

## Shameka C. Rolla

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### OVERVIEW

Shameka Rolla joined Smith Anderson's Litigation team after graduating from Wake Forest University School of Law where she was a member of the National Trial Team. She serves clients on a wide range of business disputes, including contract and business tort claims.

Shameka enjoys Duke University basketball, live sporting events and travel.

### EXPERIENCE

- Defend employers against employment claims, including, without limitation, claims of discrimination, wrongful discharge, and retaliation, and wage and hour claims.
- Conduct internal investigations for employers regarding allegations of workplace misconduct, including, without limitation, claims of discrimination, harassment and retaliation.
- Represented a software company in federal district court in defending against breach of contract claim involving resale of software and related services and pursued numerous counterclaims; successfully obtained orders denying plaintiff's requests for TRO and preliminary injunction; case dismissed upon reaching a settlement.
- Successfully obtained a pre-trial dismissal of claims of intentional infliction of emotional distress and negligent supervision and retention against corporate clients.
- Successfully obtained a contested default judgment after oral argument in state court on behalf of client.
- Represented an individual against claims of breach of non-competition agreement, misappropriation of trade secrets, unfair competition, and unjust enrichment; successfully defended against motion for TRO; case dismissed upon reaching a settlement.
- Assist clients in responding to third-party subpoenas.

## CREDENTIALS

### Education

- Wake Forest University School of Law, J.D., 2020
  - The Order of Barristers
- Duke University, B.A., 2017
  - Phi Alpha Theta History Honor Society

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### Bar & Court Admissions

North Carolina

U.S. District Courts for the Eastern, Middle and Western Districts of North Carolina

All North Carolina State Courts

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