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Brook Bond's legal practice focuses on complex business, environmental and commercial litigation. He has handled massive cases involving multiple parties, millions of documents, and complex legal and scientific issues. Mr. Bond has litigated a wide range of cases involving business torts, environmental contamination, real estate, contract disputes, products liability, intellectual property, and public entity law. His background includes training in genetics, seed science, biology, agronomy, microbiology, biochemistry and analytical chemistry.

Education:

University of San Diego, (Juris Doctor, 1989)
University of California - Davis, (B.S., Genetics, 1986)

Admissions:

Idaho State Bar
California State Bar
U.S. District Court, District of Idaho
U.S. District Courts for the Northern, Eastern, Central and Southern Districts of California
U.S. Court of Appeals for the Ninth and Federal Circuits

Representative Cases:

- Defending a Nevada company sued for alleged business torts and misappropriation of trade secrets.
- Defending insurance companies in complex environmental insurance coverage litigation against claims, seeking multi-millions of dollars, in connection with alleged environmental contamination at a large phosphate mine in Idaho.



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- Defending an insurance company in environmental insurance coverage litigation against claims in connection with alleged environmental contamination at dry cleaning establishments in Idaho and Washington.
- Defended an Idaho energy technology company sued for patent infringement.
- Defended a Utah company sued for business torts and alleged misappropriation of trade secrets.

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- Obtained a favorable opinion and result for an Idaho company from the Idaho Supreme Court, resulting in Idaho precedent restricting the use of public funds to influence public elections.
- Secured summary judgment in Idaho federal court, affirmed by the Ninth Circuit Court of Appeals, in complete defense of a California company sued under products liability law for the alleged distribution of a machine allegedly causing damages in excess of \$3 million.
- Defended a California high-technology corporation sued in California Federal Court for alleged antitrust violations.
- Represented numerous companies, in state and federal court, in connection with claims arising from soil and groundwater contamination at Superfund and non-Superfund sites.
- Represented a California company in an action for patent infringement.
- Defended insurance companies in complex environmental insurance coverage litigation against claims seeking damages of hundreds of millions of dollars relating to dozens of former manufactured gas plants in northern California and associated soil and groundwater contamination.
- Defended an insurance company in environmental insurance coverage litigation against claims seeking damages of hundreds of millions of dollars relating to contamination at California recycling facilities.
- Represented an insurance company in environmental insurance coverage litigation against claims seeking damages of tens of millions of dollars relating to contamination at a California drum storage facility.
- Defended national insurance companies, in complex environmental insurance coverage litigation, against claims seeking damages in excess of three billion dollars, regarding soil and groundwater contamination at thousands of petroleum and chemical facilities through the United States.
- Defended various insurance companies in complex environmental insurance coverage litigation, against claims seeking damages in excess of three billion dollars, in connection with alleged coverage for extensive soil and groundwater contamination at a large pesticide manufacturing facility in Colorado.
- Defended an insurance company in complex environmental insurance coverage litigation against claims seeking damages of tens of millions of dollars related to chemical facilities and mining operations throughout the United States.
- Defended an insurance company in coverage litigation relating to a property transaction in California.
- Successfully sued various companies, in California state and federal court, in litigation asserting claims of unfair competition, business torts, and breach of contract.
- Defended several Idaho companies in Idaho state court in business litigation involving tort and contract claims relating to various business entities.
- Defended insurance companies in complex environmental litigation, involving multi-billion dollar damages claims arising from soil and groundwater contamination at thousands of petroleum and chemical facilities throughout the U.S., Canada, and the Virgin Islands.
- Defended an insurance company in complex environmental coverage litigation, against damage claims in excess of \$500 million, regarding soil and groundwater contamination at an aircraft manufacturing facility in Southern California.
- Successfully defended an Idaho corporation in litigation involving a complex real estate transaction, obtaining summary judgment as well as the recovery of attorneys' fees and costs.

- Defended an insurance company in complex environmental litigation, against damage claims in excess of four hundred million dollars, in connection with contamination of a chemical facility site in Northern California.
- Defended an insurance company in environmental litigation, against damage claims in excess of \$10 million, regarding complex environmental conditions and contamination at a cement manufacturing facility in Southern California.
- Defended a California food processing company from California state environmental regulators regarding environmental contamination.
- Successfully sued a California company for environmental contamination located at a California food processing company's site.
- Defended a California company against damage claims in excess of \$50 million, regarding environmental conditions and contamination at a California high-technology facility.
- Defended a California Company against damage claims in excess of \$10 million, regarding environmental conditions and contamination at a former chemical site.
- Defended various individuals and companies related to environmental claims in California and other states.
- Defended various individuals and companies against various business torts, breaches of contract and other causes of action in California and Idaho.
- Represented various companies in Idaho and California relating to construction defect claims.