



## Ava Pfeiffer

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## Focus Areas

Litigation and Trials  
Investigations  
Discrimination and Harassment  
Financial Services

## Overview

Ava Pfeiffer defends management clients in labor and employment law matters.

Previously, Ava concentrated in financial services litigation and investigations as well as employment law at a large international law firm. She defended numerous leading broker-dealer firms against suitability, fiduciary duty, fraud, and state and federal securities laws and FINRA claims. Ava defended global banks against various state and federal claims, conducted internal investigations and advised clients on risks and mitigation, as well as advocated at mediations, arbitrations, and through written advocacy.

Prior to legal work, Ava worked for more than nine years as an analyst and risk manager at a global bank.

## Professional and Community Affiliations

- Member, Bar Association of Metropolitan St. Louis
- Member, American Bar Association

## Recognition

- Woolsack Honor Society, *St. Louis University School of Law*, 2020

- Recipient, Academic Excellence Awards for Top Grades, Legal Research and Writing, Constitutional Law, Civil Procedure, Torts, Business Associations, and Employment Law, *St. Louis University School of Law*

## Education

J.D., St. Louis University School of Law, 2020, *magna cum laude*

B.A., Maryville University of St. Louis, 2005

## Bar Admissions

Missouri

Illinois

## Courts

U.S. District Court, Eastern District of Missouri

U.S. District Court, Western District of Missouri

U.S. District Court, Central District of Illinois

U.S. District Court, Southern District of Illinois

## Speaking Engagements

**High Times in Missouri: Recreational Marijuana Legalization and What Employers Need to Know**

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