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Counsel

William DeVan is a member of Howrey's Construction practice. Mr. DeVan's experience includes representation of owners, general contractors, and subcontractors, in claims relating to defects, delays, liens, payment and performance bonds, together with review and drafting of construction contracts. He also represents clients in government contracts disputes at the state and federal level, including False Claims Act and bid protest matters. Mr. DeVan also has experience advising clients with regard to general commercial litigation and arbitration matters in connection with transnational claims.

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Queen Mary University of London
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William & Mary School of Law
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College of William & Mary (AB,
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PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

- Member, ABA Alternative Dispute Resolution Section
- Member, ABA Construction Law Forum
- Member, ABA International Law Section
- Delegate, Institute of Risk Management Construction Insurance Conference
- Member, Virginia Association of Defense Attorneys
- Member, Virginia State Bar Association
- Governor and Member, Virginia State Bar Association

PUBLICATIONS & SPEAKING ENGAGEMENTS

ARTICLES

"Court Decisions Prompt Sureties to Require Modifications to A312 Payment Bonds." *www.ConstructionWebLinks.com* (February 2008).

"Document Management: High Tech v. Low Tech." *Construct!* (Winter 2005).

"The Impact of Homeland Security on the Construction Industry." *www.ConstructionWebLinks.com* (June 2003).

"Recent Developments in Construction Law." *Virginia State Bar Annual Construction Law and Public Contracts Seminar* (2000).

"Domesticating Foreign Country Judgments and Arbitral Awards in Virginia." *Int'l Practice News* Vol. 14, No. 4 (Spring 1996).

"Toward a New Standard in Gender Discrimination: The Case of Virginia Military Institute." *William & Mary L. Rev.* Vol. 33, No. 489 (1992).

SPEECHES

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