



# Marc C. Smith

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In practice for more than 30 years, Marc is an experienced advocate for closely held corporations, providing strategic guidance in a variety of commercial disputes.

He has appeared on behalf of clients in state and federal courts in connection with real estate claims, breach of contract actions, attorney malpractice defense, fraud counts, employment litigation and insurance claims. He represents real estate agents, real estate brokerage firms, developers and property owners in general commercial liability matters as well as real estate litigation and construction matters including lien claims, contract actions and workplace injuries. He also counsels clients on a variety of commercial transactions and real estate matters, including leases, purchases and sales of commercial and multifamily residential properties, warehouses and health clubs. Additionally, Marc represents clients seeking reductions in real estate assessed valuations and in obtaining tax-related incentives.

## Services

- Litigation
- Property Tax
- Real Estate
- Real Estate Litigation

## Before Fox Rothschild

Prior to joining Fox, Marc was an attorney at several Chicago-based law firms.

## Beyond Fox Rothschild

Marc serves on the Board of Directors for K.I.D.S.S. for Kids, a philanthropic organization that benefits the Ann & Robert H. Lurie Children's Hospital.

## Bar Admissions

- Illinois

## Court Admissions

- U.S. Supreme Court

- U.S. District Court, Northern District of Illinois

## Education

- DePaul University College of Law (J.D., 1985)
- University of Illinois (B.A., 1982)

## Memberships

- Illinois State Bar Association
- Chicago Bar Association
- Trial Bar for the Northern District of Illinois

## Board of Directors

- K.I.D.S.S. for Kids, an auxiliary board of Lurie Children's Hospital of Chicago
- Ridgemoor Country Club

## News

January 30, 2026

**Litigation Funder Suit Against Janus Henderson Can Proceed**

January 23, 2025

**Vape Maker Seeks Exit from Suit Over Delta-9 THC Levels**

October 14, 2024

**Fox Rothschild Litigation Team Secures Decertification of Class Action Against DirectSat**

August 1, 2019

**Law360 Names Attys Who Moved Up The Firm Ranks In Q2**

May 28, 2019

**CDLB People**

May 13, 2019

**Fox Elevates Attorneys Nationwide to Partner**

October 10, 2017

**Illinois Appellate Court Upholds Sanctions Over 'Vexatious and Harassing' Lawsuit**

March 7, 2016

**People on the Move**

February 29, 2016

**Fox Bolsters Litigation Presence in Chicago with Marc Smith**

February 23, 2016

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