

# S. Wilson Quick

Associate



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Will Quick has a diverse litigation and regulatory practice, representing businesses and local governments in trial and appellate matters and before state agencies in North and South Carolina. He also advises clients on land use, zoning and economic development projects.

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#### PRACTICE AREAS

Construction  
Education  
Environmental  
Land Use & Zoning  
Litigation  
› Appellate  
› Complex Business Litigation  
› Construction Litigation  
› Federal Litigation  
› North Carolina Business Court  
Privacy  
Real Estate

#### INDUSTRIES

Construction & Development  
Education  
Manufacturing  
Real Estate  
Retail  
Technology  
Telecom  
Trade Organizations  
Utilities

#### EDUCATION

University of North Carolina School of Law  
2012, with honors; Circulation Editor,  
*North Carolina Journal of International Law and Commercial Regulation*; Dean's Advisory Council  
North Carolina State University  
2009, MBA Student Association President  
North Carolina State University  
2007, magna cum laude; Park Scholar; Student Body President

#### BAR & COURT ADMISSIONS

North Carolina  
South Carolina  
US District Court - South Carolina  
US District Court - North Carolina

## MY PRACTICE

Western District  
Middle District  
Eastern District

### COMPLEX BUSINESS LITIGATION

Will is involved in all facets of civil litigation before state and federal courts in North and South Carolina. He works with companies ranging in size from small local businesses to the Fortune 500 level on both the plaintiff and the defense side.

### LAND USE LAW

Will assists developers, business owners and local governments in navigating the often complex field of land use law. His work includes land-use litigation, eminent domain and zoning cases, planned community development and environmental compliance.

### MUNICIPAL LAW AND GOVERNANCE

Will advises local governments on a wide range of issues including open meetings law, parliamentary procedure, labor and employment issues, and land use.

### DATA PRIVACY LAW

Will assists businesses with understanding and adopting policies to prevent data breaches. He also helps companies experiencing breach events with the response and notification process, often coordinating efforts across multiple states.

## HONORS

Selectee, North Carolina Bar Association Leadership Academy, Class of 2016

UNC Gressman-Pollitt Award for Oral Advocacy (Best Overall, RRWA Class), 2010

Order of Walter Hines Page for outstanding service as a member of NC State Board of Trustees, 2007

NC State Mathews Medal, awarded to an NC State senior for the highest level of leadership and service to the university, 2007

## COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

Division Director, N.C. Bar Association Young Lawyers Division Law Student Division, 2016-present  
Co-Chair, N.C. Bar Association Litigation Section Pro Bono Committee, 2015-present  
YLD Liaison, N.C. Bar Association Zoning Planning and Land Use Section, 2016-present  
Member, N.C. Bar Association Strategic Planning and Emerging Trends Committee, 2016-present  
Member, Wake County Bar Association Social Committee, 2013-present  
Member, Triangle Urban Land Institute, 2016-present  
President, [NC State Friends of the Library](#), 2014-2016; member, 2009-present  
Vice President, Park Alumni Society Board of Directors, 2010-2015; member, 2008-2016  
Member, Sigma Chi Delta Epsilon Chapter Foundation Board of Directors, 2007-present  
Member, Sigma Chi Delta Epsilon Chapter Housing Corporation, 2012-present  
Chair, Compassion in Action relief campaign for victims of Hurricane Katrina, 2005-2006

## PUBLICATIONS & MEDIA

[Staying Afloat in the Stream of Commerce: Goodyear, McIntyre, and the Ship of Personal Jurisdiction](#), 37 N.C.J. Int'l L. & Com. Reg. 547 (2012).

[Delaying a Decision on the Future of North Carolina's Coast: The Sandbag Removal Moratorium and Terminal Groin Study](#), UNC Festival of Legal Learning, Envtl. L. Symposium (2010).

Will Quick Discusses Digital Privacy and Cybersecurity in Business North Carolina, November 20, 2017

Brooks Pierce Attorney Awarded Charles F. Blanchard Young Lawyer of the Year Award, June 26, 2017

Brooks Pierce Attorneys Recognized for Pro Bono Work by the North Carolina Supreme Court, June 7, 2017

Will Quick Discusses Cybersecurity with the Triangle Business Journal, May 18, 2017

Will Quick Selected For 2017 Triangle Urban Land Institute's Partnership Forum, March 1, 2017

Brooks Pierce Attorney to Accept National Medal from White House, May 23, 2016

"Meet Will Quick" on the cover of NCSU Libraries "Focus" Magazine, February 20, 2015