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OVERVIEW

Max assists clients with white collar investigations, employment, and general business litigation matters.

TOP AREAS OF FOCUS

- Litigation + Trial
- White Collar Litigation + Investigations

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- Judicial extern, Justice Selya, U.S. Court of Appeals for the First Circuit, Spring 2023
- Judicial extern, Justice Robinson, Supreme Court of Rhode Island, Fall 2023
- Judicial intern, Judge Licht, Rhode Island Superior Court, Summer 2022

EDUCATION AND CERTIFICATIONS

EDUCATION

- Boston College Law School, J.D., *cum laude*, 2024
- Clark University, M.P.A., *magna cum laude*, 2020
- Clark University, B.A., 2019, political science; varsity lacrosse

BAR ADMISSIONS

- Massachusetts

COURT ADMISSIONS

- U.S. District Court, District of Massachusetts

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PUBLICATIONS

- Co-author, “Public Employers Face Heightened Scrutiny on Investigation Confidentiality Requirements,” *Troutman Pepper Locke*, September 23, 2026.
- Co-author, “DOJ and DHS Launch Cross-Agency Trade Fraud Task Force,” *Troutman Pepper Locke*, September 3, 2025.
- Co-author, “Making Compliance Your New Year’s Resolution,” *Troutman Pepper Locke*, January 10, 2025.
- Author, “The Beginning of the End for False Claims Act Qui Tam Cases?,” *Locke Lord QuickStudy*, October 4, 2024.