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#### **Practice Areas**

Handbooks and Policies
Discrimination and Harassment
Leave and Accommodation
HR Advice and Counsel
Labor Management Relations

#### **Overview**

Emily A. Zaklukiewicz advises employers in all areas of labor and employment law. She defends employers in a wide range of labor and employment matters in federal and state court and before administrative agencies including the Connecticut Commission on Human Rights and Opportunities, the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission, the Department of Labor, and the National Labor Relations Board. Emily also represents employers in collective bargaining, grievance arbitrations, and unfair labor practice proceedings and advising employers on a variety of complex labor relations issues.

Prior to joining Littler, Emily worked as a management-side labor and employment associate at an AmLaw 200 law firm. Emily graduated first in her law school class, serving as the managing editor of *Stetson Law Review*, as an associate editor of the *Journal of International Aging Law & Policy*, and as a committee member on the Student Leadership Development Committee. She was also a member of Stetson Law's Honors Program, served as a teaching assistant, and received the Highest Grade Designation in five courses. While in law school, Emily served as a federal judicial intern to the Hon. Susan C. Bucklew at the U.S. District Court, Middle District of Florida, and as a certified legal intern for the City of St. Petersburg City Attorney's Office.

# **Professional and Community Affiliations**

- Member, Labor & Employment Section, American Bar Association
- Co-Chair, Women in the Law Committee, Young Lawyers Section Executive Committee, Connecticut Bar Association
- HR Council Member, Greater New Haven Chamber of Commerce



# Recognition

- Named, Rising Star, Connecticut, Super Lawyers, 2022
- Recipient, American Law Institute CLE Scholarship & Leadership Award, Stetson University College of Law
- Recipient, Killgore, Pearlman, Stamp, Denius & Squires Book Award for Professional Responsibility, *Stetson University College of Law*
- Leadership Development Certificate, Stetson University College of Law
- Named, Outstanding Criminology and Criminal Justice Graduate, University of Tampa

#### **Education**

J.D., Stetson University School of Law, 2019, *summa cum laude* B.S., University of Tampa, 2016, *magna cum laude* 

#### **Bar Admissions**

Connecticut

#### Courts

U.S. District Court, District of Connecticut

#### **Publications & Press**

NLRB Returns to "Clear and Unmistakable Waiver" Standard for Unilateral Changes

Littler ASAP

December 20, 2024

Sixth Circuit Clarifies Employer's Bargaining Obligations During Public Health Emergencies

Littler ASAP

October 9, 2024

NLRB General Counsel Suggests How Colleges and Universities Can Satisfy NLRA Disclosure Obligations Without Violating FERPA

Littler ASAP

August 26, 2024

Connecticut to Make All Private Employers Provide Paid Sick Leave by 2027

Littler ASAP

May 23, 2024

D.C. Circuit Clarifies Employer Communication Rights During Union Campaigns

Littler ASAP

April 1, 2024



# Deadline Extended Until August 31, 2023 for Businesses to Comply with Connecticut's Mandatory Retirement Program

Littler ASAP

April 10, 2023

### NLRB Finds Business Closure Illegal But Backs Off Order to Reopen

Littler ASAP

February 13, 2023

### Littler Lightbulb: Connecticut Again Considers Pay Transparency, Non-Compete Bills

Littler ASAP

February 10, 2023

#### Best Practices to Mitigate Risks Associated with Employer-Sponsored Events

PE Magazine

Summer 2022

#### **Undergraduate Student Workers as Union Employees**

University Business

May 19, 2022

#### What the EEOC Says about Requiring Vaccines at Work

Industry Week

July 21, 2021

#### **NLRB Still Refining Test for Adjunct Faculty Unionization**

University Business

June 8, 2021

# The big-ticket question: Can (or should) employers require the COVID-19 vaccine of employees in the workplace?

Industrial Safety & Hygiene News

May 12, 2021

#### What is the current state of drug testing programs in today's workplaces?

Industrial Safety & Hygiene News

May 6, 2021

# Taking A Shot At Answering Employers' COVID-19 Vaccination Questions: Best Practices For Managing The COVID-19 Vaccine In The Workplace

Massachusetts Bar Association MBA Section Review Newsletter

March/April 2021



#### One Shot to Get It Right: Navigating the COVID-19 Vaccine in the Workplace

Construction Executive January 6, 2021

OSHA citations serve as reminder to employers about recordkeeping and reporting obligations

Industrial Safety & Hygiene News

December 9, 2020

## **Events & Speaking Engagements**

Tackling the Intersection Between and Among the ADA, the FMLA, and Collective Bargaining Agreements May 20, 2025

### Union Organizing is on the Rise: What Does it Mean, Why Does it Happen & What Steps Can You Take?

CT Community Nonprofit Alliance Roundtable

September 16, 2022

#### **Changes in CT Employment Law**

Greater New Haven Chamber of Commerce July 27, 2022

#### NLRB's General Counsel Seeks to Allow Athletes to Form a Union and Require Universities to Bargain

Connecticut Conference of Independent Colleges' "Partnering for Progress" Annual Member Forum November 22, 2021

#### **COVID-19 Information & Protocols**

Greater New Haven Chamber of Commerce August 25, 2021

## **Quick Conversation: Deeper Dive in Finding Purpose In Your Career**

National Association of Women Lawyers' 2021 Mid-Year Meeting March 26, 2021

#### Strategies for Successful Business Development and Marketing During the COVID-19 Pandemic and Beyond

Connecticut Bar Association - Young Lawyers Section

November 10, 2020