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Industries & Expertise

EXPERTISE

Insurance Defence | Commercial Litigation

Biography

BAR ADMISSION

Ontario, 2017

EDUCATION

- J.D., Osgoode Hall Law School, 2016
- B.A. (Hons.), History & Political Science, York University, 2013

LANGUAGES SPOKEN

Portuguese

Vanessa maintains a broad civil litigation practice with a focus on commercial and insurance litigation. She has extensive trial experience, having acted as co-counsel on a number jury trials at the Ontario Superior Court of Justice. She has experience with small claims proceedings, examinations for discovery, contested motions, mediations and trials.

Industry involvement

Recognition

- The Charles Edward Woodrow Award, Osgoode Hall Law School
- Political Science Academic Excellence Award, York University

Community roles

- Volunteer Judge, First Year Moots, Osgoode Hall Law School
- Student Volunteer, Pro Bono Students Canada, Family Law Project

Memberships & affiliations

- Canadian Defence Lawyers
- The Advocates' Society