

The following is a list of cases that I have handled. I've withheld names. I offer this list as a sampler of my experience. The list is in no particular order. I estimate that I've tried somewhere in excess of 25 civil and criminal jury trials, and an uncounted number of trials to the court and administrative hearings.

The following is a list of cases (in no particular order) representative of my practice and not reported above. In these cases, I undertook representation from the time of initial client contact through the time of final resolution:

- I represented a sub-contractor against a general contractor arising out of a large State of Iowa construction contract where the general contractor refused some claimed payments. The general counter-claimed. Tried to the court, my client received a judgment.
- I conducted a jury trial on behalf of a passenger in an automobile who suffered serious injuries when the car she was riding in flipped over after the driver lost control on an icy road. Verdict for defendant. We were able to admit into evidence an anonymously recorded video tape posted online that showed the road conditions and the accident scene, including the overturned vehicle.
- I represented a woman fired from her job after having taken time off from work because of depression. The employer claimed that it "accepted her resignation". We reached a settlement shortly before trial through mediation.
- I represented a man in a medical malpractice case based on injuries he suffered while a patient at the University of Iowa Hospitals and Clinics. He was admitted for treatment to his leg, and he discharged with a permanently damaged nerve in his arm. The case settled before trial during mediation. We used an interventional radiologist from the University of Chicago Hospital system as plaintiff's expert.
- I represented a family in a medical malpractice death case. The patient died from a perforated heart that occurred during a heart procedure. We tried the wrongful death case to a jury in Iowa City. Verdict for defendant physician. We used the testimony of a Northwestern University cardiologist for plaintiff. Defendant called his co-workers and two outside experts.
- I represented young man who suffered partial quadriplegia from injuries received in an automobile collision at an unmarked rural intersection. After settling for defendant driver's low policy limits, we pursued a suit against the county for sub-standard design and construction of the road intersection. We settled the case shortly before trial. We used a roadway design expert to show non-compliance with standards when the intersection was last improved, as required by the tort claims act.
- I represented a man slandered by a local radio personality. Defendant accused my client of being a burnt-out drug user. The case settled before trial by payment to my client.
- I represented the widow and children of a deceased worker in a workers compensation claim. The decedent committed suicide after the CEO of a large corporation learned of sexual harassment allegations against the decedent. The allegation of harassment had been investigated and found undetermined by local

management some months before the CEO's order of suspension. The case settled after mediation and with further direct negotiations. We retained an expert on suicide as a part of our case.

- I represented a woman who received treatment at UIHC after involvement in a severe automobile collision. The client complained of pain and dysfunction in her hand. The dysfunction increased during her hospitalization. Her treating physician dismissed the complaints and noted that the initial x-rays showed no spinal injury. However, after her discharge, her local treating physician found a spinal subluxation that caused the permanent nerve damage and loss of function in the client's hand. The case settled before trial. We used my client's treating neurologist and neurosurgeon as experts in addition to using their testimony as treating physicians.
- I represented a trucker who was fired for gross misconduct when, traveling through an unfamiliar area of Chicago with an outdated map, he sheared off the top of his trailer when attempting to go under a bridge. On remand, trucker received his unemployment benefits that had been denied after the initial hearing.
- I helped represent (as second chair to an attorney with another firm) a woman who lost her leg when she was run-over by a semi-tractor-trailer that off-tracked into the path where she was riding her bike down the wrong side of the street. A jury in federal district court entered a verdict for defendant truck driver. This trial marked an early use of a computer-animated reconstruction of an accident. We used a community college truck-driving instruction—complete with video tape of how the truck should have conducted the turn—on behalf of the unsuccessful plaintiff.
- I represented a manufactured housing park that constructed a new swimming pool for its tenants, but which soon showed signs of failure (leaking, cracking, etc.) After an unsuccessful attempt at mediation, the client received a judgment from bench trial that resulted in an award for damages for the shoddy construction. The trial included the admission of sophisticated engineering tests on behalf of our client.