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Brian Weinstock focuses his practice on real estate and corporate transactions, insurance defense, workers' compensation, and civil litigation. With an M.B.A. and business background, he advises companies on legal risk, financial analysis, and operational strategy. He also serves as general counsel to multiple businesses and represents clients in complex disputes, including insurance and real estate matters.

Brian is also a committed advocate for students with disabilities, representing families in education law matters involving IEPs, 504 Plans, and school discipline. His personal experience with special education drives his passion for this work. Known for his responsiveness and practical insight, Brian builds trusted relationships with both business clients and families navigating challenging legal issues.

Education

MBA, 2003

Washington University
John M. Olin Business School

J.D., *cum laude*, 1994

Michigan State University
School of Law

B.A., 1990

University of Kansas

Admissions

Missouri, Illinois, Colorado, U.S. District Court (Eastern Missouri), U.S. Supreme Court

Practice Areas

Business Advisory; Education Law; Insurance; Litigation; Real Estate; Workers' Compensation

Associations

The Missouri Bar; Illinois State Bar Association; Colorado Bar Association; Associated Industries of Missouri; Workers' Compensation Committee on Legislation; Missouri Venture Forum; Mortgage Bankers Association of St. Louis; National Society of Professional Insurance Investigators (NSPII)



Trusted Guidance. **TAILORED FOR YOU.**

Brian brings a rare blend of legal insight and business perspective to every client relationship. His background in both law and organizational strategy allows him to identify risks early, find efficient solutions, and help clients make decisions that move their operations forward. At Danna McKitrick, Brian's work enhances our collaborative model, giving clients access not only to his depth of experience, but to the shared strength of our full legal team.



"I've found that the best legal strategies start with listening. My role isn't just to know the law... it's to understand the people, the risks, and the goals that drive every decision."

— **Brian S. Weinstock**

30+ Years of Legal Expertise

For more than three decades, Brian has guided businesses, insurers, and individuals through complex legal challenges with practical insight and unwavering reliability.

Hundreds of Legal Matters Represented

From high-stakes litigation to day-to-day counsel, Brian has successfully resolved matters across a variety of practice areas, including real estate, insurance, and education law.

Powerful Advocacy

From IEP disputes to college accommodations, Brian's advocacy in educational law has changed the trajectory of lives, careers, and families.



Focused Legal Solutions for You

The following pages offer a deeper look at Brian's areas of focus, and how he helps clients move forward with confidence.

The choice of a lawyer is an important decision and should not be based solely upon advertisements.

Business ADVISORY

Business decisions come with legal implications, whether you're signing a contract, protecting your brand, managing employees, or planning for growth. Proactive legal guidance helps businesses operate with confidence, avoid costly mistakes, and seize new opportunities.

Business advisory services support companies at every stage, from formation to expansion. That includes navigating employment issues, protecting intellectual property, and resolving day-to-day legal concerns before they escalate.

With the right legal partner, you can stay focused on what matters most: running and growing with purpose. We help you make smart, strategic decisions that position your business for long-term success.





Business Structuring

Helping you select the best legal structure to support your goals and limit your risk.

Corporate Governance & Compliance

Supporting your business with sound governance practices and up-to-date compliance with state and federal laws.

Contracts & Agreements

Drafting, reviewing, and negotiating contracts that protect your interests and keep your business relationships running smoothly.

Employment Law Guidance

Advising on hiring, policies, compliance, and dispute prevention to support a productive and legally sound workplace.

Intellectual Property

Safeguarding your intellectual property, key personnel, and financial interests with smart, forward-thinking legal strategies.

Succession Planning

Structuring leadership transitions and exit strategies that protect your business and ensure long-term continuity.

Education LAW

Navigating special education systems can be overwhelming, especially when you're fighting for the resources your child needs to succeed. Parents often face confusing policies, delayed evaluations, and resistance from school districts, all while trying to ensure their child receives the right support.

We help families secure the educational accommodations their children are entitled to under federal and state law, whether through IEPs, 504 Plans, or school dispute resolution. Our attorneys bring a deep understanding of education law and a personal commitment to helping students with disabilities access the education they deserve.

When your child's future is on the line, you shouldn't have to face the system alone.





IEP & 504 Plan Advocacy

Helping families request evaluations, negotiate plans, and ensure schools provide legally required accommodations.

Special Education Disputes

Representing parents in conflicts with school districts over denied services, inappropriate plans, or unmet obligations.

Disciplinary & Behavioral Issues

Advising on functional behavioral assessments, disciplinary protections, and intervention plans that support student success.

Due Process Hearings

Providing legal representation during formal hearings to enforce educational rights and secure necessary services.

College Accommodations

Supporting students in higher education who need academic accommodations, accessibility tools, or fair treatment.

Personalized Legal Support

Offering steady guidance through a complex and emotional process, because every student, in every school, deserves a fair chance.

Insurance LAW

From claim disputes to regulatory scrutiny, the insurance industry faces legal challenges that demand sharp insight and steady defense.

Whether representing insurers, policyholders, or self-insured businesses, we provide strategic counsel to manage risk, resolve disputes, and defend claims across a wide range of issues.

Our team advises on coverage, litigates complex claims, and helps clients stay ahead of evolving regulations and industry risks. With deep experience across personal, commercial, and specialty lines, we deliver solutions that protect financial interests and strengthen long-term outcomes.

When risk becomes reality, Danna McKitrick is the legal partner insurers and businesses trust to stand with them.





Coverage Analysis & Claims Guidance

Interpreting policy language, advising on coverage obligations, and ensuring compliance with regulatory standards.

