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OVERVIEW

Kaitlin brings a wealth of knowledge and a proven track record in managing complex legal challenges to clients in a wide range of industries. Her diverse background spans cybersecurity, data privacy, and complex litigation, including leading cybersecurity incident response teams, advising on compliance issues, and coordinating with international counsel.

Kaitlin handles ransomware and data extortion cases, and advises on compliance with state and federal laws, including HIPAA, FERPA, and GLBA. Her work extends beyond crisis management to include the development of privacy programs and pre-incident response strategies, as well as creating and delivering comprehensive training for attorneys who are new to cybersecurity.

Kaitlin is also an experienced litigator, serving as second chair in a pivotal product liability trial and assisting clients throughout all phases of complex litigation. From initial client interviews through jury trials, her responsibilities have included leading discovery processes, preparing key legal motions, and actively participating in court proceedings.

TOP AREAS OF FOCUS

- [Privacy + Cyber](#)

EDUCATION AND CERTIFICATIONS

EDUCATION

- Temple University Beasley School of Law, J.D., *cum laude*, executive editor, *Temple International and Comparative Law Journal*
- Indiana University of Pennsylvania, *summa cum laude*, 2011, English and pre-law

BAR ADMISSIONS

- Pennsylvania

COURT ADMISSIONS

- U.S. District Court, Eastern District of Pennsylvania

SPEAKING ENGAGEMENTS

- Presenter, "Cybersecurity Breach Response: Strategies for Handling State and Federal Regulatory Actions," LawPracticeCLE, December 4, 2025.
- Speaker, "Navigating the Complexities of Cyber Incident Reporting," The Virtual Forty-Second National HIPAA Summit, March 2025.
- Speaker, "Georgia Cybersecurity CLE Summit and Dinner: When Cyber Attacks Strike – Preventing and Managing the Downpour," Troutman Pepper, August 29, 2024.
- Presenter, "Data Privacy for Law Firms," New Jersey Association for Justice, Meadowlands Seminar 2023, November 15, 2023.

PUBLICATIONS

- Co-author, "CCPA Cybersecurity Audit: Part 4 – Whose Name Is on the Line: Risks, Enforcement, and Responsibility," *Privacy + Cyber + AI*, April 22, 2026.
- Co-author, "Outside FDA, Inside the Crosshairs: Cybersecurity Risks for General Wellness and Fitness Products," *Troutman Pepper Locke*, April 21, 2026.
- Co-author, "CCPA Cybersecurity Audits: Part 3 – Where CCPA Cybersecurity Audits Fit Within Existing Security Frameworks," *Privacy + Cyber + AI*, March 26, 2026.
- Co-author, "FDA's 2026 Guidance on General Wellness Devices: Policy for Low-Risk Devices," *Troutman Pepper Locke*, March 18, 2026.
- Co-author, "CCPA Cybersecurity Audits: Part 2 – The 'How' of CCPA Cybersecurity Audits: Operationalizing the Requirements," *Privacy + Cyber + AI*, March 18, 2026.
- Co-author, "How 'FirstEnergy' Could Shape Privilege Battles in Post-Breach Litigation, Part 3," *The Legal Intelligencer*, March 12, 2026.
- Co-author, "CCPA Cybersecurity Audits: Part 1 – The Who, What, and When of CCPA Cyber Audits," *Privacy + Cyber + AI*, March 11, 2026.
- Co-author, "FirstEnergy and Your IR Team: Structuring Expert Involvement to Preserve Privilege," *The Legal Intelligencer*, February 20, 2026.
- Co-author, "How AI Powers Cyber Crime and Protects Against It," *Financier Worldwide Magazine*, March 2026.
- Co-author, "Wellness Trackers, 'Medical' Status, and Cybersecurity: How FDA, FTC, and State Laws Interlock," *Troutman Pepper Locke*, February 19, 2026.
- Co-author, "Reproductive Health Data Privacy Laws in Flux – Compliance in an Ever-Changing Landscape," *Troutman Pepper Locke*, October 6, 2025.
- Co-author, "3 Takeaways From Recent Cyberattacks On Healthcare Cos.," *Law360*, June 4, 2025.
- Contributor, "2024 Privacy, AI & Cybersecurity Year in Review," *Troutman Pepper Locke*, February 12, 2025.
- Co-author, "6 Tips for Cos. Facing Service Provider Cyber Incidents," *Law360*, October 23, 2024.
- Co-author, "Navigating the Complexities of Cyber Incident Reporting," *Law360*, October 2, 2024.
- Co-author, "Amendments Align Pennsylvania's Breach Notification Law With Majority of States," *Regulatory Oversight*, September 23, 2024.
- Podcast, "The Team Continues to Grow: A Conversation With Our Newest Colleague, Kaitlin Clemens," *Unauthorized Access*, June 26, 2024.

MEDIA COMMENTARY

- Quoted, "'FirstEnergy' and Incident Response: Preserving Privilege in Cyber Investigations," *The Legal Intelligencer*, February 9, 2026.
- Quoted, "After Texas Ruling, States Seek to Fill Reproductive Health Data Privacy Gaps," *TechTarget*, December 15, 2025.