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“My approach to conflict resolution is focused on the identification and implementation of solutions without expensive and protracted litigation. In my experience, clients do not want more lawsuits; they want answers to their questions and resolutions to their problems delivered quickly and in a cost-effective manner. To achieve the foregoing, I prioritize working closely with clients to develop a conflict resolution strategy tailored to their specific dispute.”

Khalid is a member of the firm’s construction and insurance practice team. His practice focuses on developing and tailoring coverage strategies designed to manage risk and minimize the cost of disputes. He is known for his clear communication style, detail-oriented approach, and his commitment to collaborative client service, all of which Khalid has utilized to recover tens of millions of dollars in settlements for his clients through mediation, arbitration, and litigation in both federal and state courts.

In his insurance practice, he represents policyholders in disputes with their insurance companies and has successfully recovered policy benefits from a wide range of insurance policies, including commercial general liability, property, builders risk, pollution liability, employment practices, and professional liability. He is dedicated to holding insurers accountable when they deny, delay, or fail to fulfill the promises made to their policyholders. He works closely with clients to identify and address bad-faith conduct by insurance companies, such as prolonging investigations without justification, prioritizing their own financial interests ahead of their insureds’, or wrongfully limiting coverage when the policy/law provides otherwise.

In his construction practice, Khalid represents contractors in claims arising out of complex commercial disputes on both public and private projects. His experience includes successfully resolving claims related to notice issues, delays, bid protests, non-conforming work, differing site conditions, breaches of contract, and bid protests.

Before joining Miller Nash, Khalid represented policyholders and contractors at a Seattle-based firm.

Education

J.D., University of Washington School of Law, 2020

- Senior Managing Editor, *Washington International Law Journal*

B.A., University of California San Diego, 2016

Bar Admissions

Washington, 2020

Court Admissions

U.S. District Court, Western District of Washington

U.S. District Court, Eastern District of Washington

Languages

Pashto

Professional Activities

- Washington State Bar Association
 - Member, 2020-present

Publications

- “Update: Proposed Amendments to Washington’s Insurance Claim Handling Regulations,” Miller Nash, *The Northwest Policyholder* (Jan. 2026)
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Presentations

- “Fertile Ground and Killer Questions,” National Business Institute, CLE (June 2026)
- “Preventing Legal Ethics Oversights,” National Business Institute, CLE (Apr. 2026)
- “Creatively Framing Your Coverage Position, Using Exclusions & Ambiguous Terms & Conditions as Evidence,” National Business Institute, CLE (Feb. 2026)
- “Insurance Law Primer: What Reservation of Rights Letters and Other Insurer Communications Entail,” National Business Institute (Sept. 2025)
- “Legal Update,” Construction Financial Management Association South Sound Chapter (Sept. 2025)

Recognition & Honors

- Selected as a Washington Super Lawyer—Rising Star, 2023-present

Personal Activities

Outside of the office, Khalid enjoys reading (both fiction and non-fiction), hiking, and riding his bike throughout Western Washington.