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PRACTICE AREAS

Financial Services

Asset Sales & Acquisitions

Secured Creditor Representation

Unsecured Creditors & Committee Representation

Workout & Restructuring

COURT MEMBERSHIPS

- Colorado
- Kansas
- Michigan
- Missouri
- U.S. District Court for the District of Colorado
- U.S. District Court for the Eastern District of Missouri
- U.S. District Court for the Western
 District of Missouri

Stephen K. Dexter

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Stephen Dexter has considerable experience representing creditors in business reorganization and consumer bankruptcy cases and, among other things, has successfully pursued multimillion-dollar environmental claims, defended numerous preference actions, represented financial institutions holding secured claims, prosecuted non-dischargeability actions and relief from stay actions, and advised creditors serving on Chapter 11 creditor committees. Stephen has also advised entities on various pre-bankruptcy planning issues and has considerable experience in commercial litigation matters.

Some of Stephen's representative experience includes:

- Represented large manufacturing entities in dozens of Chapter 11 bankruptcy cases and the defense of such entities in numerous preference actions.
- Represented national service provider on various creditor issues arising in multiple Chapter 11 bankruptcy cases and the successful defense of client in numerous preference actions.
- Successfully represented national casino operator in its acquisition of substantially all of the assets of an operating casino through a Chapter 11 section 363 sale.
- Represented receiver in a receivership action involving the operation and sale of a retail shopping center.
- Successfully represented plaintiff in an action to avoid the fraudulent conveyance of real property.
- Represented numerous lenders in loan enforcement and commercial foreclosure actions.
- Represented a variety of lenders in receivership actions involving the disposition of real estate.



U.S. District Court for the Western
 District of Michigan

EDUCATION

University of Missouri-Kansas City School of Law, J.D., 1995

University of Missouri-Kansas City, M.B.A., 1990

University of Kansas, B.S., 1986

CLERKSHIP(s)

Clerk for the Hon. Arthur J. Spector, U.S. Bankruptcy Judge, Eastern District of Michigan; Intern for the Hon. Arthur B. Federman, U.S. Bankruptcy Judge, Western District of Missouri

- Successfully represented lenders in obtaining relief from the automatic stay in bankruptcy proceedings.
- Advised medical supplies vendor on its claim in a hospital's Chapter 11 bankruptcy case and client's participation on the creditors' committee.
- Effectively represented business entity in fraudulent conveyance action seeking to recover wrongfully transferred oil and gas interests and assisted in the sale and liquidation of such interests.
- Represented large energy sector company in complex Chapter 11 bankruptcy and successfully recovered on multi-million dollar environmental claim against the debtor.

Presentations

 Speaker, Navigating the World of Commercial Bankruptcies, GAF Materials Corporation's GAF Partners in Growth Conference, April 17, 2012

In The News

 Lathrop Gage Featured in Three-Part Series on LPM Initiatives November 21, 2017

Professional Affiliations

- The Missouri, Kansas, Michigan and Colorado Bars
- American Bar Association
- American Bankruptcy Institute