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Mr. Fricke focuses his practice on commercial real estate finance and development including retail developments, leveraged leasing, utility projects, biotechnology facilities, medical office buildings, manufacturing facilities, and tax-exempt public finance projects.

Prior to joining the firm, Mr. Fricke was a partner in the Raleigh office of a North Carolina law firm where he focused his practice primarily on commercial lending and real estate. Previously, Mr. Fricke was partner in the Raleigh office of an international law firm.

Mr. Fricke is listed in the 2015 and 2019 editions of *Chambers USA: America's Leading Lawyers for Business* for Real Estate Law. He was recognized in *The Best Lawyers in America*® for Real Estate Law in 2020 and the nine years immediately preceding. Mr. Fricke was named a North Carolina "Super Lawyer" in the area of Real Estate by *Super Lawyers* magazine in 2017 and each of the five years immediately preceding. He was recognized as a "Legal Elite" in 2009, 2010 and 2011 and again in 2013 and 2015 by *Business North Carolina* magazine in the area of Real Estate Law. Mr. Fricke was also recognized as a Triangle area "Mover & Shaker" in 2009 and 2010 and a "Law Impact Leader" in 2009 by *Business Leader* magazine. He is AV® rated by Martindale-Hubbell.*

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Education



Wake Forest University School of Law, J.D. (1986)

University of Vermont, B.A. (1983)

Admissions

North Carolina (1986)

Court Admissions

U.S. Supreme Court

Professional & Community Activities

ULI Triangle Advisory Board, Member (2014-Present)

Triangle Area Red Cross, Board of Directors, Member (2015-Present)

North Carolina Bar Association, Member

Wake County Bar Association, Member

American Bar Association, Member

Wake Forest University, Law Board of Visitors, Member (2008-2011)

Meredith College, Adjunct Faculty, Member (1992-1994)

Insights

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Record-Breaking Recognition for Kilpatrick Townsend in *The Best Lawyers in America*® 2020
August 15, 2019

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Kilpatrick Townsend Achieves Top-Tier Recognition from Chambers USA 2019
May 2, 2019

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Record-Breaking Recognition for Kilpatrick Townsend in *The Best Lawyers in America*® 2019
August 20, 2018

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Record-Breaking Recognition for Kilpatrick Townsend in *The Best Lawyers in America*® 2018
August 15, 2017



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KT Client Success: Kilpatrick Townsend Counsels Dilweg Companies in Multiple Acquisitions

July 25, 2017

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Kilpatrick Townsend Attorneys Named 2017 North Carolina Super Lawyers

January 30, 2017

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Kilpatrick Townsend Earns Record-Breaking Recognition in Annual Best Lawyers in America 2017

August 16, 2016

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Kilpatrick Townsend's Media Report March 24 - April 14, 2016

April 15, 2016

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Kilpatrick Townsend Expands Real Estate Investment and Development Team in Raleigh

March 28, 2016