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Paul is a litigation director in the firm's New York office. He concentrates his practice on pharmaceutical/medical device-related litigation and has been heavily involved in defending large national corporations in high-profile, complex multidistrict and mass tort litigations. He also litigates matters involving products ranging from industrial equipment to consumer goods and represents a broad base of product manufacturers, product distributors, and other companies, large and small, in business litigation and contractual disputes. Admitted in New York and New Jersey, as well as multiple federal courts, Paul has represented and counseled clients across the United States through the full life of a case, from inception through trial. He has served as both lead and second chair trial counsel in multiple matters and also has considerable appellate experience, which includes successfully arguing multiple appeals before New York's appellate courts, as well as the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Second Circuit.

Paul also has extensive experience handling a wide variety of non-product litigation matters, including complex contractual and other commercial disputes, New York Labor Law claims, automobile and general negligence claims, insurance coverage, and subrogation.

Other Info About Paul

Education

St. John's University School of Law, J.D., *cum laude*

Le Moyne College, B.A.

Courts

United States District Court for the Southern District of New York

United States District Court for the Eastern District of New York

United States District Court for the Western District of New York

United States District Court for the Northern District of New York

United States District Court for the District of New Jersey

United States Court of Appeals for the Second Circuit

United States District Court for the District of Colorado

United States District Court for the Eastern District of Michigan

Recognition

Included on the [New York Metro Super Lawyers](#) list, Personal Injury – Products: Defense

Professional Affiliations

New York State Bar Association

Federalist Society for Law and Public Policy Studies

Vice President of St. John's University Law School Chapter, 1998–1999

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