



## Kai Hovden Attorney

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Kai is an associate attorney in DeWitt's Madison office where he is a member of the Litigation, Labor & Employment Relations, and Immigration Practice Groups. He also assists the Intellectual Property Practice Group with trademark matters. Kai is committed to providing skillful, high-quality representation to his clients in a timely, cost-effective manner. He enjoys navigating complex legal issues and crafting compelling legal arguments that result in favorable outcomes for his clients.

Kai has experience in a diverse array of legal matters including labor and employment litigation, contract disputes, administrative proceedings, immigration representation, and trademark issues, among others.

Prior to joining the firm as an associate attorney, Kai worked on a variety of legal matters as a law clerk at DeWitt. While in law school, he gained in-court experience by representing clients in immigration court through the Immigrant Justice Clinic, and also served as Senior Managing Editor of the *Wisconsin International Law Journal*.

### Articles & Presentations

- "Employers at Increased Risk for ICE I-9 Audits in 2018," Immigration Law Blog, April 2018
- "DHS terminates TPS designation for El Salvador," Immigration Law Blog, January 2018
- "DHS Terminates TPS Designation for Sudan; Extends TPS Designation for South Sudan," Immigration Law Blog, September 2017

### Expertise

- Immigration Law
- Intellectual Property
- Trademarks
- Labor & Employment Relations
- Litigation

## Education

- J.D., *cum laude*, University of Wisconsin Law School
- B.A., *cum laude*, Winona State University

## Admissions

- Federal District Court for the Western District of Wisconsin
- State Bar of Wisconsin

## Affiliations

- American Bar Association
- American Immigration Lawyers Association

## Awards & Recognitions

- Pro Bono Society Award of Distinction
- Dean's Academic Achievement Award
- Former Senior Managing Editor, *Wisconsin International Law Journal*