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Joey's practice involves a variety of commercial litigation, with a focus on environmental law. He also has experience with alternative dispute resolution, in particular arbitration pursuant to the Federal Arbitration Act. As a civil litigator, Joey has represented clients in a broad range of disputes, including residential development, construction, land use, municipal projects, and environmental permitting.

During law school, Joey served as an intern at the Thomas Jefferson Center for the Protection of Free Expression, where he participated in amicus briefing for First Amendment issues before the Supreme Court.

Professional & Community Activities

- Board of Directors, Peacehaven Farm, 2012--
- Guardian Ad Litem, Orange County, 2003 – 04
- Member, North Carolina Bar Association
- Member, Young Lawyer's Division, North Carolina Bar Association
- Member, Litigation Section, North Carolina Bar Association
- Member, Environment, Energy, & Natural Resources Law, North Carolina Bar Association

Practice Areas

Environmental
Foreclosures
Litigation
Real Estate

Education

University of Virginia, J.D.,
2007, Member, Editorial Board,
Virginia Law Review

University of North Carolina at
Chapel Hill, B.S., *with honors* in
Business Administration, and
distinction, 2002

Articles & Publications

- *Adjusting Carbon Management Policies To Encourage Renewable, Net-Negative Projects Such As Biochar Sequestration*, William Mitchell Law Review, Vol 36, Issue 3 (2010)

Publications

- Adjusting Carbon Management Policies To Encourage Renewable, Net-Negative Projects Such As Biochar Sequestration

Bar & Court Admissions

- North Carolina
- U.S. Court of Appeals, Fourth Circuit
- U.S. District Court, Eastern District, North Carolina
- U.S. District Court, Middle District, North Carolina
- U.S. District Court, Western District, North Carolina