



Charlie Edwards is a seasoned trial lawyer, business advisor, and appellate advocate. He has prosecuted and defended a wide range of commercial litigation and has helped businesses and individuals obtain hundreds of millions of dollars of insurance proceeds in his career. He is the former co-chair of the firm's Insurance Recovery and Counseling practice.

In his third decade of practice, Charlie's litigation experience includes complex commercial disputes and insurance claims involving myriad industries, including real estate, healthcare, manufacturing, technology, construction, professional services, banking, and other industries. He has secured insurance coverage for lawsuits, construction defects, natural disasters, thefts and other types of losses. Notably, he served as co-lead trial counsel in a six-week jury trial that resulted in a \$204 million verdict in favor of one of the firm's policyholder clients.

Charlie also regularly coordinates and litigates complex multi-party disputes. He has coordinated both coverage and the defense of nationwide product liability litigation. In this role, he has appeared in courtrooms across the country and coordinated activities of defense counsel in individual cases, mass torts and multidistrict litigation. In addition, he has negotiated and litigated with insurance companies to secure the defense and indemnification of such lawsuits.

Charlie is a frequent contributor to the firm's insurance recovery blog, [Policyholder Protection](#), and a frequent lecturer at continuing education conferences and webinars. He also teaches business law and ethics in the MBA program of Butler University's Lacy School of Business.

Charlie also serves as director of technology and process improvement for the firm's litigation department. In this role, he oversees the investigation, development and implementation of technologies and processes to improve the firm's delivery of litigation services, such as the firm's proprietary CaseHub™ litigation management platform.

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EDUCATION

Indiana University-Indianapolis, (J.D.),
magna cum laude, 1993

Indiana University-Bloomington, (B.A.),
1990

BAR ADMISSIONS

Indiana

COURT ADMISSIONS

U.S. Court of Appeals for the Seventh
Circuit

U.S. District Court for the Central District
of Illinois

U.S. District Court for the Northern
District of Illinois

U.S. District Court for the Northern
District of Indiana

U.S. District Court for the Southern
District of Indiana

LANGUAGES

English

PRACTICES

Commercial Litigation

Compliance and Monitorships

Construction

Consumer Class Action Defense

Contract Litigation

eDiscovery and Knowledge Management

Emerging Companies and Venture
Capital

Professional and Community Involvement

Distinguished Fellow, Indianapolis Bar Foundation

Former board president, Zionsville Boys and Girls Club

Former president, Zionsville Economic Development Commission

He has served on many community non-profit boards.

Honors

Indiana Super Lawyers, 2009-2022

The Best Lawyers in America, 2013-2024

Law 360 MVP, 2015

First-Party Property

Insurance Recovery and Counseling

Intellectual Property

Litigation

Trade Secrets