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PRACTICE AREAS

- Architect and Engineering Liability
- Business Litigation
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- Labor, Employment & Deliberate
 Intent Litigation
- Medical Malpractice
- Professional Liability
- State, Municipal & Public Utility Litigation



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J. Robert Russell joined Shuman McCuskey Slicer PLLC in 2008 as Counsel and focuses his practice entirely on litigation at both the trial and appellate levels. He has over 14 years of experience defending municipalities and governmental entities, private corporations and individuals in employment discrimination, civil rights, land use and zoning regulation, professional negligence, and medical malpractice litigation. He has tried numerous cases to verdict, including the defense of a university and faculty member in an employment discrimination and civil rights claim in the United States District Court for the Northern District of West Virginia, later defending the verdict on appeal before the United States Court of Appeals for the Fourth Circuit. He has frequently appeared before the West Virginia Supreme Court of Appeals and the United States Court of Appeals for the Fourth Circuit.

BAR ADMISSIONS

- West Virginia, 1972
- U.S. District Court, Southern District of West Virginia, 1998
- Northern District of West Virginia, 1998
- U.S. Court of Appeals for the 4th Circuit, 2000

EDUCATION

- J.D., West Virginia University College of Law
 - o Honors: Executive Editor, West Virginia Law Review
 - Honors: Order of the Coif
- B.S., James Madison University

PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS & MEMBERSHIPS

- Defense Trial Counsel of West Virginia
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