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PROFILE

Kyle Steadman is the practice group chair of Foulston's litigation practice group in the firm's Wichita office. With more than 25 years' experience as a trial lawyer, Kyle has managed a broad range of commercial and complex cases throughout his career. He represents clients in product liability cases, construction cases, annexation disputes, business disputes, professional liability cases, insurance defense cases, oil and gas litigation, and probate litigation. Kyle is routinely retained to serve as a mediator in civil cases ranging from personal injury, medical malpractice, product liability, and complex commercial matters.

Kyle is listed in *Chambers USA* as a leading lawyer in the areas of general commercial litigation and mediation in the United States. He was recognized by Best Lawyers[®] as the 2020 and 2025 Wichita Personal Injury Litigation – Defendants "Lawyer of the Year," and the 2026 Wichita Mediation "Lawyer of the Year." He has been selected by his peers for inclusion in *The Best Lawyers in America*[®] and the *Missouri & Kansas Super Lawyers*[®] *Rising Stars* list. He enjoys Martindale-Hubbell Law Directory's highest "AV" rating for lawyers reflecting exemplary professional expertise, experience, and stature.

Outside the office, Kyle and his wife, Shelly enjoy entertaining family and friends, cooking and making pizzas in their outdoor wood-fired oven.

Education

- Washburn University (J.D., 1995)
 Washburn Law Journal, Comments Editor
- Washburn University (BA in Political Science, cum laude, 1991)

Admissions

- Kansas (1995)
- U.S. District Court for the District of Kansas (1995)
- U.S. Court of Appeals for the Tenth Circuit (2006)
- Prairie Band Potawatomi Nation Tribal Court



PRACTICE AREAS

- Litigation & Disputes
- Professional Malpractice
- Product Liability
- Insurance Defense Litigation
- Mediation/Dispute Resolution
- Long-Term Care
- · Oil, Gas & Minerals
- Construction

INDUSTRIES

- Insurance
- Construction

COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

- Mulvane Chamber of Commerce, 2008-present
- Mulvane Community Foundation, 2017-present
- Optimist Club, 1991-present
- Villa Maria, Inc., Board of Directors, 2008-2019
- ASC Health, Board Member, 2010-2017
- Sumner County Economic Development Commission, Past Director for the City of Mulvane
- Mulvane High School Site Council, 2002-2005
- Church Youth Advisor, 2002-2005
- MS Foundation Wheels Are Turnin' Trans Continental Bicycle Trip National Media Director, 1989

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS, AFFILIATIONS, AND HONORS

- Identified by Chambers USA as a leading lawyer in the United States in the area of Litigation: Mediators, 2023-2025; and Litigation: General Commercial, 2025
- Recognized by Best Lawyers® as the 2020 and 2025 Wichita Personal Injury Litigation Defendants
 "Lawyer of the Year," and the 2026 Wichita Mediation "Lawyer of the Year"
- Selected by peers for inclusion in *The Best Lawyers in America®* in the areas of Insurance Law,
 Medical Malpractice Law Defendants, Personal Injury Litigation Defendants, 2008-2026, Litigation Insurance, 2021-2026; Commercial Litigation, 2023-2026; and Mediation, 2024-2026

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ATTORNEYS AT LAW

- Selected for inclusion in Missouri & Kansas Super Lawyers® List, 2015-2025
- Selected for inclusion in Missouri & Kansas Super Lawyers® Rising Stars List, 2008-2014
- Named a "Litigation Star" in the area of Dispute Resolution by Benchmark Litigation, 2021-2026
- Named a "Future Star" in the area of Dispute Resolution by Benchmark Litigation, 2015-2016 and 2018-2020
- Kansas Bar Association
- Wichita Bar Association, Mentoring Committee Chair
- Kansas Association of Defense Counsel, Board of Directors; Kansas Defense Journal, Editor
- Defense Research Institute
- GGI Global Alliance AG, Firm Representative, 2016-present

RECENT PRESENTATIONS

2022

• What To Do After an Adverse Event (Client Presentation)

2018

Effective Mediation Strategies (Foulston Siefkin LLP, Corporate Counsel Series: Litigation 2018)

ISSUE ALERTS

2019

• Kansas Supreme Court Ruling Uncaps Damages for "Pain and Suffering"