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For more than 25 years, Charlie's practice has focused on complex commercial insurance and reinsurance issues. He provides a full range of litigation, arbitration, regulatory and counseling services. His clients include insurers, reinsurers, reinsurance intermediaries, insurance brokers, captive managers and reinsurance pool managers. He counsels non-insurer corporate clients regarding risk management issues, including insurance placement, claims issues and self-insurance.

Charlie currently serves on the board of directors of CM Regent Insurance Company.

REPRESENTATIVE MATTERS

- Representation of Bermuda-based reinsurer in litigation regarding the application of facultative reinsurance to a large property loss that also involved excess of loss cover
- Review and drafting of reinsurance contracts for captive insurance of healthcare companies
- Claims and litigation advice regarding health and accident reinsurance of 9/11-related claims for an intermediary and its clients
- Outsourced general counsel representation of small- to medium-sized brokers and reinsurance intermediaries, including contract review, vendor negotiation and employment issues
- Representation of a major property insurer in the successful defense of a proposed class action involving general contractor overhead and profit through Pennsylvania state trial and appeals courts

BAR ADMISSIONS

- District of Columbia
- Maryland
- Pennsylvania
- U.S. Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia Circuit
- U.S. Court of Appeals for the Third Circuit
- U.S. District Court for the Eastern District of Pennsylvania
- U.S. District Court for the Western District of Pennsylvania
- U.S. District Court for the District of Columbia

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EDUCATION

University of North Carolina School
of Law, J.D., 1988

University of Pennsylvania, B.A.,
1985

SERVICES

Reinsurance Litigation & Arbitration

Litigation

- Insurance Litigation

Education

- U.S. District Court for the District of Maryland

PRESENTATIONS

- “The Downfall of the Bellefonte Rule?,” Association of Insurance and Reinsurance Run Off Companies (AIRROC), July 16, 2020
- “Contribution Claims: Relationship Between Allocation and Rights of Contribution in Various Jurisdictions and Obstacles to the Assertion of Contribution Claims,” American Conference Institute's 3rd National Insurance Allocation Conference, June 23 - June 24, 2016
- “The Emergence of Big Data in the Cyber & Data Risk Insurance Context: Aggregating Data, Data Analytics and Data Mining,” American Conference Institute Annual Forum on Cyber & Data Risk Insurance, October 2013
- “Legal Liability and Risk Management for Asset Managers,” Financial Institutions Forum, Dec. 6, 2012
- “Accident and Health Run Off Market Update,” AIRROC Membership Meeting, July 14, 2011

PUBLICATIONS

- “Does a three-year policy cover a 44-year claim?” *ARIAS-U.S. Quarterly*, 4th Quarter 2020
- “*The Insurance Company of the State of Pennsylvania v. Equitas Insurance Limited*, No. 17-CV-6850-LTS-SLC (S.D.N.Y. July 16, 2020),” *ARIAS-U.S. Law Committee Case Summary*, Sept. 25, 2020
- “Insurance for FCPA investigations,” *Bloomberg Law Reports*, Feb. 28, 2012
- “Insurance limited for insider trading defense,” *Bloomberg Law Reports - Corporate Counsel*, July 11, 2011

PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS

- ARIAS-U.S., Law Committee

HONORS | AWARDS

- *The Legal 500 United States*, Insurance (Recommended Attorney)

COMMUNITY

- Archdiocese of Philadelphia, Insurance Committee, Vice Chair
- Leadership Inc.
- Malvern League and Paoli Wildcats
- Georgetown Preparatory School Alumni Board of Governors, former Member