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### OVERVIEW

Prior to joining White and Williams, MaryRose was a law clerk to the Honorable Morris G. Smith of the New Jersey Superior Court- Appellate Division where she engaged in extensive legal research and analysis in order to assist Judge Smith and the other judges on her assigned panel in resolving complex issues across all areas of New Jersey law. MaryRose also completed judicial internships for the Honorable Richard G. Andrews in the United States District Court - District of Delaware and for Judge Jack M. Sabatino, deputy presiding judge of the New Jersey Superior Court- Appellate Division.

MaryRose graduated from the University of Pennsylvania in 2015 with a B.A. in political science. She was a four-year varsity athlete on the field hockey team where she won several All-Ivy League team selections and was awarded Academic All-Ivy recognition in 2014 for achievement on the field and in the classroom.

At Villanova Law, MaryRose served on the executive board of the Student Bar Association and was a semi-finalist in the 60th Annual Reimels Moot Court competition. MaryRose also earned her MBA from Villanova and represented the business school in the Dubai Immersion program, obtaining a global business certificate from the American University in the Emirates.

Prior to law school, MaryRose was a legal and compliance associate at BNY Mellon in New York. She obtained her Series 7 General Securities license and supported the Chief Compliance Officer through FINRA and SEC regulatory exams

### PRACTICES

Catastrophic/Excess Liability  
Commercial Litigation  
Healthcare  
Litigation  
Product Liability

### BAR AND COURT ADMISSIONS

New Jersey  
Pennsylvania  
U.S. District Court for the District of New Jersey  
U.S. District Court for the Eastern District of Pennsylvania

### EDUCATION

- University of Pennsylvania, BA
- Villanova University Charles Widger School of Law, JD
- Villanova University School of Business, MBA

### MEMBERSHIPS

New Jersey Bar Association