

# Insights

## **Krieg DeVault Adds Two New Associates; Alexandra E. Wilson and Joel E. Haas**

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Krieg DeVault LLP is pleased to announce that Associates Alexandra E. Wilson and Joel E. Haas have joined the firm. Wilson will provide counsel to the firm's clients in the Litigation Practice and Haas in the Commercial and Real Estate Lending and Real Estate Practices. Both Wilson and Haas previously served as summer associates at Krieg DeVault before completing their law degree and joining the firm full time.

### **About the Associates**

Alexandra Wilson devotes her practice to all stages of litigation, irrespective of industry. She focuses primarily on legal research and writing and intends to devote a substantial portion of her career to appellate practice. Prior to joining Krieg DeVault, Ms. Wilson served as a summer associate with the law firm assisting on matters involving, among other areas, worker's compensation, covenants not to compete, spoliation of evidence, federal notice and comment procedures, and non-disclosure agreements. Ms. Wilson also worked for two years as a Certified Legal Intern for Indiana University Student Legal Services. As a Certified Legal Intern, Ms. Wilson managed a variety of cases spanning all stages of the litigation lifecycle. She has negotiated settlement agreements between tenants and landlords, successfully led petitions for name and gender-marker changes, and helped clients expunge their criminal records.

Prior to entering the legal field, Ms. Wilson spent several years in the professional services and technology industries serving in a multitude of roles for IBM. While at IBM, she coordinated the sales enablement efforts for a new global business unit within the company, created a company-wide program to enhance deal progression using robots for technology demonstrations, and developed a worldwide system to manage the multi-million-dollar marketing budget for the IBM Watson Group. Ms. Wilson is a graduate of the Indiana University Maurer School of Law.

Joel Haas regularly assists clients with loan documentation and negotiation, collateral securitization, private equity structuring, real property easement and servitude creation, and general real estate development and financing matters. Prior to joining Krieg DeVault, Mr. Haas was a member of a prominent Indianapolis-area real estate development firm's in-house legal department and participated in each step of development from planning, through construction financing and ultimately lease-up. He focused on complex easements and servitudes documentation, municipal financing, and tax credit application and compliance. He is a graduate of the Indiana University Robert H. McKinney School of Law.

### **About Krieg DeVault LLP**

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