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education

Louisiana State University Paul M. Hebert
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Louisiana State University (B.S.,
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admissions

Louisiana

U.S. District Court for the Eastern District of
Louisiana

U.S. District Court for the Middle District of
Louisiana

U.S. District Court for the Western District of
Louisiana

U.S. Court of Appeals for the Fifth Circuit

affiliations

- Federal Bar Association
- Louisiana State Bar Association
- Baton Rouge Bar Association (2018
and 2019 Chair, Construction Section)

I played a lot of sports growing up, and I've always enjoyed the competitive atmosphere that comes with being a litigator. Likewise, I like to win, so I advocate fiercely on behalf of my clients' interests. At the same time, I believe it is equally important to counsel my clients on all the risks attendant to litigation, earning their trust in order to craft the optimal outcome for each client's specific circumstances.

Brad Barback has diverse experience representing clients on both sides of the courtroom in a wide array of commercial litigation matters in state, federal, and appellate courts, including jury trial experience. In his construction practice, Brad represents owners, contractors, design professionals, insurers, and other industry stakeholders on everything from contracting to workforce and jobsite matters to post-project completion litigation. A true partner to his clients, he advises on current litigation and gives ongoing practical advice aimed at avoiding litigation in the future. In business and commercial litigation, Brad handles disputes among businesses and professionals, including litigation

involving financial and real estate transactions, breaches of professional duties, and insurance coverage issues.

Brad's career has spanned the gamut of litigation including construction, products liability, medical malpractice, and personal injury, as well as some corporate, transactional, and tax law. His prior experience as a plaintiff's attorney affords him a unique perspective into the goals and pressure points of his opposing counsel. From that work, Brad prides himself on truly earning a client's trust and counseling them through every step of legal proceedings, always keeping the client's goals and interests at the fore.

Brad's clients appreciate that he is always accessible. He approaches each scenario with a straight-shooting honesty that clients value, regardless of implication. Always protective of his client's best interest, Brad prioritizes honest communication and managing client expectations throughout the process. His proudest legal accomplishments have come from being presented with a unique legal issue, crafting a novel case, and obtaining the desired result on the client's behalf.

relevant experience

- Defended architect in federal jury trial in Eastern District of Louisiana against contractor seeking millions of dollars in damages; resulted in defense verdict in the client's favor.
- Defended professional land surveyor against putative class action suit arising out of development of a subdivision.
- Defended public entity against wrongful death and survival claims.
- Defended financial institution in suit arising out of sale of condominium involving redhibition and New Home Warranty Act claims.