



## Robert L. Burns

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Robert Burns focuses his practice on corporate and commercial litigation in Delaware's state and federal courts, including the Court of Chancery and the Delaware Supreme Court. Representing Delaware corporations, LLCs, limited partnerships, and their officers, directors, and managers, he has litigated numerous corporate control, corporate governance, and fiduciary duty matters, as well appraisal actions and contractual disputes.

### Publications

- "Chancery Court Decides First Action Under New Section 205," *Delaware Business Court Insider*, May 7, 2014
- "Fiduciary Duties and LLCs: Like Oil or Like Water?," *ABA Business Law Section Newsletter*, December 2012

### Awards

- The Delaware National Guard's Delaware Distinguished Service Medal, 2014

### Leadership

- American Bar Association
- Delaware State Bar Association

### Education

- J.D., University of Virginia School of Law, articles editor, *Virginia Journal of International Law*, 2009
- B.A., James Madison University, Pi Sigma Alpha, 2003

### Admitted to Practice

- Delaware, 2009
- United States District Court, District of Delaware, 2010

**Pro Bono Activities**

- Guardian *ad Litem*, Delaware's Office of the Child Advocate
- Protection from Abuse Team, Delaware Volunteer Legal Services

**Practices**

- Chancery / Corporate Litigation