
Policy, Hunter Moot Court  
Semi-Finalist)  
B.A., *cum laude*, Phi Alpha  
Theta, Montclair State  
University, 2007

**Bar Admissions**

Florida  
New Jersey  
Washington DC

**Professional Affiliations**

- The Florida Bar
- Defense Research Institute
- Hillsborough County Bar
- New Jersey Bar
- District of Columbia Bar
- Bruce R. Jacob Criminal Appellate American Inn of Court (2012-2014)
- Florida Defense Lawyers Association
- Claims and Litigation Management Alliance (CLM)

**Distinctions**

**AV Peer Review Rated** by Martindale-Hubbell

**Court Admissions**

Florida State Courts  
U.S. District Court, Northern District of Florida  
U.S. District Court, Middle District of Florida  
U.S. District Court, Southern District of Florida  
U.S. District and Bankruptcy Courts for the District of Columbia  
U.S. District Court District of New Jersey  
New Jersey State Courts  
District of Columbia Courts