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Matt Walker practices Workers' Compensation law and serves national and regional clients who have a Georgia presence. He has worked with both public and private companies and gained valuable experience litigating cases for clients in the automotive industry, health care, telecommunications, food & beverage, manufacturing, and trucking & transportation arenas.

Matt has taken and defended hundreds of depositions including those of expert witnesses such as physicians and vocational experts. He has developed proficiency in managing complex and high exposure workers' compensation claims involving technical and sometimes obscure medical issues.

In 2012, Matt, along with two colleagues from the firm, drafted an Amicus Brief to the Supreme Court of Georgia on behalf of the Georgia Self-Insurer's Association, Georgia Manufacturer's Association and the Georgia Poultry Federation in the case of *McRae v. Arby's*. In addition, he is a contributing editor to the Georgia Self Insurers Association, Workers' Compensation Desk Manual, Eighth Edition.

## Related Insights

- "Ex Parte" Communications With Doctors In Workers' Compensation Cases: The Supreme Court Of Georgia Stops The Madness In *Arby's V. Mcrae*, January 1, 2013, Journal
- Are You Confused Yet? The State Of Idiopathic Injuries After *Harris And Ward*, January 2, 2012, Journal
- *United Grocery Outlet V. Bennett*: Clarifying The "Change In Condition" Statute Of Limitations, November 5, 2008, Journal

## EDUCATION

**Georgia State University, College of Law** (JD, 2006)

**University of Virginia** (BA, 1997)

## ADMISSIONS

### Bar Admissions

Georgia

### Court Admissions

U.S. District Court Northern District  
Georgia

Court of Appeals Georgia

Georgia Supreme Court

## RELATED PRACTICE AREAS

Workers' Compensation

## MEMBERSHIPS

State Bar of Georgia

Georgia Defense Lawyers Association

American Bar Association: Tort Trial and  
Insurance Practice Section

Commercial Transportation Litigation  
Committee

Transportation Lawyers Association (TLA)

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Atlanta Bar Association

- Axson Timber Co. V. Wilson: Clarifying The Scope Of The “Premises” Requirement In Statutory Employer Claims, November 1, 2007, Journal