

Kristian N. Smith Named 2023 Georgia "Rising Star" by Super Lawyers

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Kristian N. Smith, an attorney in Zelle's Atlanta office, has been named to the 2023 Georgia Rising Stars list. Each year, no more than 2.5 percent of the lawyers in the state are selected by the research team at Super Lawyers to receive this honor.

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