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Andrea Warren is special counsel in the Business Trial Practice Group in the firm's San Diego office.

Areas of Practice

Andrea has a nationwide practice representing major insurance companies in both litigated and non-litigated coverage matters. Over the last several years, Andrea has handled complex disputes in over 15 jurisdictions across the United States and in Puerto Rico. Andrea's work includes both first-party and third-party matters, E&O, D&O, and general liability coverages. Her experience includes cutting-edge issues of first impression, such as the application of "related claims" issues and "prior and pending" litigation exclusions in the context of E&O and D&O coverage totaling over \$2 billion. In non-litigated matters, Andrea's experience has ranged broadly from analyzing first-party coverages to assisting clients with the analysis of complex liability coverages, drafting coverage opinions, and writing coverage position letters for D&O, E&O, general liability, cyber, auto, homeowners, and other types of claims.

Andrea writes and speaks frequently on D&O, E&O, and general liability coverage issues. She also serves on the Editorial Board of the San Diego Lawyer Magazine. Andrea is licensed in both California and Indiana, where she was named a Super Lawyers Rising Star – Insurance Coverage from 2017 to 2020.

Honors

2023 San Diego County Bar Association Leadership Academy Scholar

Indiana Rising Star - Insurance Coverage, *Super Lawyers*, 2017-2020

Articles

- 2023 Insurance Team Year-In-Review
04.03.2024
- Lawtube: Opening the Door for Attorney Superstardom
San Diego Lawyer, March/April 2023 issue
- #FakeNews Enters the (Legal) Chat
San Diego Lawyer, July/August 2023
- Lawtube: Opening the Door for Attorney Superstardom
San Diego Lawyer, March/April 2023

- Southern District's Pro Bono Panel
San Diego Lawyer, January/February 2023
- Sheppard Mullin Celebrates Stellar Year in Insurance Litigation
03.30.2023

Insurance Law Blog Posts

- "The California Supreme Court Confirms Vertical Exhaustion Applies for First-Layer Excess Insurers," July 19, 2024
- "Insurers Owe No Coverage for COVID-19 Related Business Interruption Losses Under Commercial Property Policies Insuring "Direct Physical Loss of or Damage to Property"; October 15, 2021
- "Carrier Considerations: Business Interruption Coverage for COVID-19 Losses," April 7, 2020
- "An Expanding View on Satisfying the Self-Insured Retention", June 24, 2014

Media Mentions

Leadership in Action!

San Diego Lawyer, July/August 2023

A Guide To The First Virus Coverage Suit Before Nev. Justices

Law360, 06.05.2023

Calif. Hotel Verdict Buoys Insurers In Virus Coverage Fights

Law360, 05.19.2023

In-N-Out raises new theories in business disruption lawsuit

Daily Journal, 03.18.2021

Sacramento arena sues insurer for COVID business losses

Daily Journal, 03.15.2021

Defendants call plaintiffs' business interruption coverage win an outlier

Daily Journal, 02.26.2021

Speaking Engagements

- D&O Coverage for Senior Management and Board Members Seminar for the Association of Corporate Counsel, Phoenix, AZ, February 13, 2020
- "BI Analyst Briefing on Insurers and Opioid Litigation," Bloomberg Intelligence, October 8, 2019
- D&O Coverage for Senior Management and Board Members Seminar for the Association of Corporate Counsel, Nashville, TN, May 1, 2019
- D&O Coverage for Senior Management and Board Members Seminar for the Association of Corporate Counsel, Indianapolis, IN, December 1, 2018

Events

The California Insurance Law Conference
Sheltering from the Storm of Cyber Risks with Cyber Insurance
Marina del Rey, CA, 03.21.2025

Memberships

Editorial Board of the *San Diego Lawyer* magazine, 2022-present

Practices

Insurance
Litigation

Industries

Insurance

Education

J.D., Indiana University Maurer School of Law, 2010, *cum laude*
B.A., Indiana University - Bloomington, 2007, *with distinction*

Admissions

California
Indiana