



E. Mitchell Griffith Member

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# Super Lawyers Listed in South Carolina Super Lawyers 2011 - 2018



Mitch Griffith has been a leader in the South Carolina legal community since 1992, when he and Nancy Sadler formed the firm of Griffith and Sadler, P.A., a predecessor to the current Griffith, Freeman & Liipfert, LLC.

Mr. Griffith has an active trial practice and has tried cases in all counties within the Fourteenth Judicial Circuit, as well as other counties in the state courts of South Carolina and the U.S. District Court for South Carolina. He has argued appellate cases before the South Carolina Court of Appeals and the South Carolina Supreme Court.

He is active in the state and local bar associations, and served as president of the Beaufort Bar Association from 1997 to 1999.

Mr. Griffith is a Certified Mediator in accordance with the South Carolina Supreme Court's Board of Arbitrator and Mediator Certification. His mediation practice extends to Allendale, Bamberg, Barnwell, Beaufort, Charleston, Colleton, Hampton, and Jasper counties. He has been certified since 2004.

Following law school, he worked as a judicial clerk for the Honorable Luke N. Brown, Jr., resident judge for the Fourteenth Judicial Circuit, before entering private practice in 1985.

### Associations

Defense Research Institute (DRI) American Board of Trial Advocates (ABOTA) International Association of Defense Counsel (IADC) Listed in Super Lawyers, 2011-2018 South Carolina Defense Trial Attorneys' Association -- Executive Committee, 2004-2014 South Carolina Bar Trial and Appellate Advocacy Section -- Chair, 2002-2003 Beaufort County Bar Association, President 1997-1999

#### **Practice Areas**

Alternative dispute resolution Automobile liability Construction Insurance coverage issues Premises liability Products liability

## Education

J.D., University of South Carolina School of Law, 1983 B.A., Accounting, *cum laude*, Wofford College, 1980

## Admissions

South Carolina, 1983 U.S. District Court, South Carolina, 1985 U.S. Court of Appeals, Fourth District, 1985