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## Laquan T. Lightfoot

### PARTNER

#### EXPERIENCE

Laquan T. Lightfoot counsels and defends clients in a variety of civil litigation matters, with a focus on the transportation industry. She draws on a background litigating product liability, premises liability, premises security, motor vehicle accident, catastrophic injury, and employment law matters for a range of clients, including one of the nation's largest *Fortune* 500 retailers. In addition to her litigation practice, Laquan serves as an arbitrator with the Philadelphia Court of Common Pleas Compulsory Arbitration Program adjudicating various civil disputes.

Before entering private practice, Laquan served as an assistant district attorney in the Philadelphia District Attorney's Office, where she was assigned to Major Trials of the Southwest Division and vigorously prosecuted numerous criminal cases from inception to disposition in both jury and bench trials. She has also been an assistant city solicitor for Philadelphia's Law Department, serving as in-house counsel for the Department of Human Services and handling dependency and delinquency cases involving child abuse, neglect, and human trafficking.

#### HONORS & AWARDS

- *Best Lawyers in America: Ones to Watch*
  - Transportation Law, 2024
- *Pennsylvania Super Lawyers, Rising Stars*, 2024-25

#### BACKGROUND

##### ADMISSIONS

- Pennsylvania
- New Jersey
- U.S. District Courts for the Eastern, Middle, Western Districts of Pennsylvania
- U.S. District Court for the District of New Jersey

##### EDUCATION

- Drexel University Thomas R. Kline School of Law, J.D., 2014
  - Black Law Students Association
    - Mock Trial/Moot Court Coordinator
  - Mid-Atlantic Region Black Law Students Association
    - Mock Trial Director
- Lafayette College, B.A., 2011

##### PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

- Barristers' Association of Philadelphia
- Philadelphia Bar Association, Women's Law Division

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## COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

- Drexel University Thomas R. Kline School of Law, Black Law Students Association, Mock Trial Coach

## PUBLICATIONS & PRESENTATIONS

### PRESENTATIONS

- “COVID-19’s Effect On Our Practice Now, and In The Future,” (Co-Presenter), DRI’s Annual Personal Injury Potpourri CLE, Philadelphia, PA, April 7, 2022
- “Thriving as a Female Leader,” Council of Lafayette Women’s Spring Conference, Lafayette College, PA, 2018
- “Winning as a Professional Black Girl,” I’m Every Woman Expo & Symposium, North Carolina Central University, NC, 2018
- “Meeting with a Professional Series,” H.D. Woodson Senior High School, Washington, DC, 2017