

# MARK A. GILCHRIST

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## PRACTICES

Accounting Malpractice Defense  
Commercial Litigation  
Legal Malpractice Defense  
No-Fault Litigation  
Professional Liability Defense

## EDUCATION

Wayne State University School of Law (J.D., 2000)  
The George Washington University (M.A., 1996)  
Michigan State University (B.A., 1993)

## ADMITTED

State Bar of Michigan, 2000

## PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

American Bar Association, Member  
Defense Research Institute, Member  
Grand Rapids Bar Association, Member  
Michigan Defense Trial Counsel, Member & Former President  
State Bar of Michigan, Negligence Law Section Member & Treasurer

## ATTORNEY

For more than 20 years, Mark has successfully tried cases, settled disputes, and resolved issues for clients throughout Michigan. On a daily basis, he represents and defends law firms, lawyers, physicians, accountants, engineers, hospitals, and those in the construction industry against allegations of malpractice, negligence, ethical violations, conflicts of interest, breach of fiduciary duty, breach of contract, or other professional liability matters.

Insurance companies and their insureds rely on Mark in matters involving automobile negligence, construction and general liability.

He also assists professionals and individuals who are faced with criminal investigations and charges brought by the government. His clients include those charged with white collar crimes such as fraud and embezzlement, computer crimes, drunk driving, assault, and vehicular manslaughter. Clients trust his calm and insightful counsel and for handling sensitive matters with the utmost of care and confidentiality.

In addition, Mark serves on the firm's Board of Directors and is actively involved with the State Bar of Michigan's Negligence Law Section (Secretary) and the Michigan Defense Trial Counsel (Past President).

When he isn't practicing law, Mark enjoys spending time with his two daughters and son in the Ada, Michigan area. He enjoys outdoor activities and is an avid sports fan.

## NOTEWORTHY

Included in the 2018, 2020, 2021, 2023, 2024 editions of The Best Lawyers in America® for Commercial Litigation

Included in the 2021-2024 editions of The Best Lawyers in America® for Legal Malpractice Law - Defendants

2022 Top Lawyer for Legal Malpractice Law by Grand Rapids Magazine

Listed in 2021 edition of Leading Lawyers Magazine

Selected to the 2011 Michigan Rising Stars list for Professional Liability: Defense, Criminal Defense, and Personal Injury Defense: General