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Industries & Expertise

INDUSTRIES

Social Impact | Agribusiness & Food Production |
Banking and Financial Services

EXPERTISE

Charities & Not-for-Profit

Biography

BAR ADMISSION

Ontario, 1999

EDUCATION

- LL.B., Western University, 1997
- B.A. (Economics), Queen's University, 1994

LANGUAGES SPOKEN

English

Kristina Shaw's many years of experience in corporate law has her advising various clients—from start-ups to large corporations—on a broad range of business law and finance matters. Kristina continually strives to build trusted adviser relationships with entrepreneurs, executives, and senior leadership teams while providing practical, timely, and cost-effective advice. Kristina is also involved in the Firm's social impact practice and

works with a number of not-for-profit and charitable entities.

Industry involvement

Recognition

- *The Best Lawyers in Canada* – Corporate Law, 2015-2024
- *The Canadian Legal Lexpert Directory* – Corporate Commercial Law, 2014 – 2024; Banking and Financial Institutions, 2017-2024; Mergers & Acquisitions, 2022-2023
- Lexpert Zenith Award: Mid-Career Excellence in the Legal Profession, 2018
- Recognized by *Best Lawyers*[®] as the 2017 Corporate Law “Lawyer of the Year” in London/Windsor
- Recipient, Stuart Tom Prize in Business Law
- Recipient, McCarthy Tetrault LLP Prize in Business Law
- Recipient, Greta J. Grant Award for Community Legal Services

Thought leadership

- “Control of Governance: Who are the Proper Members and Directors of a Charitable Not-For-Profit Corporation?” *Charities and Not-for-Profit Newsletter*, June 2010

Notable matters

- Represented a US-based shareholder of large national animal feed and nutrition manufacturer on the sale of shares of Canadian subsidiary to a multinational animal nutrition and health products distributor.
- Represented a Southwestern Ontario-based company in connection with the sale of a retirement residence to a national retirement residence and seniors’ living operator.
- Represented a large national animal feed and nutrition manufacturer in connection with their merger with another Canadian-based animal feed manufacturer and distributor.
- Represented sellers of an Ontario-based agricultural automation developer and manufacturer to a global animal health company.

Community roles

- Board Member, Southwestern Ontario YMCA
- Vice-Chair Corporate Governance Committee, Southwestern Ontario YMCA
- Co-chair 2021 Southwestern Ontario YMCA Women of Excellence Steering Committee
- Chair, Personal Gifts Division, London Regional Children’s Museum, 2002 Capital Campaign
- Vice-Chair and Director, Children’s Health Foundation
- Committee Chair, Fore the Kids Golf Tournament

- Past President, London Convention Centre
- Past President, Goodwill Industries Ontario Great Lakes
- Member, Management Committee, Stiller Centre for Technology Commercialization
- Member, Emerging Leaders Sustainability Taskforce

Memberships & affiliations

- Member, Canadian Bar Association
- Member, Middlesex Law Association
- Member, TechAlliance of Southwestern Ontario
- Member, London Club