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Tulsa Attorneys Kristen P. Evans and Logan James named to the 2025 Benchmark Litigation 40 & Under Hot List

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Hall Estill, Oklahoma's leading law firm, with offices in Tulsa, Oklahoma City, Denver, and Northwest Arkansas, announced that Kristen P. Evans has been named to the 2025 Benchmark Litigation annual 40 & Under Hot List for the eighth consecutive year. Joining her on the list this year is Tulsa attorney Logan James. Kristen is being also recognized on the National list for the first time.

Benchmark's 40 & Under Hot List recognizes the top up-and-coming litigation attorneys in the U.S. Those aged 40 or younger named to this exclusive list have proven their ability as attorneys at their respective firms. Each attorney has had a hand in some of their firms' most noteworthy recent cases and have earned praise from clients and peers regarding the quality of their work.

Evans has represented, counseled and advised clients ranging from local, family-owned companies to national, Fortune 500/100 companies, in a wide array of industries, including energy and energy services, manufacturing, construction, logistics and heavy haul, financial services, and healthcare. Although she has handled a wide range of general commercial litigation matters, her primary focus covers three areas: Commercial Litigation, Employment and Personal Injury Defense.

Logan James is a shareholder practicing in the areas of trusts and estate litigation and general commercial litigation, ranging from business disputes, construction law, and real estate litigation. In addition, he assists clients in family law, as well as municipal and public authority law matters.

Attorneys named to the 2025 publication were chosen through several phases of research, including the review of their recent case work, peer review in which attorneys are evaluated based on how peer legal institutions might rank them, and a consideration of client feedback on their performances.

Attorneys

- Kristen Pence Evans
- Logan L. James

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