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Tori Kutzner is an associate in the Business Trial Practice Group in the firm's Los Angeles office.

Areas of Practice

Tori represents clients in a variety of complex commercial and business litigation matters in both state and federal court and in arbitration. She has litigated business disputes, breach of contract and other business tort actions, securities class actions, construction defect and public works disputes, and real estate disputes in several industries. She has experience with all aspects of California and federal civil procedure, including filing and responding to pleadings, conducting discovery, motion practice, and appellate practice.

While in law school, Tori served as a judicial intern to the Honorable Judge Ketanji Brown Jackson at the United States District Court for the District of Columbia. She also served as notes editor for the *Georgetown Journal of Gender and the Law*.

Honors

Recommended Lawyer - Construction, *Legal 500*, 2022

Articles

- Supreme Court Rules That Judges—Not Arbitrators—Must Resolve Disputes Where Various Agreements May Govern a Particular Dispute and Those Agreements Conflict on the Forum for Deciding Arbitrability
Illinois State Bar Association, 06.2024

Class Action Defense Strategy Blog Posts

- "Supreme Court Rules That Judges – Not Arbitrators – Must Resolve Disputes Where Various Agreements May Govern a Particular Dispute and Those Agreements Conflict on the Forum for Deciding Arbitrability," May 31, 2024

Corporate & Securities Law Blog Posts

- "Ninth Circuit En Banc Reverses Panel Decision and Holds Non-Resident Corporation Providing Web-Based Payment Processing Platform Is Subject to Specific Personal Jurisdiction in California," April 29, 2025
- "Delaware Supreme Court Holds Business Judgment Governs Decision to Reincorporate Outside of Delaware For Purpose of Reducing Litigation Exposure In the Absence of Existing or Threatened Litigation," February

12, 2025

- "Ninth Circuit Holds that Social Media Posts May Give Rise to "Seller" Liability Under Section 12(a)(2) of the Securities Act of 1933," January 3, 2023

Practices

Alternative Dispute Resolution

Appellate

Class Action Defense

Construction

E-Discovery

Financial Services Litigation

International Arbitration

Litigation

Securities Litigation

Industries

Construction

Financial Services

Telecom

Education

J.D., Georgetown University, 2020, *cum laude*

B.A., University of California, Los Angeles, 2017, *magna cum laude*

Admissions

California