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### PRACTICE AREAS

**Personal Injury**

**Motor Vehicle Accidents**

**Motorcycle Accidents**

**Concussions**

**Disability Insurance Claims**

**Fatalities**

**Medical Malpractice**

**Pedestrian & Cyclist Accidents**

**Serious Personal Injury**

**Slip & Falls**



Fighting insurance companies is an unfair battle. Don't do it alone.

Simon is a seasoned litigator with over 24 years of experience in personal injury and insurance law. Fiercely protecting his clients' interests and securing their future is his top priority.

Simon spent 10+ years working for insurance companies, so he understands the importance of supporting his clients while obtaining a fair and reasonable outcome.

Simon is recognized by **The Best Lawyers in Canada** as a leading practitioner in Personal Injury - representing plaintiffs and is "Repeatedly Recommended" by **Lexpert** for Personal Injury. He has represented people and corporations at trial, appeal, and the Supreme Court of Canada.

Simon serves clients out of both our downtown and south offices.



## Education

1993 University of Alberta, LLB

## Admission

1994 Alberta

## Experience

- Successfully represented our client at a summary trial on liability where the defendant claimed the defence of 'inevitable accident'.

**Cullen v. Kao**, 2019 ABQB 799

- Obtained a trial judgment in favour of our client who had argued its tenant had left its land polluted at the end of a lease by not removing an underground storage tank used to store hydrocarbons.

GRJ Holdings Ltd v. GBM Trailer Service Ltd, 2017 ABQB 731

- Successfully represented a plaintiff for serious soft-tissue injuries and fibromyalgia sustained in a car crash. Plaintiff awarded over \$280,000 plus interest and costs.

**Jones v. Stepanenko**, 2016 ABQB 295

- At both trial and appeal, obtained a judgment against the Motor Vehicle Accident Claims Fund for our client who was injured when his vehicle was driven without his consent. The Fund had argued they were not liable to pay their limits of coverage of \$200,000. The Court of Appeal upheld the trial judge's finding that our client was entitled to be paid by the Fund.

Jacobi v. Tanchuk, 2013 ABCA 424

- Successfully represented a plaintiff for TMD and soft-tissue injuries sustained in a low-impact collision. Plaintiff awarded \$253,000 plus interest and costs.

Meehan v. Holt, 2010 ABQB 287

- Represented the driver of a vehicle that struck a passing vehicle while making a left turn. Secured a 0% liability award in favour of the client.

Skrypichayko (next friend of) v. Dunlop, 2006 ABQB 536

- Secured an order from the Court of Appeal directing the Board to consider our client's application for compensation related to sexual assaults even though they occurred outside the two-year limitation period.

Sanderson v. Alberta (Criminal Injuries Review Board), 2010 ABCA 167



## Recognition

### HONOURS AND AWARDS

- Recognized by **The Best Lawyer in Canada** for work in Personal Injury Litigation (2022-2026).
- "Repeatedly Recognized" by the **Canadian Legal Lexpert® Directory** as a leading practitioner in Personal Injury - Representing Plaintiffs
- Recipient of the Alberta Civil Trial Lawyers' Association President's Award (2016)

### RECENT MEDIA COVERAGE

- Featured in **“Data fit for the courtroom?”** Canadian Lawyer Magazine (February 2, 2015)
  - Interviewed in **“Vivametrica’s Analytics Platform Supports Personal Injury Claims,”** Forbes (November 19, 2014)
  - Guest on **The Homestretch**, CBC Radio Calgary (November 17, 2014)
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## Memberships

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- **Law Society of Alberta**
  - **Alberta Civil Trial Lawyers’ Association**
  - **Canadian Bar Association - Personal Injury Subsection**
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## Teaching Roles & Speaking Engagements

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### PRESENTER

#### Best Practices in the Conduct of Mediation - Insurance Disputes

Dere Lutz, No Longer 'Alternative' Dispute Resolution Symposium (May 2019)

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### PRESENTER

#### Various issues of personal injury litigation

Alberta Civil Trial Lawyers Association

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### PRESENTER

#### Various issues of personal injury litigation

Legal Education Society of Alberta

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### PRESENTER

#### Various issues of personal injury litigation

Canadian Bar Association

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### GUEST LECTURER

#### MBA program

Haskayne School of Business

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### GUEST LECTURER

#### Chartered Insurance Professionals Program

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OCTOBER 29, 2024 | NOTABLE WORK

AUGUST 29, 2024 | NEWS



**24 McLeod Law lawyers recognized in the 2025 Edition of The Best Lawyers™ in Canada and Best Lawyers: Ones to Watch**

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