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Emily B. Lewis

ASSOCIATE

Emily maintains a broad corporate practice, assisting public and private companies, private equity funds, and investors with general business counseling and a wide variety of transactions with an emphasis on advising buyers and sellers in mergers and acquisitions.



Industries

AI & Emerging Technologies
Beverage & Food
Private Companies
Family Office
Energy & Cleantech

Practices

Corporate & Securities
— Mergers & Acquisitions
— Corporate Governance & Securities Regulation
— Capital Markets
— Fund Formation
— Institutional Investors
— Private Equity

International

China
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Languages

Mandarin Chinese

Education

The George Washington University Law School, JD, 2022

University of Rochester, BA, 2016

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Emily's practice focuses on corporate matters including corporate governance, mergers and acquisitions, debt and equity financings, joint ventures, restructurings, and other strategic business transactions. She represents companies on matters across the life cycle of a business, including formation, financing, operations, joint ventures, succession planning, and mergers and acquisitions.

Emily maintains an active private funds practice, where she represents general partners in the formation and operating of private investment funds and funds-of-funds. She assists public pension plans, foundations, and other institutional investors in making and exiting private equity hedge fund investments, and with subscriptions to alternative investment vehicles.

Beyond her transactional work, Emily is a member of the firm's emerging AI, Metaverse & Blockchain industry group, where she assists in providing innovative business and legal strategies through AI-driven solutions. She frequently writes and presents on trends in the AI & Emerging Technologies industry as well as related legislation.

Emily began her legal career as a summer associate at ArentFox Schiff and returned to the firm following law school graduation. While in law school, Emily was a judicial intern to Justice Brynja McDivitt Booth with the Supreme Court of Maryland.

Publications, Presentations & Recognitions

Publications

- Co-Author, "New USDA Rules for FSIS-Regulated Products Aimed at Safeguarding Consumers ," *Landslide*, Sept. 16, 2024
- Co-Author, "All or Nothing at All – Federal Trade Commission Intends to Hold Sellers Accountable for Cherry Picking and Manipulating Consumer Reviews," *The Computer & Internet Lawyer*, April 2024
- Co-Author, "AI Risks and Rewards for Private Companies," *Private Company Director*, Oct. 25, 2023
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Co-Author, "INFORMing Customers: A New Retail Requirement," *Retail Touchpoints*, Aug. 2, 2023

Presentations

- "What's Next for AI?," AI and Licensing Summit; Sept. 18, 2024 (New York, NY)
- "Cybersecurity Needs and Concerns for Lawyers Engaging in Use of Web3 & Metaverse Technology," New York State Bar Association Deep Dive into the Metaverse and Web3: The Second Global Law Symposium & Tech Summit; Oct. 16, 2023 (New York, NY)

Life Beyond the Law

Outside of work, Emily is an avid college basketball fan (she is a former NCAA Division III Women's Basketball athlete), and enjoys traveling and trying new restaurants in DC. Emily was born and raised in Upstate New York.

Bar Admissions

District of Columbia
Maryland
New York