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Chad is in the law firm's Ridgeland, Mississippi office. He is a trial attorney who defends product liability mass torts, Attorney General enforcement actions, toxic tort exposure cases, medical malpractice and professional liability litigation. Chad's defense work for the pharmaceutical and medical device industry is national in scope, including current representation of a client in one of the largest medical device mass torts in recent history.

Having started his career defending nurses home, Chad is now a member of product liability trial teams extending from multi-district litigation and various state courts all over the country. He focuses his practice on preparing and defending corporate 30(b)(6) witnesses and expert witnesses in the fields of polymer science, epidemiology, toxicology, industry standards, and regulatory affairs. He has successfully argued and deflected numerous Daubert motions and tried cases to verdict, two of which resulted in defense verdicts within the last year.

Chad majored in accounting and received his BA from Ole Miss in 1995 cum laude. He received a Masters of Taxation in 1996, cum laude. Chad then received his law degree from Mississippi College School of Law in 2001 cum laude. Prior to his legal career, Chad worked as a CPA with an international accounting firm.

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