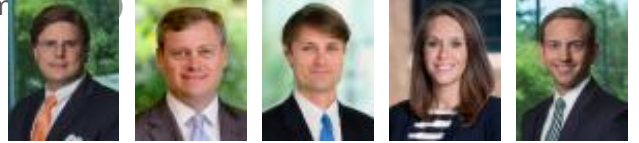


5 Ward and Smith Attorneys Recognized on Benchmark Litigation's 2020 '40 & Under Hot List'

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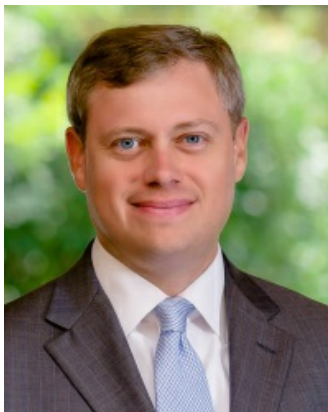
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