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OVERVIEW

EA advises emerging and established life sciences companies in connection with complex technology transactions. Working with clients in the U.S. and international markets, EA handles all aspects of licensing, collaboration, discovery, development, and other strategic growth and commercial arrangements. She also supports life sciences clients with their M&A and financing transactions.

In addition to her intellectual property transactional experience, EA is a registered patent attorney with extensive experience in life sciences patent diligence and global patent portfolio counseling.

EA received her Ph.D. in organic chemistry and is a published author in several peer-reviewed journals.

TOP AREAS OF FOCUS

- Commercial Contracting
- Emerging Companies + Venture Capital
- Health Care + Life Sciences
- Health Care + Life Sciences Intellectual Property
- Intellectual Property
- Life Sciences Transactions

EDUCATION AND CERTIFICATIONS

EDUCATION

- Georgia State University, J.D., 2016
- Georgia Institute of Technology, Ph.D., 2012, organic chemistry
- Georgia Institute of Technology, B.S., 2007, chemistry and biochemistry

BAR ADMISSIONS

- U.S. Patent and Trademark Office

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- Georgia
- District of Columbia

SPEAKING ENGAGEMENTS

- Speaker, "Academic Innovation to Market Reality: Best Practices for University Spin-Offs," Troutman Pepper Locke Webinar, July 22, 2026.
- Speaker, "Personalized Therapies, Customized Deals: Practical Strategies for Cell & Gene Therapy Licensing ," Troutman Pepper Locke, April 7, 2026.
- Speaker, "Licensing as an Alternative to M&A," ACC Greater Philadelphia Chapter's 2025 Health Biotech & Pharma CLE Institute, June 9, 2025.

PUBLICATIONS

- Author, "Rewriting the Life Sciences Collaboration Playbook: How Cell and Gene Therapies Are Reshaping Deal Terms, Regulatory Strategy, and IP," *Troutman Pepper Locke*, October 23, 2026.
- Co-author, "Strategic Alignment With Collaboration Partners Is Essential to a Successful Life Sciences M&A Exit ," *Troutman Pepper Locke*, July 17, 2025.

MEDIA COMMENTARY

- Interviewed, "Structuring CGT Deals for the Long Term," *Cell & Gene*, September 24, 2026. Republished in *Life Science Leader*, October 5, 2026.