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A wealth of experience with the higher education system allows Craig Finger to bring an advanced level of leadership and insight to his commercial litigation work.

Craig focuses his practice on complex commercial litigation across various practice areas, including employment, class actions, securities, general contracts, consumer protection, administrative law, and government affairs.

Prior to his work at the firm, Craig worked in international affairs for the Department of Defense Office of the General Counsel. He was involved in a wide variety of high-level legal matters in the areas of international law, national security and inter-agency relations.

He also worked with a Denver law firm, primarily as part of a college's in-house counsel team. There, he was involved in all aspects of the client's needs, including internal compliance, student and employee dispute resolution, analysis of legislation impacting the industry, and on-going litigation involving wage disputes and consumer fraud.

Practices

Litigation, Antitrust, Commercial Litigation, Employment, Health Care, Securities Litigation & Enforcement, Political & Regulatory Law

Representative Matters

- Successfully defeated numerous claims of discrimination, retaliation, and other torts through a four-day jury trial in federal court. Former Director of Human Resources for a professional services agency alleged claims of discrimination and retaliation and Title VII and the Equal Pay Act. Jury returned a verdict finding no discrimination or retaliation, and only awarded a token amount of damages in connection with a limited subset of the plaintiff's defamation claims.

Community

Colorado Succeeds

Publications & Presentations

- Clarity For Cos. Facing Wage Claims In Colo. And Beyond, Co-author, *Law360*, March 14, 2018
- Colorado Supreme Court Clarifies Only Two- or Three-Year Statute of Limitations Applies to Colorado Wage Claim Act Claims, *Brownstein Client Alert*, March 6, 2018

Education

- J.D., 2016, *summa cum laude*, University of Nebraska College of Law, Order of the Coif
- M.A., 2012, Ashford University
- B.A. & B.S., 2010, *summa cum laude*, University of Colorado

Admissions

- Colorado

Recognition

Department of Defense Office of Deputy General Counsel Honors Externship
Guy Cleveland Chambers Award for High Academic Achievement
Professor Richard Harnsberger Award for Outstanding Academic Achievement
Nebraska Law Review, executive editor
Nebraska National Moot Court Team
Nebraska Moot Court Board

Membership

Colorado Bar Association
Colorado LGBT Bar Association