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PRACTICE AREAS

Financial Services Litigation Litigation

General Business & Complex Commercial Litigation

Accountant Liability & Risk Management

Financial Services

Class Action Defense

INDUSTRIES

Disruptive Technology

COURT MEMBERSHIPS

- Kansas
- Missouri
- New York
- U.S. District Court for the Central District of Illinois
- U.S. District Court for the District of Kansas

James Moloney

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James Moloney counsels his clients on a variety of litigation matters, including contractual disputes, class actions, bankruptcy, securities and intellectual property. He also regularly litigates on behalf of his national banking clients, with extensive experience in successor liability, fraudulent conveyances and other evasive commercial debtor tactics.

Among his accomplishments:

- Won a substantial arbitration award for a financial services client in a breach of contract matter.
- Obtained a defense verdict for an insurance company in a multimillion-dollar fraud and breach of contract suit.
- In a state court of appeals, successfully argued a high-stakes case on behalf of a major gaming interest, securing its rights to a multimillion-dollar development site.
- Achieved a favorable settlement for an insurance receiver in a major breach of contract action.
- Represented a group of franchisees in a conflict with a franchisor about the value of their enterprises. Recovered a favorable valuation of 16 individual franchises.
- Successfully represented commercial lenders nationwide in prelitigation recovery, replevin of assets, litigation and post-judgment collection of commercial debt.

Presentations

 Presenter, New E-Discovery Guidelines: What You Need to Know, Lathrop Gage Webinar, December 14, 2011



- U.S. District Court for the Eastern
 District of New York
- U.S. District Court for the Southern District of New York
- U.S. District Court for the Western
 District of Missouri

EDUCATION

New York University School of Law, J.D., 1997

University of Kansas, B.A., 1993

Publications

- Co-author, Model Order Has Import Beyond Patent Cases, National Law Journal, January 30, 2012
- Co-author, Model Order Limiting E-Discovery has Implications in more than Just Patent Cases, InsideCounsel, December 6, 2011

In The News

- Corporate Secretary on E-Discovery Webinar Featuring Lathrop Gage Partners as Panelists March 8, 2012
- Corporate Secretary Quotes James Moloney on E-Discovery March 1, 2012

News Releases

- Eight Lathrop GPM Attorneys Named Lawyer of the Year, 89 Ranked as The Best Lawyers in America© August 17, 2023
- Six Lathrop GPM Attorneys Named Lawyer of the Year, 95 Ranked as The Best Lawyers in America© August 18, 2022
- Super Lawyers Recognizes 71 Lathrop Gage Attorneys October 14, 2013
- Lathrop Gage Promotes Six Attorneys to Member (Partner) Status January 4, 2008

Professional Affiliations

- Kansas City Metropolitan Bar Association
- The Missouri Bar
- The New York City Bar Association
- New York State Bar Association

Honors

- Selected among The Best Lawyers in America®, 2023-2024
- Selected for Missouri/Kansas Super Lawyers, 2012-2014