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Practice Areas

Business & Commercial Litigation

Bar Memberships

Tennessee

Languages

English

French

Angela's practice focuses on complex commercial disputes and related litigation matters.

Prior to joining FBT Gibbons, Angela gained experience handling high-stakes litigation and intellectual property matters in state and federal courts, including the Trademark Trial and Appeal Board. Her work included conducting legal research, drafting motions, and assisting during all phases of the discovery process, as well as direct involvement in several copyright Schedule A cases against hundreds of defendants.

Angela earned her J.D. from Vanderbilt University Law School, where she served as Senior Articles Editor of the *Vanderbilt Journal of Entertainment & Technology Law*. Her honors included Dean's List, the Carl J. Ruskowski Clinical Legal Education Award, the Recording Industry Association of America Outstanding Music Law Student Award, and the Scholastic Excellence Award for Robots, AI, & the Law. She also held leadership positions with the Vanderbilt Intellectual Property Association and Vanderbilt Entertainment & Sports Law Society.

During law school, Angela served as a Legal Writing teaching assistant, a research assistant, and gained public-sector legal experience working on projects involving public art funding and contracts.

Angela earned B.A. degrees in English and Communication Studies, *magna cum laude*, from Vanderbilt University, where she received Highest Honors in English and the Best Undergraduate Honors Thesis Award. While an undergraduate, she studied abroad in Rome and Montepulciano, Italy.

Other Info About Angela

Education

Vanderbilt University Law School, J.D.

Vanderbilt University, B.A. English, B.A. Communication Studies

Courts

Middle District of Tennessee, 2026

Professional Affiliations

Nashville Inns of Court, Entertainment and Intellectual Property

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