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Craig is located in our Ridgeland office where he focuses his practice on Real Estate Development and Finance as well as Mergers and Acquisitions.

PRACTICE AREAS AND INDUSTRY TEAMS

- Real Estate Development and Finance
- Mergers and Acquisitions

EXPERIENCE

- Buyer's counsel in connection with numerous commercial offices, warehouse/industrial and development property acquisitions, financings and leasing throughout the Southeast and Southwest United States.
- Borrower's counsel in connection with \$225,000,000 revolving credit facility to national real estate investment trust.
- Borrower's counsel in connection with \$54,000,000 multi-state mortgage loan facility.
- Borrower's counsel in connection with term loan facilities totaling in excess of \$450,000,000 for national commercial property owner/developer.
- Owner's leasing counsel for national real estate investment trust's commercial property portfolio.

BAR ADMISSIONS

- Mississippi, 1992
- Florida, 1995 (*inactive*)

ASSOCIATIONS

- Mississippi Bar Association
- Florida Bar Association
- American Bar Association
- Hinds County Bar Association

EDUCATION & HONORS

- Mississippi College, J.D., *with honors*, 1992
 - Hearin-Hess Law Scholarship
 - American Jurisprudence Award – Federal Taxation and Corporations
- University of Southern Mississippi, B.S., *with honors*, Business Administration, 1984
 - Dean Student Advisory Committee