



## Michael Kemp

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Michael Kemp comes to Hansen Dordell with seven years of litigation experience as a solo practitioner. After graduating from law school, Michael opened a litigation practice in St. Paul, and got his feet wet immediately trying cases ranging from simple DWI cases to major felonies, and from small claims to claims involving multi-million dollar projects. Michael built a successful practice by providing good client service and proven results for his clients.

Michael is a veteran of the United States Army where he was stationed in Italy for four years with the 173d Airborne Brigade. He brings a unique blend of hard work, paratrooper tenacity, and legal knowledge to bear when solving his clients' legal problems.

When not at work, Michael can usually be found at the parks with his dog, Karma, playing a rousing game of pub trivia, or at home working towards his life-long goal of watching every one of the seven thousand (and rising) episodes of Jeopardy!

### Education

- Juris Doctorate Degree (J.D.), magna cum laude, University of St. Thomas School of Law
  - Senior Editor, Thomas Journal of Law and Public Policy
  - Recipient, President's Scholarship
  - Dean's List, Dean's Award in Constitutional Law, Property Law, Lawyering Skills
  - Best Oralist Award, Jessup Moot Court Competition
  - Regional Semifinalist, American Association of Justice Trial Advocacy Competition
- Bachelor of Arts Degree, English and Journalism, Loras College (2000)
- 173d Airborne Brigade, Vicenza, Italy (2001–2004)

### Bar Admissions

- Minnesota
- Federal Court for the District of Minnesota
- Eighth Circuit Court of Appeals

## Areas of Practice

- Business Litigation
- Criminal Defense
- Medical Malpractice
- Real Estate Litigation
- Workers' Compensation

## Professional Affiliations

- American Bar Association
- Minnesota State Bar Association
- Ramsey County Bar Association

## Awards

- University of St. Thomas "Living the Mission" Award (2012)

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