

BRIANNA SMITH, OF COUNSELCommercial Litigation

EDUCATION:

- University of Florida, B.A. 2005
- Drake University Law School, J.D. 2009

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS:

· State Bar of Nevada

BAR AND COURT ADMISSION:

- Nevada
- U.S. District Court, District of Nevada
- U.S. Court of Appeals, Ninth Circuit

COMMUNITY SERVICE

• Special Olympics Nevada (2014-present)

TALENTED AND DETERMINED WITH EXCEPTIONAL TRIAL EXPERIENCE.

Ms. Smith joined the firm after serving as a Deputy Chief, Assistant United States Attorney, for the Department of Justice in the District of Nevada where she supervised a team of attorneys and litigated and tried civil cases on behalf of the United States. Prior to joining the Department of Justice, Ms. Smith cultivated a civil litigation practice with an emphasis on business disputes, Section 1983 claims, and the health care industry.

Ms. Smith has significant first-chair trial experience. She has obtained successful verdicts in both jury and bench trials, including defense verdicts in an officer-involved shooting and in many tort actions. Ms. Smith has also obtained favorable outcomes for her clients outside the courtroom in alternative dispute resolution forums.

Ms. Smith is a regular volunteer with the Special Olympics of Nevada and was named Volunteer of the Year in 2022.