Claims Defense & Litigation

Defending insurers and policyholders in claims involving liability, property damage, professional negligence, and more.

Bad Faith & Extra-Contractual Claims

Mitigating exposure to bad faith allegations, extra-contractual liability, and complex claims handling disputes.

Regulatory Compliance

Advising on evolving insurance regulations to maintain compliance and avoid penalties.

Subrogation & Recovery

Pursuing recovery actions on behalf of insurers in property, casualty, and liability cases.

Risk Management

Helping insurers and businesses implement policies and practices that reduce liability and strengthen claims handling.

Fearless LITIGATION

Litigation is never easy, but when it's necessary, you want a legal team that's unflinching, strategic, and relentless in your defense. At Danna McKitrick, we don't just react to conflict; we prepare for it, plan around it, and push through it with purpose.

Our litigators are bold advocates in the courtroom and sharp negotiators outside of it, building custom strategies to protect what matters most. Whether it's a business dispute, employment claim, real estate issue, or contested estate, we fight to resolve cases efficiently and decisively, with your goals at the center.

From trial to settlement and every step in between, Danna McKitrick brings tireless, comprehensive advocacy to your side of the table.





Business & Commercial Disputes

Resolving contract, partnership, and fiduciary conflicts with strategic legal insight and trial-ready advocacy.

Employment Litigation

Defending employers in discrimination, retaliation, wage, and non-compete claims with compliance-minded strategies.

Real Estate Litigation

Protecting property rights in disputes involving land use, zoning, leases, construction, and boundary claims.

Insurance Litigation

Representing insurers and businesses in coverage disputes, bad faith claims, and regulatory compliance matters.

Alternative Dispute Resolution

Pursuing resolution through mediation and arbitration when it aligns with your goals, without backing down from trial if needed.

Real ESTATE

Real estate transactions carry enormous financial weight: one misstep can mean delays, disputes, or lost investments.

From commercial development and financing to leasing, zoning, and ownership conflicts, each stage demands strategic legal guidance, insight and proactive problem-solving.

Our attorneys represent investors, developers, lenders, and associations with practical counsel that anticipates challenges and protects what you've built. Whether structuring a complex deal or resolving a heated dispute, we move projects forward with clarity, efficiency, and purpose.

Your property is more than a transaction. We're here to help you protect it at every turn.





Transactions & Closings

Guiding property acquisitions, sales, leases, and financing with focused, start-to-finish legal support.

Real Estate Litigation

Resolving title, boundary, contract, and lease disputes through negotiation, litigation, or arbitration.

Development & Zoning

Helping clients navigate land use laws, zoning approvals, and regulatory compliance to move projects forward.

Section 1031 Exchanges

Structuring tax-deferred exchanges that align with business goals and maximize reinvestment opportunities.

Community Associations

Advising condominium and homeowner associations on governance, enforcement, and fiduciary responsibilities.

Tax Appeals & Assessments

Challenging unfair property tax valuations to ensure accurate assessments and protect financial interests.

Worker's Compensation **DEFENSE**

Workers' compensation claims can escalate into costly, time-consuming challenges, especially when litigation, fraud, or compliance issues arise. For employers, insurers, and third-party administrators, a strong legal defense is essential to protecting your operations.

We represent businesses, insurers, and TPAs across Missouri and Illinois, providing aggressive defense, smart compliance guidance, and tailored risk management strategies. Whether handling a dispute, managing an appeal, or preventing future claims, our team works to reduce exposure and protect what you've built.

When claims arise, we move quickly, with strategy, experience, and your business goals in mind.





Claim Dispute Defense

Defending employers and insurers in fraudulent, exaggerated, or high-risk claims to control liability and protect financial interests.

Employment Litigation

Representing clients at every level of the workers' compensation process, from administrative hearings to appeals.

Compliance & Risk Strategy

Advising on state and federal regulations, safety standards, and internal policies to reduce claims and avoid penalties.

Third-Party Administrator Support

Guiding TPAs through hearings, disputes, and settlements to streamline claims processing and cost control.

Self-Insured Employer Counsel

Providing legal support for claim management, defense, and strategic risk reduction tailored to self-insured businesses.

Fraud & Misconduct Investigations

Investigating suspected fraud and advising clients on how to respond decisively and within the law.

About **DANNA MCKITRICK**

Since our founding, we've built a reputation for delivering strategic, comprehensive legal counsel across a wide range of practice areas. Our attorneys combine deep experience with forward-thinking insight to support businesses, individuals, and organizations navigating today's complex legal environment.

We bring the depth of a larger law firm with the responsiveness and personal attention that set us apart. Clients trust us to offer not just legal answers, but sound strategies, practical solutions, and steady guidance in high-stakes moments.

For more than 25 years, we've helped clients meet challenges, seize opportunities, and protect what matters most.





We're trusted across industries for legal insights that protect, defend, and empower. Our full list of practice areas includes:

Business & Corporate Law

- Banks & Financial Institutions
- Bankruptcy & Creditors' Rights
- Business Advisory
- Cybersecurity & Data Protection
- Employment Law
- Franchise Law
- Health Care Law
- Insurance Law
- Intellectual Property
- Real Estate
- Tax & Accounting
- Workers' Compensation

Life & Legacy Planning

- Education Law
- Estate Planning
- Guardianships & Conservatorships
- Probate

Litigation & Dispute Resolution

- Alternative Dispute Resolution
- Litigation
- Professional Liability Defense
- Public Pensions & Government Litigation

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Exceptional Results.



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