

#### **PRACTICE AREAS**

Wills, Trusts, Estate Planning and Probate Law

Probate, Estate and Trust Litigation

**Taxation Law** 

Agriculture Law

# Kyle W. Wilcox

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Kyle Wilcox has been counseling individuals since 2007 with matters relating to estate planning, wills, probate and tax law. He helps families plan the disposition of their assets, both during lifetime and at death, and to accomplish the most optimal estate and gift tax plan. Mr. Wilcox assists clients with the administration of trusts and with the probate of estates at death. He understands tax consequences associated with business transactions and estate planning as he prepares personal and fiduciary (trust and estate) income tax returns. Mr. Wilcox also serves on the firm's board of directors.

## **Bar Admissions**

State of Iowa, 2007

## Education

- University of Iowa College of Law, JD, with distinction, 2003
  - O Member, Iowa Law Review
  - Recipient, ALI Medal for Excellence in Bankruptcy Studies
  - Student Law Clerk to Judge Paul J. Kilburg, U.S. Bankruptcy Court for the Northern District of Iowa
- University of Northern Iowa, BA, magna cum laude, 1999
  - Business Administration

## Honors & Awards

- Included in the Best Lawyers® "Lawyer of the Year" list for Cedar Rapids
  - Tax Law, 2023
  - Business Organizations (including LLCs and Partnerships), 2020
- Included in the Best Lawyers in America® list, 2024

- Business Organizations (including LLCs and Partnerships), Closely Held Companies and Family Businesses Law, Elder Law, Tax Law, Trusts and Estates
- Included in Great Plains Super Lawyers list, 2017-2023
  - Estate & Probate
- AV Rating by Martindale-Hubbell®
  - "(Kyle) is very personable and knowlegeable. Took the necessary time to review information. Never rushed." -- Martindale-Hubbell®
- Ranked in Chambers High Net Worth, 2017 & 2018
  - o Private Wealth Law, Up and Coming
- Corridor Business Journal's Forty Under 40, 2012
- Cedar Rapids Area Chamber of Commerce's Leadership for Five Seasons Graduate, 2009

## Professional & Community Affiliations

## **Professional Memberships**

- Iowa Academy of Trust and Estate Counsel (IATEC)
- Cedar Rapids Area Estate Planning Council (CRAEPC)
  - o President, 2012-2013
  - Officer and Member of the Board of Directors, 2009 2013
- Iowa State Bar Association
  - o Probate, Trust & Estate Planning Law Section
  - Elder Law Section
  - Taxation Law Section
    - Legislative Committee, Chair
  - Tax Section Council
  - ° Spring Tax School, Chair 2013-2014, Planning Committee 2024
  - Bloethe Tax School, Chair 2022
  - Guardianship and Conservatorship Committee, past
- Fellow, Iowa State Bar Foundation
- Linn County Bar Association

### **Community Involvement**

- Kirkwood Community College Foundation Advisory Board
- First Presbyterian Church, Cedar Rapids
  - Member of the Endowment Committee, Past
  - Member of Church Session, Past

- o Chairman of Endowment Committee, Past
- o Member of Finance Committee, Past
- Orchestra Iowa Foundation Board
- Cedar Rapids Downtown Rotary, Past
- Brucemore Board of Trustees, 2014-2016
- Salvation Army Advisory Board, 2012 -2013
- 100+ Who Care, Cedar Rapids Metro, Past

## News & Events

#### 2023

- Kyle Wilcox Included in Best Lawyers in America® 2024, 08/17/2023
- Kyle Wilcox Listed in 2023 Great Plains Super Lawyers, 05/30/23
- Kyle Wilcox recognized as Best Lawyers® "Lawyer of the Year" 2023 for Tax Law, 05/16/23

#### 2022

- Kyle Wilcox Chairs 2022 Bloethe Tax School, 11/22/2022
- Kyle Wilcox Included in Best Lawyers in America® 2023, 08/19/2022
- Kyle Wilcox Listed in 2022 Great Plains Super Lawyers, 07/28/22

#### 2021

Kyle Wilcox Leads 2021 ISBA Taxation Section Legislative Committee, 01/11/2021

#### 2020

- Best Lawyers In America Recognizes 37 SPMB Attorneys, 08/20/2020
- 2020 Great Plains Super Lawyers Announced, 07/31/2020