



## KEVIN T. MALONEY ASSOCIATE

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### Practice Areas

- Appellate Work
- Arbitration
- Automobile Accident Defense
- Commercial Lines (Premises Liability)
- Construction Defect Litigation
- Fire and Explosion Litigation
- Mediation
- Personal Lines (Premises Liability)
- Railroads, Warehouse, and Freight Broker Liability
- Retail and Restaurant (Premises Liability)
- Transportation Defense
- UM/UIM
- Wrongful Death Defense

Kevin Maloney joined the firm's Chicago office with a broad range of civil defense litigation experience, representing clients from early case assessment through resolution. His practice includes alternative dispute resolution, motion practice, discovery, depositions, trial preparation, and appellate work.

He has handled matters involving auto and transportation claims, premises liability, construction defects, and complex fire and explosion losses. In addition to litigating cases throughout all phases of litigation, he has successfully represented clients in mediation and other alternative dispute forums, working strategically to resolve matters efficiently and effectively.

Kevin also has experience representing retail and restaurant establishments, transportation carriers, as well as clients in heavily regulated industries. Committed to responsive client service and practical legal strategy, Kevin works closely with insurers, adjusters, and corporate representatives to develop proactive defense plans.

### Memberships

- Chicago Bar Association
- Cook County Bar Association
- Criminal Law Society, Member (2017-2019)
- Illinois State Bar Association
- Women's Law Society, Member (2017-2020)

## **Trial and Case Highlights**

- A jury defense verdict in a case where Plaintiff claimed the client merged into him on the highway, claiming soft tissue injuries.
- A bench trial verdict in a case where the plaintiffs claimed the client failed to warn of bed bugs before selling a home.
- A number of cases dismissed with prejudice in the pleading stage on motions for lack of due diligence in obtaining service.
- A number of arbitration awards in the clients' favor, entered as judgment.

## **Admissions**

- Illinois

## **Education**

- University of Illinois College of Law, J.D., *cum laude* (2020)
- University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, B.A. (2017)