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Antoine Smith defends lawyers and accountants against professional malpractice and errors and omissions (E&O) claims and handles complex business disputes. With an LL.M in Tax, he is well equipped to represent clients in various tax-related disputes with the IRS. He enjoys working with the tax code and the mathematical elements at play with tax-specific issues. Antoine also represents clients in regulatory and licensure matters before various Boards and agencies. He is sharp in asking the right questions, analyzing problems, and catching potential errors in filings and pleadings.

Prior to joining Bullivant, Antoine was a law clerk in the Cyber Crimes Division of Washington D.C.'s U.S. Attorney's Office and a judicial intern with Judge Theresa Fricke in the Western District of Washington United States District Court. Before law school, Antoine served in the military as a naval intelligence officer supporting VAQ-142 and Carrier Strike Group 11. His military experience instilled an exceptional work ethic and attention to detail. He also developed strong research, briefing, and public speaking skills that he leverages now when serving clients.

### **PRACTICE AREAS**

Commercial Litigation  
D&O Liability  
Personal & Catastrophic Injury Litigation  
Professional Liability

### **EDUCATION**

- Georgetown University Law Center – J. D., 2020
- Georgetown University Law Center – LL.M. in Tax, 2021
- University of Arizona – B.A. in Spanish, Minor in Japanese, 2008

### **BAR ADMISSIONS**

- Washington, 2021

### **COURT ADMISSIONS**

- U.S. District Court, Western District of Washington, 2019
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