

## Maryia Y. Jones

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### OVERVIEW

Maryia is a first-chair trial attorney and commercial litigator with more than 16 years of experience representing consumer-facing companies in highly regulated industries, including decentralized and traditional finance. She is known for her strategic and practical approach, prioritizing her clients' goals.

Maryia has significant experience defending clients nationwide in mass arbitrations and class actions brought under federal and state consumer protection and data privacy laws. She also handles business and employment disputes, products liability lawsuits, and other complex matters. Maryia has successfully prosecuted and defended jury and bench trials in federal and state courts. At the appellate level, Maryia has obtained victories for her clients in the Virginia Supreme Court and the Fourth Circuit Court of Appeals.

Maryia is committed to her community. She has served as a court-appointed special advocate for abused and neglected children in Virginia Beach and volunteered at the Virginia Beach Animal Care and Adoption Center.

### TOP AREAS OF FOCUS

- [Consumer Financial Services](#)
- [Digital Assets + Blockchain](#)
- [Financial Services](#)

### ALL AREAS OF FOCUS

- [Business Litigation](#)
- [Class Action](#)
- [Consumer Financial Services](#)
- [Digital Assets + Blockchain](#)
- [Enforcement Actions + Investigations](#)
- [Financial Services](#)
- [Government + Regulatory Litigation](#)
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### Mass Torts Claims + Litigation

- Payments + Financial Technology
- Privacy + Cyber
- Product Liability

## **PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

- In-house counsel, Liberty Tax Service, 2009

## **EDUCATION AND CERTIFICATIONS**

### **EDUCATION**

- William & Mary Law School, J.D., 2009, Top 10%; vice-president, International Law Society
- Belarusian State University, B.A. and M.A., *magna cum laude*, 2004, international studies

### **BAR ADMISSIONS**

- Virginia
- New York

### **COURT ADMISSIONS**

- U.S. District Court, Southern District of New York
- U.S. District Court, Eastern District of New York
- U.S. District Court, Eastern District of Virginia
- U.S. District Court, Western District of Virginia
- U.S. Bankruptcy Court, Eastern District of Virginia
- U.S. Court of Appeals, Fourth Circuit
- Supreme Court of Virginia

### **LANGUAGES**

- Belarusian
- Russian

## **SPEAKING ENGAGEMENTS**

- Speaker, "State of Arbitrations," 51st Annual Advanced Business Law Conference, Virginia State Bar, September 6, 2025.
- Presenter, "Paycheck Protection Program Webinar – How Lenders can Defend Against Claims in PPP Litigation," Troutman Sanders, May 8, 2020.
- Speaker, "Collection Disputes: A Good Defense Is the Best Offense," Lorman Education Series, February 20, 2019.
- Speaker, "Loan Originator Compensation Rule," Thompson Reuters Legal Insights and Analytics, February 11, 2015.

## PUBLICATIONS

- Co-author, "CFPB Proposes Time-Barred Debt Supplement to Last Year's Third-Party Debt Collection Rule," *Troutman Sanders Consumer Financial Services Law Monitor*, February 25, 2020.
- Co-author, "2019 Consumer Financial Services Year in Review & A Look Ahead," *Troutman Sanders*, February 24, 2020.
- Co-author, "CFPB's New Debt Collection Rule Would Modernize the FDCPA for Voice Mail, Texting and Email," June 5, 2019.