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Mr. Smith, who is AV Preeminent rated by Martindale Hubbell, was selected a 2013 Top Rated Lawyer in the area of Commercial Litigation by American Lawyer Media in conjunction with Martindale Hubbell. He is a member of the Los Angeles Bar Association, the American Bar Association, the Financial Lawyers Conference, the National Conference of Bankruptcy Judges and the California Bankruptcy Forum.

Mr. Smith was a contributing author to The Rutter Group California Practice Guide, Enforcing Judgments and Debts.

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Areas of Practice

Litigation
Collections
Financial Institutions Litigation
Receiverships

Bar Admissions

California

Court Admissions

U.S. Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit
U.S. District Court for the Northern District of California
U.S. District Court for the Southern District of California
U.S. District Court for the Eastern District of California
U.S. District Court for the Central District of California