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OVERVIEW

Hoa concentrates her practice on aviation litigation. With an emphasis on representing global aviation companies, Hoa serves as U.S. national product liability defense counsel for one of the world's largest aircraft manufacturers located in Europe and its North America affiliates. She has measured experience in all aspects of civil litigation, including defending against wrongful death, personal injury, and toxic exposures in state and federal courts around the U.S.

REPRESENTATIVE MATTERS

- Member of a trial team that obtained a full defense verdict for French and U.S. aviation clients in New York state court (Manhattan) in which plaintiffs were awarded damages from other defendants of more than $113 million for a single wrongful death, a state record, as well as punitive damages.
- National defense counsel for some of the largest aircraft manufacturers in the world located in France, Germany, and the U.S.
- Part of a team that obtained summary judgment dismissal from a wrongful death action in Texas state court on the eve of trial.
- Part of a team that obtained a North Carolina Court of Appeals decision reversing the trial court's denial of a German aviation manufacturer's motion to dismiss for lack of personal jurisdiction.
- National defense counsel for some of the largest plastics and chemicals manufacturers in the U.S.
- Part of the court-appointed monitor team in one of the biggest export control compliance cases in U.S. history that involved the U.S. Foreign Corrupt Practices Act (FCPA), Export Administration Regulations (EAR), and U.S. sanctions laws.

AWARDS

- *Super Lawyers*® Texas Rising Star, Aviation & Aerospace (2025-2026)
- *D Magazine*, Best Lawyers Under 40 (2024)

TOP AREAS OF FOCUS

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- Foreign Corrupt Practices Act (FCPA)
- Litigation + Trial
- Product Liability

ALL AREAS OF FOCUS

- Foreign Corrupt Practices Act (FCPA)
- Insurance Aviation
- Litigation + Trial
- Product Liability
- Sanctions + Trade Controls

PROFESSIONAL/COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

- Executive Director, Board of Directors for the Texas Aggie Bar Association, 2024-2026
- Fellow, Dallas Association of Young Lawyers
- Advisory member, State Bar of Texas Pattern Jury Charges General Negligence Committee, 2025-2026
- LeadershipSBOT, State Bar of Texas and Texas Young Lawyers Association, 2024-2025

EDUCATION AND CERTIFICATIONS

EDUCATION

- Texas A&M University School of Law, J.D., *cum laude*, 2017, note and comment editor, *Texas A&M Law Review*
- Texas A&M University, B.A., *magna cum laude*, 2014, political science and economics

BAR ADMISSIONS

- Texas

COURT ADMISSIONS

- Supreme Court of the United States
- U.S. District Court, Eastern District of Texas
- U.S. District Court, Northern District of Texas

LANGUAGES

- Vietnamese

SPEAKING ENGAGEMENTS

- Speaker, “Speaking the Same Language: An Expert’s Guide on How to Work Effectively with Your Experts in Aviation Products Liability Cases,” SMU Air Law Symposium, March 2026.