

Chris Thomas

Partner - Retail | Charlotte, NC



We are dedicated to retail and mixed-use design excellence by means of thoughtful master planning, finding the right tenants and superior customer service. I am truly passionate about bringing value to our clients through constantly improving and adapting how our developments are conceived, designed, and constructed.



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Bringing more than three decades of retail experience to our clients, Chris leads our retail development, marketing and leasing practice.

In this role, he focuses on market analysis, site acquisition, negotiating major tenant and specialty tenant leases, property disposition, implementing marketing plans and third-party owner relationships. Chris has extensive experience in shopping center development, retail site selection, tenant representation, as well as structuring and negotiating transactions. Sought after for his leadership skills, Chris inspires his clients and team members to seek opportunities where we can positively impact people's well-being, health and attitude towards their environment.

Experience

38 years of experience | Joined Childress Klein in 1998

Education

B.S. Business Administration | University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill
Young Executives Institute, Kenan Flagler School of Business

Affiliations

Licensed Real Estate Broker (North Carolina & South Carolina)
Sharon Towers, Board of Directors, Executive Committee
YMCA of Greater Charlotte, Board of Directors, Past Board Chair Harris YMCA
International Council of Shopping Centers - Past Carolinas Retail Chairman
UNC Kenan Flagler Alumni Council
SouthPark Coalition Executive Committee
NAIOP Charlotte, Board of Directors, Past President

SELECT PROJECT EXPERIENCE

Apex SouthPark Charlotte, NC
88,000 SF | Mixed Use, Multifamily, Retail

Waverly Charlotte, NC
225,000 SF | Mixed Use, Retail, Office

Providence Farms Concord, NC
25,000 SF | Retail

Sharon Station Charlotte, NC
23,013 SF | Retail, Mixed Use

RiverGate Park Charlotte, NC
33,840 SF | Retail