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Niall has built a practice that focuses primarily on Corporate and Commercial law, including asset and share transactions, corporate governance, leasing and franchise matters.

“You’d like your business treated like it’s our own.”



He received his law degree from the University of Manitoba in 2013 and became an Associate at Pitblado Law in June 2014. Niall also obtained a Bachelor of Commerce (Honours) Degree from the I. H. Asper School of Business at the University of Manitoba in 2009.

PRACTICE AREAS

- Business
 - Corporate and Commercial
 - Franchise and Distribution
 - Mergers and Acquisitions
- Real Estate
 - Leasing
 - Residential Real Estate
- Sector Specific
 - Not-For-Profit
 - Securities

LECTURES, SPEECHES AND PUBLICATIONS

- Author, Pitblado COVID-19 Resource Centre, “Canadian Emergency Commercial Rent Assistance Program”, April 27, 2020
- Author, Pitblado COVID-19 Resource Centre, “COVID-19 and Commercial Leasing”, March 25, 2020
- Author, Pitblado COVID-19 Resource Centre, “COVID-19 and Franchising”, March 25, 2020
- Co-Author (with Judy Payne), “Canada’s Anti-Spam Law – Two Years Later”, Manitoba Insurance Broker Magazine, Fall 2016
- Author, Pitblado Whitepaper, “Franchising in Manitoba: Considerations for Business Owners”, September 2016
- Co-Author (with Judy Payne), “Canada’s new anti-spam law”, Manitoba Insurance Broker Magazine, Fall 2014

Q&A

- Q: When I am not at work?**
A: I am planning my next travel adventure.
- Q: Favorite celebrity?**
A: Eddie Vedder
- Q: Most important thing I did not learn at school?**
A: Never let school interfere with your education.

HONOURS AND AWARDS

- Law Society of Manitoba Prize – Third Highest Standing in Third Year (Robson Hall)
- Alf Francis Memorial Prize – Third Highest Standing in Third Year (Robson Hall)
- Gilbert T. Gregory Memorial Prize – Real Estate Transactions (Robson Hall)
- David Levin Memorial Prize – Real Estate Transactions (Robson Hall)
- John R. Haig, Q.C. Memorial Prize – Advanced Legal Research (Robson Hall)
- Harold Buchwald Award for Outstanding Extracurricular Contribution (University of Manitoba Students’ Union)

COMMUNITY

- Member, Board of Directors, Variety – The Children’s Charity of Manitoba, 2018 – Present



MEMBERSHIPS AND ASSOCIATIONS

- Manitoba Bar Association
- Canadian Bar Association

ACADEMIC AND PROFESSIONAL

- Admitted to the Manitoba Bar, 2014
- Juris Doctor, University of Manitoba, 2013
- Bachelor of Commerce (Honours), University of Manitoba (with distinction), 2009