

Fred Sheppard

Senior Associate

Commercial Disputes & Class Actions



Fred joined Edwin Coe in October 2018 and is a Senior Associate in the Litigation & Dispute Resolution team. He was previously an Associate in Gall Legge Grant Zwack LLP's Civil Litigation department and is a Canadian-qualified lawyer.

Fred is experienced in commercial and civil litigation, having appeared before all levels of court in British Columbia and in administrative tribunals.

In addition to a Canadian law degree, Fred holds an LLM from the London School of Economics and Political Science (LSE), where he received the Otto Kahn Freund Prize for Best Performance in Labour, Family, Conflict of Laws, Comparative and European Law.

Experience

- *Cowichan Tribes v Canada (Attorney General)* [2016] BCSC 1660 – successful application for joinder in complex litigation
- *Hwlitsum First Nation v Canada (Attorney General)* [2016] FCA 118 – successful appeal of an application to stay proceedings (Federal Court of Appeal)
- *Zoic Studios BC Inc v Gannon* [2015] 386 DLR (4th) 662 (B.C.C.A) – established that disgorgement of profit available for breach of employee's duty of loyalty (British Columbia Court of Appeal).

Expertise

- [Overview: Class Action Litigation](#)
- [Litigation & Dispute Resolution: Overview](#)
- [Arbitration – Domestic and International](#)
- [Commercial Litigation](#)
- [Professional and Disciplinary Tribunals](#)

Credentials

- Recommended in The Legal 500 2024
- Member of The Law Society of British Columbia
- Good working knowledge of German and French

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