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## OVERVIEW

Sophia is an associate in the firm's Business Litigation practice. She received her law degree from Temple University Beasley School of Law with a Certificate in Trial Advocacy and Litigation, where she was a staff editor of *Temple Law Review*, a member of the Student Bar Association Board of Governors, and a Rubin Public Interest Law Honor Society scholar. Sophia received her bachelor's degree from the University of Florida, *cum laude*.

## TOP AREAS OF FOCUS

- Business Litigation

## ALL AREAS OF FOCUS

- Business Litigation
- Litigation + Trial

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- Certified legal intern, Eastern District of Pennsylvania Federal Supervision to Aid Reentry Program (2022-2023)
- Judicial intern for the Hon. Michael M. Baylson, U.S. District Court for the Eastern District of Pennsylvania, (2021)
- Judicial intern for the Hon. Anne E. Lazarus, Superior Court of Pennsylvania, (2021)

## EDUCATION AND CERTIFICATIONS

### EDUCATION

- Temple University Beasley School of Law, J.D., 2023
- University of Florida, B.A., *cum laude*, 2020

## BAR ADMISSIONS

- New York

## COURT ADMISSIONS

- U.S. District Court, Eastern District of New York
- U.S. District Court, Southern District of New York

## PUBLICATIONS

- Research assistant, "[Mass Arbitration Clauses: How Have They Fared So Far?](#)" *Alternatives to the High Cost of Litigation*, December 2024.
- Co-author, "[FINRA's Crackdown on Firms' Use of Social Media Influencers Continues](#)," *Troutman Pepper*, July 2, 2024.
- Co-author, "[Influencer Considerations As FINRA Initiates Crackdown](#)," *Law360*, May 22, 2024.
- Co-author, "[FINRA's First Disciplinary Action Targeting Firm's Use of Social Media Influencers](#)," *Troutman Pepper*, April 16, 2024.
- Co-author, "[The SEC Voluntarily Stays Climate-Related Disclosure Rules Pending Eighth Circuit Judicial Review](#)," *Troutman Pepper*, April 10, 2024.
- Co-author, "[The U.S. Attorney's Office for the Central District of California Announces Securities Fraud Task Force](#)," *Westlaw Today*, October 13, 2023.