



## TYLER S. GRADEN

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#### FOCUS AREAS

Arbitration  
 Consumer Protection  
 Data Privacy & Cyber Security  
 Banking & Financial Services  
 Antitrust

#### EDUCATION

The American University  
 B.A. 2000, *cum laude*  
 Temple University Beasley School of Law  
 J.D. 2007, *cum laude*

#### ADMISSIONS

Pennsylvania  
 New Jersey  
 USDC, Eastern District of Pennsylvania  
 USDC, Western District of Pennsylvania  
 USDC, District of New Jersey  
 USDC, District of Colorado  
 USDC, Eastern District of Michigan  
 USDC, Northern District of Texas

Tyler S. Graden, a Partner of the Firm, concentrates his practice in the area of consumer protection and unlawful business practice litigation, representing individuals, retirement plan beneficiaries, businesses and government entities as plaintiffs in class actions and arbitrations. Prior to joining the Firm, Tyler worked at a boutique defense litigation firm in Philadelphia and as an investigator with the Chicago District Office of the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission.

Examples of cases Tyler has litigated include: *Buffalo Laborers Security Fund v. J.P. Jeanneret Associates, Inc.* (S.D.N.Y.) (settlement in fiduciary breach class action involving Madoff investments: \$219 million); *AFTRA Retirement Fund v. JPMorgan Chase Bank, NA.* (S.D.N.Y.) (settlement in fiduciary breach securities lending class action: \$150 million); *Transatlantic Holdings v. AIG* (American Arbitration Association) (arbitration award in fiduciary breach securities lending action: \$75 million); *In re: Volkswagen Timing Chain Product Liability Litigation* (D.N.J.) (settlement in automotive defect class action); *Seelingson v. Devon Energy Production Co.* (N.D. Tex.) (settlement in oil & gas royalty calculation class action: \$28 million); *Montoya v. PNC Bank, N.A.* (S.D. Fla.) (settlement in force-placed insurance class action: \$32.3 million); *Burroughs v. PHH Mortgage Co.* (D.N.J.) (settlement in force-placed insurance class action: \$18 million); and *U.S. ex rel. Simpson v. Bayer Corp.* (D.N.J.) (settlement in whistleblower qui tam action: \$40 million).

#### News

- January 3, 2024 - Kessler Topaz is Proud to Announce the

USCA, Second Circuit

USCA, Third Circuit

USCA, Fourth Circuit

USCA, Fifth Circuit

USCA, Ninth Circuit

USCA, Eleventh Circuit

United States Supreme Court

Judicial Panel on Multidistrict Litigation

Election of Our Newest Partner, Tyler S. Graden

### **Awards/Rankings**

- Pennsylvania “Super Lawyers” Rising Star 2013-2017