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PRACTICES

Toxic Tort

Environmental Law

Keani A. Christian

ASSOCIATE

EXPERIENCE

Keani A. Christian focuses her practice on counseling and defending product manufacturers, distributors, and others against toxic tort litigation spanning a variety of alleged exposures, including asbestos. She manages all aspects of claims handling and litigation, including motions, depositions, mediation, arbitration, and trial. Keani's experience also includes representing clients in all aspects of employment and labor law. Before joining private practice, Keani handled cases from inception through resolution at a New York City nonprofit, where she provided high quality, full scope legal representation to underserved Brooklyn residents.

While attending the University of San Francisco School of Law, Keani gained experience as a law clerk, conducting legal research, drafting legal memoranda, executing discovery requests, and assisting supervising attorneys with trial preparation. She attended depositions, hearings, site inspections, and trials with senior attorneys.

BACKGROUND

ADMISSIONS

- New York
- U.S. District Courts for the Eastern and Southern Districts of New York

EDUCATION

- University of San Francisco School of Law, J.D., 2018
 - Student Bar Association, Director of Community Service
 - Black Law Students Association, Director of Community Service
- Penn State College of the Liberal Arts, B.A., 2015

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

- American Bar Association
- New York State Bar Association

PUBLICATIONS & PRESENTATIONS

PUBLICATIONS

“Breaking the Chains: A Discussion on the School-to-Prison Pipeline and a Call for Reform,”
Arkansas Journal of Social Change in Public Service, August 31, 2018

WEBINARS

Keani A. Christian

ASSOCIATE

- “Exempt Employees in Light of the Department of Labor’s Salary Threshold Increase,” (Co-Presenter), GS Webinar Series, August 21, 2024