

Chris Pace

Practical insight is what Chris brings to clients at Watkins Ludlam Winter & Stennis. He uses his prior experience in the business world with MCI Worldcom combined with his studies from law school to provide practical advice and insight. Chris is a *summa cum laude* graduate of the University of Southern Mississippi (B.S.B.A., 1994), a *summa cum laude* graduate of Mississippi College (M.B.A., 2004) and a *summa cum laude* graduate of the Mississippi College School of Law (J.D., 2007), where he served as an Executive Editor of the Mississippi College Law Review. He received the Hearin-Leon Hess Scholarship, the Mississippi Bar Foundation Scholarship, the Mississippi Chapter of the Federal Bar Association - Robert Hauberg Award and the American Jurisprudence Awards for Legal Writing, Secured Transactions, Constitutional Law, Real Estate Finance & Development; Federal Tax Law; and Debtor/Creditor Law. Chris practices in the firm's Gaming and Resort Practice Group, assisting the firm's gaming clients in regulatory, licensing, commercial, finance and real estate matters. Chris has been selected as a member of the 2011-2012 Leadership Greater Jackson class and a 2010 Rising Star by *Mid-South Super Lawyers* in the category of Gaming. His addition to the firm strengthens the resources available to assist clients operating in the gaming and resort business, manufacturers and distributors, lenders to the industry and investors.



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Areas of Practice:

Gaming and Resort Law
Business Planning & Operations
Contract Law
Corporations Law
Site Selection and Approval
Applications for Licensing
Findings of Suitability
Corporate Planning
Gaming Operations
Gaming Finance
Mergers & Acquisitions
Compliance and Enforcement