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Practice Areas:

- Business and Tort Litigation
- Litigation and Dispute Resolution

Education:

University of North Carolina, B.A.,
1966

University of Florida, J.D., 1969

Mr. Allen is the co-chair of Rogers Towers' Litigation Department. His practice is focused on complex commercial litigation. He has extensive trial experience including jury and non-jury trials in state and federal courts, as well as arbitrations, including contract litigation, officer/director liability, legal malpractice defense, product liability, and probate litigation. Mr. Allen has been recognized by Best Lawyers in America in the categories of Commercial Litigation, Bet-the-Company Litigation, Mass Tort Litigation/Class Actions – Defendants, and Arbitration. He has been a Florida Super Lawyers® designee in the Business Litigation category and has been included in *Florida Trend Magazine's* "Legal Elite" in the Commercial Litigation category. In 2014, Mr. Allen was inducted into the "Legal Elite Hall of Fame." Mr. Allen is a former President of the Jacksonville Bar Association, and is a Fellow in the American College of Trial Lawyers.

Bar Association Memberships:

- The Florida Bar
- Jacksonville Bar Association

Legal Certifications:

- Board Certified in Civil Trial Law, The Florida Bar

Court Admissions:

- U.S. District Court Middle District of Florida
- U.S. District Courts, Various Pro Hoc Vice Admissions
- U.S. Court of Appeals, 2nd Circuit and 11th Circuit
- Supreme Court of the United States

Awards & Distinctions:

- Fellow, American College of Trial Lawyers
- Past President and former member of the Board of Governors, Jacksonville Bar Association
- Former Chairman, Grievance Committee, Fourth Judicial Circuit
- *Florida Trend Magazine*, "Legal Elite" (Commercial Litigation), 2005–2009, 2011–2022
- *Florida Trend Magazine*, "Legal Elite" Hall of Fame, inducted 2014
- *Florida Super Lawyers* (Business Litigation), 2006–2022
- *Jacksonville Super Lawyers®* "Top 25", 2018-2020
- *Best Lawyers®* Jacksonville Litigation - Bet-the-Company "Lawyer of the Year", 2022
- *The Best Lawyers in America®* (Bet-the-Company Litigation), 2013, 2021, 2023
- *The Best Lawyers in America®* (Commercial Litigation), 2010-2023
- *The Best Lawyers in America®* (Mass Tort Litigation/ Class Actions – Defense), 2017-2023
- *The Best Lawyers in America®* (Arbitration), 2022,2023
- Member, American Board of Trial Advocates
- AV Preeminent Rating®, Martindale-Hubbell

Publications and Presentations:

- Author: "Logic and the Law: When Their Paths Diverge," Florida Bar Journal (July/August 2002)

- Co-author: Chapters in Construction Litigation in Florida, 1983, and Florida Construction Law and Practice, 1991 (2d ed.), 1997 (3d ed.) and 2001 (4th ed.)

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- Presenter: Numerous lectures on subjects of civil trial law, including the use of discovery in commercial litigation, developments in civil procedure, and techniques of cross-examination.