



### **Practice Areas:**

Bankruptcy

**Business Litigation** 

Consumer Financial Litigation &

Compliance

Creditors' Rights

Financial Institutions

Insurance

Professional Liability

Real Estate

### **Education:**

Southern Methodist University Dedman School of Law, JD (2021)

- Articles Editor, International Law Review
- Dean's Scholarship Recipient

## **Admitted to Practice:**

Texas, 2021

US District Courts for Northern and Eastern District

# **Dean Smith**

## **Practice Description**

Dean focuses his practice on commercial litigation, banking and financial services litigation, and bankruptcy litigation. He represents state and nationally chartered banks, nonbank lenders, loan servicers, and buyers of distressed assets.

Dean also regularly represents clients in construction litigation, along with disputes involving professional liability, business torts, and trade secrets matters.

### Awards & Honors

2025 Best Lawyers: Ones to Watch in America, Commercial Litigation