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PRACTICE AREAS

Administrative • Alternative Dispute Resolution • Construction • Insurance Litigation • Municipal
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BIOGRAPHY

John is Counsel in Cox & Palmer's St. John's office and enjoys a varied general practice, with a focus on civil litigation and municipal law.

In 2024 and 2025, John was listed in *The Best LawyersTM in Canada* for his work in municipal law. A seasoned litigator, John has handled all manner of matters and claims, including insurance defence, corporate commercial litigation, construction law, contract disputes, and real property claims. He has appeared before all levels of Court in Newfoundland and Labrador, including Provincial Court, Supreme Court General Division, and the Court of Appeal.

John holds a Master of Arts in History and graduated from the University of New Brunswick Faculty of Law. He was admitted to the Bar of Newfoundland and Labrador in 2003. When not in the office, he can generally be found hiking, skiing or snowshoeing in the backwoods of Newfoundland, or else floating off the coast in a bright red sea kayak.

INDUSTRY RECOGNITION & AWARDS

- Listed as a leading practitioner by *The Best Lawyers in Canada* for his practice in municipal law.

LANGUAGES

- English

LAW SOCIETY MEMBERSHIPS

- Canadian Bar Association
- Law Society of Newfoundland & Labrador

BAR ADMISSION

Newfoundland & Labrador (2003)

LAW SCHOOL

- University of New Brunswick

EDUCATION

- Master of Arts (History)