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OVERVIEW

Henry Ross is an associate and has been recognized as one of the leading young litigators in the Pacific Northwest. He is a member of the Commercial Disputes practice group and focuses on complex commercial litigation for businesses in state and federal courts and private arbitrations. Henry has experience in both pre-litigation counseling and dispute resolution, as well as state and federal jury trials. His substantive experience has focused on consumer torts, products liability, information security, and corporate disputes. Henry also has extensive experience in advising businesses and corporations on insurance coverage matters, including both advice and counseling as well as bad-faith claims. Beyond litigation itself, Henry's practice also encompasses advising businesses on litigation risk and avoidance related to corporate mergers and acquisitions, as well as real estate transactions.

PROFESSIONAL BACKGROUND

Prior to joining the firm, Henry was an associate at a Seattle firm where he focused his practice on litigation. His background includes substantial trial and arbitration experience, as well as pretrial matters such as discovery, alternative dispute resolution, and motions practice. Henry has experience with class actions, insurance coverage disputes, real estate litigation, and partnership breakups. After graduating from law school with honors, Henry clerked for the Hon. Chief Judge Marlin Appelwick at the Washington State Court of Appeals.

Henry graduated from the University of Washington School of Law with honors, and served as managing editor of the Washington Law Review.

ACHIEVEMENTS

- Named to the Oregon Super Lawyers Rising Stars list, 2024-2026
- Named to the Washington Super Lawyers Rising Stars list, 2020-2023

EDUCATION

- J.D., University of Washington School of Law, 2016 (*With Honors; Managing Editor, Washington Law Review*)

- B.A., University of Oregon, 2012

ADMISSIONS

- Bar of Oregon
- Bar of Washington
- United States District Court for the District of Oregon
- United States District Court for the Eastern District of Washington
- United States District Court for the Western District of Washington

NEWS & EVENTS

- 16 December 2024, K&L Gates Secures US\$10.5 Million Jury Verdict for Innovative Solutions

AREAS OF FOCUS

- Commercial Disputes
- Appellate Litigation
- Insurance Recovery and Counseling

REPRESENTATIVE EXPERIENCE

- Represented a large food processor in a dispute with a national (US) chicken producer regarding the supply of chicken products adulterated with bones. Secured a US\$10.5 million jury verdict as well as US\$13.6 million judgment (total recovery US\$16.6 million).
- Obtained summary judgment dismissal and attorney fee award in Oregon state court on behalf of defendant in dispute arising out of real estate transaction.
- Obtained full insurance defense and indemnity coverage towards settlement of transportation-related tort claims in matter involving multiple potentially liable parties and principal-agent issues.