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Education

J.D. from University of North Texas

- Southwest Region's Black Law Students Association (Director of Corporate Relations)
- Admissions Fellow

B.A. from Roanoke College

Bar Admissions

Texas

Northern District of Texas

Related Practices

Labor & Employment
Employment Litigation
Litigation
Antitrust
Director & Officer Litigation
Employment Litigation
Financial Institution Litigation
Real Estate Litigation

Related Industries

Financial Services

Overview

lan's practice focuses on complex commercial litigation across both state and federal courts. He has experience handling cases involving breach of contract, breach of fiduciary duty, fraud, tortious interference, conspiracy, regulatory defense and corporate governance.

Prior to the practice of law, lan served as a consultant in the New York office of a corporate law firm, where he primarily handled business development and marketing strategy. He then received his Juris Doctor in 2019 from the University of North Texas at Dallas College of Law, and served as an Admissions Fellow for two years. He played an essential part in the law school's diversity initiative, and became a key ambassador for recruiting. He also served on the board of the Southwest Region's Black Law Students Association, where he served as the Director of Corporate Relations. In this role, he directed fundraising, community outreach and public advocacy for the organization.

Prior to joining Munsch Hardt, Ian worked as an associate in the Dallas office of the same law firm in which he worked as a consultant for nearly nine years.



Real Estate

Achievements

Cornell University - Marketing Strategy Certificate
New York University School of Professional Studies Public Relations Certificate
Kauffman Fellows - Venture Deals Certificate

Clerkships

The Honorable Eric Moyé, Dallas County Civil Court, 14th District (Judicial Intern)

Experience

Civil Discrimination Litigation

Secured a settlement in civil discrimination litigation against major U.S. airline in federal court representing a gate attendant as the lead associate; executed a negotiation strategy based on airline's current business standing.

Defamation + Business Disparagement

Represented a four-time Emmy award-winning journalist in federal court against a national public relations firm for defamation and business disparagement.

ADA Violation

Represented client against a prestigious private school for a violation of Title III of the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA).

Newsroom

Article: Litigators: The New Business Advisers

Article: Litigation Financing: The New Litigation Asset

Article: Three Things Litigation Must Do During COVID-19