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*Brandon C. Adams*



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**Brandon Adams and Katherine Engels  
Join Richardson Plowden as Associate Attorneys**

COLUMBIA, S.C., October 26, 2021 - - [Richardson Plowden & Robinson, P.A.](#) is pleased to announce that Brandon C. Adams and Katherine E. “Katie” Engels have joined the Firm as associate attorneys in the Columbia office. Mr. Adams will focus his practice on General Litigation. Ms. Engels will focus her practice on Corporate Law.

**Mr. Adams** earned his Juris Doctor from the University of South Carolina (UofSC) School of Law in May 2021. He earned his Bachelor of Arts in Elementary Education from UofSC in 2016. While attending law school, Mr. Adams was the 2020-21 president of the Matthew J. Perry Chapter of the National Black Law Student Association. He also was a Mock Trial Bar and Moot Court Bar participant. He was a member of the Law Students of Color Collective, the James L. Petigru Public Interest Law Society, was a Student Bar Association Peer Mentor, and was an AVID Mentor at Summit Parkway Middle School.

Mr. Adams is no stranger to Richardson Plowden. He worked as a law clerk at the Firm while attending law school. He also worked as a law clerk at the Fifth Judicial Circuit Solicitor’s Office and at another Columbia law firm. Prior to earning his law degree, Mr. Adams worked as a

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4<sup>th</sup> grade teacher in South Carolina. Mr. Adams is a member of the Richland County Bar Association Diversity and Inclusion Committee Member, and a member of the South Carolina Bar.

**Ms. Engels** earned her Juris Doctor from the University of South Carolina (UofSC) School of Law in May 2021. She earned her Bachelor of Arts in Political Science from Clemson University in 2018. During law school, Ms. Engels was a Peer Mentor for the Student Bar Association, was a member of the South Carolina Association of Criminal Defense Lawyers, was Associate Justice for Mock Trial, was a member of the Women in the Law Association, served as a student attorney in the Domestic Violence Clinical program, and served as a research assistant.

Ms. Engels is also no stranger to Richardson Plowden. Prior to joining the Firm as an associate attorney, Ms. Engels worked at the Firm as a law clerk. She has also worked as a law clerk for the Greenville County Public Defender's Office. Engels is a member of the South Carolina Bar.

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