

Several Attorneys Join Hedrick Gardner

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We're thrilled to welcome a group of talented attorneys to Hedrick Gardner! Some are recent law school graduates and others join us with experience as prosecutors, judicial clerks, and practicing attorneys. All of them bring diverse backgrounds and impressive accomplishments to our firm. Here's just a glimpse of what they've achieved so far:

Joining our Charlotte Workers' Compensation practice:

Conner Montgomery (Kentucky Law) – Second place in 1L and 2L Trial Advocacy Competitions, co-authored peer-reviewed public health study

Kent Gilder (Wake Forest Law) – Judicial intern at the Supreme Court of North Carolina, member of First Generation Law Students Organization

Noelle Dyalsingh (New England Law I Boston) – Litigation paralegal for the City of Boston, healthcare operations background

Adaora Oguno (NC Central Law) – Former Assistant District Attorney in the Bronx and Durham County, Master of Information Science summa cum laude

Emma Breaux (UNC Law) – Represented juvenile clients through the Youth Justice Clinic, Content Editor of NC Civil Rights Law Review

Joining our Charlotte Civil Litigation practice:

Cole Cadman (UNC Law) – Judicial intern at the NC Court of Appeals, President of Jewish Law Association

Jayla Powell (NC Central Law) – Former Mecklenburg County Assistant District Attorney, magna cum laude

Anjali Purohit (UNC Law) – Articles Editor of NC Journal of Law & Technology, James R. Cleary Prize winner

Diamond Rowell (NC Central Law) – Council Member of the NC Bar Association Litigation Section, National Black Lawyers Top 40 Under 40

Ryan MacEachern (University of South Carolina Law) – CALI award in Natural Resources Law, Symposium Editor of SC International Law and Business Journal

Joining our Wilmington office:

Jillian Foye (UNC Law) – Civil litigation, concurrent M.P.P. from Duke, Margolis Scholar

Joining our Asheville office:

Jeremiah McCauley (Tennessee Law) – Civil litigation and construction law, Dean's List, served on two law journals

We're excited to see the positive impact they'll bring to our clients and community!