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Overview

Hannah is a transactional and litigation attorney with experience meeting the legal needs of businesses and individuals. She works in the Corporate/Business Services; Employment; Real Estate; and Wills, Probate, Estates & Trusts groups.

In her commercial practice, Hannah drafts and reviews contracts for the sale of goods under the UCC, including equipment, building materials, raw materials and other commodities.

She is a member of the Hispanic National Bar Association, American Bar Association and the Minnesota Bar Association. In addition to her other law school accomplishments, She was the recipient of both the Justice Thurgood Marshall Scholarship and also the Brill Scholarship. She was a member of the Dean's List and a member of Phi Alpha Delta and Latino Law Student Association. During law school, she participated in the Hispanic National Bar Association's National Moot Court Competition, where her team was awarded Best Petitioner's Brief in the Nation on a complex securities litigation problem modeled after the United States Supreme Court case, Stoneridge Investment Partners v. Scientific-Atlanta. As a first-year law student, Hannah was selected to participate in the Minnesota State Bar Association's Minnesota Minority Clerkship program.

Prior to her legal studies, she studied public policy and non-profit advocacy, earning a Master's Degree. She served a series of internships throughout all of her studies. Outside the office, Hannah enjoys spending time with her friends and family, cooking and traveling.

Education

- ♦ Hamline University School of Law, J.D., 2009
- ♦ University of Minnesota - Duluth, M.A., 2006
- ♦ University of Minnesota, B.A., 2004

Services

State Bar Admissions

- ♦ Minnesota, 2009

Federal Court Admissions

- ♦ United States District Court, District of Minnesota, 2010

Experience

Professional Affiliations

- ◆ American Bar Association
- ◆ Hispanic National Bar Association
- ◆ Minnesota Bar Association
- ◆ Hennepin County Bar Association
- ◆ Minnesota Women Lawyers

Notable

Accolades

- ◆ Selected for inclusion in the Minnesota Rising Stars list, Thomson Reuters, (Only 2.5 percent of the Minnesota attorneys are given this honor), 2013, 2019

Speaking Engagements & Publications

- ◆ Co-presenter (with Bradley Lindeman), Corporations: Limited Liability, Piercing the Corporate Veil, Reverse Piercing, Entity by Estoppel, and Successor Liability, Minnesota CLE Webcast, August 14, 2019
- ◆ Hannah E. Bellanger, Chapter 8: Limited Liability, Piercing an LLC's Liability Shield, Reverse Piercing, Entity by Estoppel and Successor Liability, published as part of The Minnesota Business Law Deskbook: LLCs, expected publication Spring 2017
- ◆ Hannah E. Bellanger, Chapter 8: Limited Liability, Piercing an LLC's Liability Shield, Reverse Piercing, Entity by Estoppel and Successor Liability, published as part of The Minnesota Business Law Deskbook: LLCs, April 2016
- ◆ Nancy J. Berry, Monica A. Kelly, updated by Hannah E. Bellanger, Chapter 9: Limited Liability, Piercing the Corporate Veil, Reverse Piercing, Entity by Estoppel and Successor Liability, published as part of The Minnesota Business Law Deskbook: Corporations, January 2016 Presenter, Business Law Series: Corporations and LLCs Deskbook – Limited Liability, Piercing the Corporate Veil, Reverse Piercing, Entity by Estoppel, and Successor Liability, Minnesota State Bar Association Continuing Legal Education, February 2015
- ◆ Nancy J. Berry, Monica A. Kelly, updated by Hannah E. Bellanger, Chapter 9: Limited Liability, Piercing the Corporate Veil, Reverse Piercing, Entity by Estoppel and Successor Liability, published as part of The Minnesota Business Law Deskbook: Corporations and LLCs, September 2014
- ◆ Steven H. Silton and Hannah E. Gallegos, The Dearth Of DIP Financing Continues To Impede Successful Reorganization, published in the Financier Worldwide, December 2012 Steven H. Silton, Thomas G. Wallrich and Hannah E. Gallegos, What Every General Counsel Needs to Know About Bankruptcy, written materials presented at the Minnesota State Bar Association's 2012 Business Law Institute, May 2012
- ◆ Steven H. Silton and Hannah E. Gallegos, Ten Bankruptcy Trends that Affect the Business Group, written materials presented at the Minnesota State Bar Association's 2011 Business Law Institute, May 2011
- ◆ Thomas G. Wallrich and Hannah E. Gallegos, Piercing the Corporate and LLC Veil, written materials presented at the Minnesota State Bar Association's program entitled "The Ongoing Business – Business Law 101," October 2009
- ◆ Steven H. Silton, Amy E. Dahl, and Hannah E. Gallegos, The Contracts Before the Contract: Non-Disclosure and Confidentiality Agreements, Indications of Interest, Letters of Intent and Similar Agreements, written materials presented at the Minnesota State Bar Association's program entitled "Advanced Contract Issues for In-House Counsel," November 2009 Steven H. Silton, Thomas G. Wallrich and Hannah E. Gallegos, Real Estate Workouts: A Case Study, written materials

presented to the Illinois Banker’s Association, 2009

- ◆ Steven H. Silton, Thomas G. Wallrich and Hannah E. Gallegos, The New World of Real Estate Workouts: A Secured Creditor’s Guide to Real Estate Workout Agreements and Negotiations, written materials presented to the Illinois Banker’s Association, 2008