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Areas of Practice

Commercial and Real Estate Litigation

Experience

Ray Kramer has handled a variety of complex commercial litigation matters for plaintiffs and defendants in state and federal court, and in arbitration. Ray has extensive trial experience, which includes his unique experience as a prosecutor in the U.S. Army JAG Corps, where he handled and tried felony cases.

Recently, Ray successfully tried a fraudulent conveyance matter on behalf of a plaintiff, resulting in a judgment in favor of his client. Ray has extensive commercial real estate litigation experience in a variety of matters, including foreclosures, workouts, landlord/tenant issues, purchase contract disputes, and broker commission disputes.

Awards & Recognition

- “AV” Preeminent 4.9 out of 5 by Martindale Hubbell
- Named one of the Florida “Legal Elite” by Florida Trend Magazine for 2011 - 2012
- U.S Army Meritorious Service Medal, 1997

Education

Georgetown University Law Center, Washington, D.C., J.D., May 1993
American Criminal Law Review, Associate Editor

Georgetown University, School of Foreign Service, B.S.F.S., May 1990
Major: International Economics, specializing in International Business, Finance and Commerce
ROTC Scholarship; Distinguished Military Student Award; Distinguished Military Graduate

Bar and Court Admissions

Florida Bar, 1993

Rhode Island Bar, 1996

U.S. Supreme Court, 2005

U.S. Court of Appeals, 11th Circuit, 2005, Membership Committee Member. 2010-Present

U.S. Court of Appeals, 2nd Circuit, 2006

U.S. District Court, Southern Dist. of Fla., 1999

U.S. District Court, Northern Dist. of Fla., 2005

U.S. District Court, Middle Dist. of Fla., 1997

Professional Associations and Membership

The Florida Bar

The Rhode Island Bar Association

Palm Beach County Bar Association, member, Young Lawyers Division, 1997-2000, Alternative Dispute Resolution Committee Member, 2005 – Present; Membership Committee Member, 2010-Present

The Florida Justice Association, 2003-Present; Palm Beach County Justice Association, 2003-Present

The Florida Bar Unlicensed Practice of Law Committee Member. 2010-Present

Community Involvement

Palm Beach County Cultural Council, Board of Directors, 2006 – Present; Member, Finance Committee, 2006-2008, Audit Committee, 2009-Present

Young Friends of the Palm Beach Opera, Steering Committee, 2006-2009

Young Friends of the Norton, 2000-Present

Palm Beach Civic Association, 2001-Present; member, Code Enforcement Committee, 2001-2002

Georgetown Club of Palm Beaches, Member, Board of Directors, 1999-Present, Secretary, 1999-2001, President, 2001-2004

Palm Beach Flagler Rotary Club, 1999-2005

Boy Scouts of America, Cub Scouts, Adult Leader, 2008-Present, Tiger Den Leader, Cubmaster, 2009-Present; Trade Winds District Chairman, 2011-Present; Gulf Stream Council Board Member, 2011-Present

Prior Employment

Kramer McGuire, LLC, West Palm Beach, Florida, President, 2000 - 2001

Jones, Foster, Johnston & Stubbs, P.A., West Palm Beach, Florida, Associate, 1997 - 2000

United States Army, Fort Hood, Texas, Captain, Judge Advocate General's Corps., 1994 - 1997