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My Practice

PUBLIC BIDDING & PROCUREMENT - Claims, Disputes and Litigation

LITIGATION

PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

Hannah concentrates in commercial litigation and has represented clients in a wide variety of areas such as breach of contract and fiduciary duties, fraud, business ownership disputes, construction litigation and products liability.

Prior to joining Gallagher & Kennedy, Hannah was a law clerk for Justice Robert M. Brutinel of the Arizona Supreme Court, where she worked on a multitude of legal issues, including issues concerning the Arizona and U.S. Constitutions, statutory interpretation and rules of procedure. Her clerkship provided an invaluable behind-the-scenes look at what matters most to judges, which she has applied in her own practice. In her last year of law school, Hannah was the Editor-In-Chief of the BYU Journal of Public Law, where she oversaw the entire publication process for the journal.

REPRESENTATIVE EXPERIENCE

- Successfully arguing on appeal for reversal and remand of a jury verdict against plaintiffs based on erroneous jury instructions.
- Defending a construction company from indemnity claims arising from asbestos personal injury suit.
- Defending a general contractor against contract and warranty claims and successfully arguing a motion for summary judgment seeking defense and indemnity from a subcontractor.
- Defending a business owner against claims brought by an individual who alleged he was a partner in the business.

EDUCATION

Brigham Young University
J.D., *summa cum laude*, 2012
Order of the Coif
Dean's Scholar

Brigham Young University
B.A., *magna cum laude*, 2009
Dean's Scholar

BAR & COURT ADMISSIONS

- Arizona, 2012
- U.S. District Court, District of Arizona, 2014
- Hualapai Tribal Court, 2015

ASSOCIATIONS & MEMBERSHIPS

- State Bar of Arizona, Member
- American Bar Association, Member
- J. Reuben Clark Law Society, Member

HONORS & AWARDS

- *Southwest Super Lawyers®* - Rising Stars Edition, Civil Litigation: Defense, 2016-2019

COMMUNITY & PHILANTHROPY

- Valley of the Sun United Way Million Minutes Reading Challenge, Team Right to Read Volunteer, 2013-2014
- Dress for Success, G&K Firm-wide Clothing Drive Organizer, 2015
- Gallagher & Kennedy's Professional Women's Group, Community Outreach Leader

PUBLISHED WORKS

- Noncompete Agreements: Court Provides Prescription for Enforceable Restraints, March 5, 2014
- *Tattooist v. Tattoo: Separating the Service from the Constitutionally Protected Message*, 2012 B.Y.U. Law Rev. 1071

LIVE MEDIA

- Phoenix Day School Book Delivery and Donation, May 28, 2014

SPEAKING ENGAGEMENTS

- "Upcoming Changes to Arizona Rules of Civil Procedure and Proposed Changes to Federal Rules of Civil Procedure," Arizona Paralegal Association, April 2014