

# David Williams

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## Practice Areas

- Litigation & Dispute Resolution
- Privacy & Data Security
- White Collar Criminal Defense

## Education

- Wayne State University  
J.D., *cum laude*
- Duke University  
B.S.

## Bar Admission

- Michigan

## Overview

David Williams co-chairs our Litigation & Dispute Resolution and White Collar Criminal Defense practice groups and works with our Privacy & Data Security group. Prior to joining Jaffe, David was an Assistant Prosecuting Attorney with the Oakland County Prosecutor's Office. While litigation and conflict resolution are among David's specialties, his clients rely on him for sound business advice — to help them navigate through the complexities of legal challenges and plan for them before they arise.

David works with attorneys across all of our practice groups to provide strategic legal advice that impacts clients' immediate decisions, as well as those that will need to be made in the future. That advice includes how they manage their relationships with employees, customers, suppliers, and vendors. He helps clients resolve conflicts and stay in front of any triggers that could create conflict later. He helps them identify what is unreasonable, unnecessary, or inappropriate so they are not being taken advantage of and he offers creative solutions to get around the conflict.

Litigation can be a trying time, and it can consume energy and money that impact the client's business on a short-term basis, as well as in the long-term. David's goal in every instance is to avoid litigation when possible, to save his client time, aggravation, and expense. Helping his clients achieve their strategic business needs with personalized attention and sophisticated solutions is at the forefront of David's practice.

## Affiliations

- State Bar of Michigan

## Recognition

- CARE House, Unsung Hero Award
- Michigan Super Lawyer, 2017, 2019
- DBusiness Top Lawyer, 2020