



Vonda W. Chappell
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Vonda is the managing director of the firm's Chesapeake office. Her practice focuses on trust & estate planning, commercial transactions including structuring corporations, limited liability companies, and partnerships. She also assists clients in residential and commercial real estate transactions.

PRACTICE AREAS

- Private Client Services
- Commercial
- Alcoholic Beverage Team

REPRESENTATIVE MATTERS

- Represented numerous clients in recommending and implementing estate plans to provide for their individual needs and desires
- Administered numerous estates, trusts and guardianships from the qualification process to closing of the estate, trust or guardianship matter
- Serves as counsel to Hampton Roads Security Corporation in its registration, development and organization
- Represented sellers of assisted living facilities in the Hampton Roads area in sales of the same and structured seller financing to achieve maximum returns and protection to clients
- Represented seller of a large specialized furniture manufacturing and distribution company with the sale of its local operations and distribution warehouse facility
- Serves as counsel to Chesapeake Montessori School, Inc. in its acquisition and construction of its new school site located in Chesapeake, Virginia

RECOGNITION AND HONORS

- Women in Business Achievement Award; *Inside Business*, 2019
- *Regent University Law Review*; Editor, 1993–1995
- Best Lawyers in America, 2020

ASSOCIATIONS

- Chesapeake Bar Association
- Virginia State Bar
- Norfolk-Portsmouth Bar Association
- Hampton Roads Estate Planning Council
- TowneBank; Chesapeake Board of Directors

EDUCATION

- Old Dominion University; B.S., *summa cum laude*, 1992
- Regent University School of Law; J.D., 1995

PRESS AND PUBLICATION

- Vonda W. Chappell Receives 2019 Women in Business Achievement Award
- 45 Kaufman & Canoles Attorneys Named Best Lawyers in America 2020 and 3 Named Lawyers of the Year
- Private Client Services Update - Long Term Care Insurance... Is it Here for the Long Haul?
- Private Client Services Update - Protecting Your Most Precious Assets...Your Children
- Private Client Services Update - Keeping Them Honest - Curbing Abuse by Agents Appointed in Powers of Attorney
- Private Client Services Update - Incapacitated Without a Power of Attorney . . . Where Do We Go From Here?
- Kaufman & Canoles Announces New Partners