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## John J. Cook

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### PRACTICE AREAS

- Bankruptcy & Creditor's Rights
- Commercial & Business Litigation
- Corporate & Business Law
- Estate Planning & Probate
- Tax

John Cook's practice focuses on commercial transactions, estate planning and probate, tax planning and controversy, complex litigation and bankruptcy. He is a Certified Public Accountant, which brings his clients an additional level of expertise in sophisticated financial matters.

Before he joined BPJ in 2022, Mr. Cook was a name partner in two smaller law firms in Memphis, where he has lived for 47 years. He was also previously an attorney at Fulbright & Jaworski, LLP, in Houston. Prior to attending law school, Mr. Cook was a tax consultant and CPA with the public accounting firm Deloitte & Touche

### EDUCATION

Rhodes College (B.A., 1989), cum laude Vanderbilt University (J.D., 1994)

### PROFESSIONAL HONORS AND ACTIVITIES

Certified Public Accountant, Tennessee

### COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

Volunteer, Living for Christ Homeless Shelter Youth Soccer Coach

### ADMITTED TO PRACTICE

Texas, 1994  
Tennessee, 1996  
United States District Court, Texas (1994)  
United States District Court, Tennessee (1996)  
United States Bankruptcy Court, Texas (1994)  
United States Bankruptcy Court, Tennessee (1996)  
United States Tax Court (1998)  
Sixth Circuit Court of Appeals (1998)

### BAR ASSOCIATIONS

Tennessee Bar Association  
State Bar of Texas