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Patrick A. Burson practices in all types of civil litigation including Bad Faith Avoidance and Competing Claims, automobile liability, premises liability, professional liability, trucking litigation as well as construction litigation, and family law. He is a former sports agent with the NFL.

**Representative Experience**

- Banker Lopez Gassler P.A., Tampa, FL  
Shareholder, November 2008 to Present
- Fowler White Boggs Banker P.A., Tampa, FL  
Attorney, September 1999 to October 2008
- Tew, Zinober, Barnes, Zimmet & Unice  
Attorney, 1995 to 1999
- United States Attorney's Office for Southern District of West Virginia  
Summer Clerk, 1994
- East Liverpool City Law Director's Office  
Summer Law Clerk, 1993
- Columbiana County Auditor's Office  
Deputy Clerk Tax/Map Office, January 1992 to August 1992

**Professional Affiliations**

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

**Distinctions**

**AV Peer Review Rated** by Martindale-Hubbell  
**Florida Legal Elite**, *Florida Trend Magazine*, 2011  
**The Best Lawyers® in America**, 2013-2014, 2016-2023

**Practice Areas**

Bad Faith Avoidance  
Competing Claims  
Construction Litigation  
Personal Injury Litigation  
Premises Liability  
Professional Negligence  
Property Damage Litigation  
Trucking Accident Litigation

**Education**

J.D., West Virginia University College of Law, 1995  
B.S., *magna cum laude*, Fairmont State College, 1991 (Phi Gamma Mu Honorary, Alpha Phi Sigma)

**Bar Admissions**

Florida

**Court Admissions**

Florida State Courts  
U.S. District Court, Middle District of Florida