

### **Emily Linn**

Associate

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## **Focus Areas**

Discrimination and Harassment Wage and Hour Staffing, Independent Contractors and Contingent Workers Investigations Workplace Violence Prevention and Crisis Response

### **Overview**

Emily Linn assists employers with a variety of labor and employment law issues. She has experience representing clients in both administrative and litigation matters involving disputes brought under various federal and state laws, including Title VII of the Civil Rights Act (Title VII), the Fair Labor Standards Act (FLSA), the Texas Commission on Human Rights Act (TCHRA), and the Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA).

Emily's practice also includes advising clients on various employment matters including discipline, separations and reductions in force, leave and accommodation issues under the ADA and FMLA, religious accommodation under Title VII, contingent worker and independent contractor classifications, federal and state child labor laws and workplace safety concerns. Emily has experience reviewing policies, handbooks, and providing management and employee training.

Emily also regularly conducts internal workplace investigations for higher education institutions and private employers related to allegations of employee misconduct, including discrimination, sexual harassment, and retaliation.

Prior to joining Littler, Emily was an attorney at a regional law firm in Austin, Texas, where she represented and counseled public entities on routine employment matters and government-specific issues, including immunity and responding to open record requests and subpoenas for client documentation.

While in law school, Emily was an authorities editor on the *Vanderbilt Journal of Transnational Law* and interned in the office of the general counsel of a federally owned electric utility corporation.

# **Professional and Community Affiliations**

- Member, Austin Bar Association
- Member, Travis County Women Lawyers' Association

## **Education**

- J.D., Vanderbilt University Law School, 2018
- B.A., University of Texas, Austin, 2014, with honors

# **Bar Admissions**

Texas

# Courts

- U.S. Court of Appeals, 5th Circuit
- U.S. District Court, Northern District of Texas
- U.S. District Court, Southern District of Texas
- U.S. District Court, Western District of Texas
- U.S. District Court, Eastern District of Texas

## **Publications & Press**

Pro Bono Week Podcast – Seeking Justice for a Neurodiverse Individual on Death Row Littler Podcast October 24, 2023

# DOL Issues Guidance on the Child Labor "Hot Goods" Prohibition Littler Insight October 12, 2023

#### DOL Issues Annual Report on Child Labor with Emphasis on Enforcement

*Littler Insight* October 5, 2023

## **Speaking Engagements**

Spring into 2024: The Labor and Employment Law Updates Texas Employers Need To Know March 28, 2024

#### Sexual Harassment in the Workplace

CenTexSHRM, Belton, TX October 11, 2023

From the Provider Perspective: Updates on Contingent Workforce Laws

September 19, 2023

**Littler Austin's 2022 Holiday Season Lunch and Learn** Austin, TX December 9, 2022