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Tim Roth is a partner and the Practice Group Manager of the firm's Transportation Group. Tim's practice focuses on the representation of trucking companies and their drivers following major truck accidents and includes engaging in 24/7 rapid response to truck accidents. He defends motor carriers, drivers and their insurers throughout the State of Ohio in claims and lawsuits involving wrongful death, personal injury, property damage and cargo claim liability. Tim also serves as National Counsel for a number of his trucking clients and has litigated trucking cases in a multitude of state and Federal jurisdictions across the country. He is on the Faculty and Executive Council of the CLM Claims College School of Transportation and is also on the Board of Directors for the Trucking Industry Defense Association (TIDA). Tim is recognized as a *Best Lawyer*® for Transportation Law.

Practice Areas

- Transportation
- General Litigation

Bar Admissions

- 1994, Ohio
- United States Court of Appeals for the Sixth Circuit
- United States District Court for the Northern District of Ohio
- United States District Court for the Southern District of Ohio

Education & Clerkships

- Judicial Staff Attorney to the Hon. Frank D. Celebrezze and the Hon. Carolyn B. Friedland
- **Case Western Reserve University School of Law** (J.D., 1994)
- **Fordham University** (B.A. 1991)

Specialized Training

- Certified Claims Professional –Transportation (CCP)
- Certified Litigation Management Professional (CLMP)

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Honors & Recognition

- 2023 Cleveland Lawyer of the Year, Transportation Law, *Best Lawyers in America*®
- Listed, *Best Lawyers in America*®, Transportation Law, 2021-2024 Editions

Professional Memberships

- Trucking Industry Defense Association (TIDA) (Board of Directors; Vice Chair TIDA Advanced Seminar)
- Claims and Litigation Management Alliance (CLM) (Executive Council, School of Transportation; Co-Chair 2016 Transportation Conference Committee)
- Ohio State Bar Association

Publications & Presentations

- Faculty, Claims & Litigation Management Alliance (CLM) Claims College, School of Transportation, Level II, "Basic Truck Accident Reconstruction" and "Advanced Truck Accident Reconstruction," Baltimore, Maryland, 2022
- Panelist, "Early and Effective Preparation for the Deposition of the Company Safety Director," TIDA Advanced Seminar, Nashville, Tennessee, January 14, 2022
- Co-Author, "A New Era in Telematics: The Emergence of OEM Telematics Systems," *TIDA Quarterly Newsletter*, Fall 2021
- Faculty, Claims & Litigation Management Alliance (CLM) Claims College, School of Transportation, Level II, "Basic Truck Accident Reconstruction" and "Advanced Truck Accident Reconstruction," Baltimore, Maryland, 2021
- Faculty, Claims & Litigation Management Alliance (CLM) Claims College, School of Transportation, Level I, "Evaluating Damages in Commercial Motor Vehicle Claims," and "Evaluating Liability in Commercial Motor Vehicle Claims," Baltimore, Maryland, 2014-2020
- Panelist, "The Roundabout, What's Driving Litigation in Transportation Claims," *CLM Magazine*, pp. 33-35, October 2019
- "Introduction to Experts," "Overview of State Laws," and co-presenter, "Department of Transportation Regulation & Compliance," Trucking Industry Defense Association (TIDA) Skills Course Seminar, Tempe, Arizona, April, 2018 and 2019
- Panelist, "Mobile Device Forensics: New Technologies for Trucking Accident Claims & Litigation," CLM Annual Conference, Houston, Texas, March 2018

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- Panelist, “Limiting Your Risk & Reducing Your Exposure by Being Proactive,” The Commercial Motor Vehicle Collision 6th Annual Conference, Atlanta, Georgia, October, 2015
- Co-Presenter, “Gaming the System: Secondary Drug Dependency as an Element of Damages,” Trucking Industry Defense Association (TIDA) Annual Seminar, 2011

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