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Overview

Katharin "Kate" Unke Smith represents insurers, reinsurers and agents in insurance and reinsurance disputes. Kate also represents clients in other complex litigation and business matters, including contract disputes, business dissolution and partnership disputes, misrepresentation and fraud, and employment-related disputes.

Education and Credentials

Education

University of Denver, Sturm College of Law, J.D., Order of the Coif, 2017, *Denver Law Review*, Articles Editor

University of Colorado Boulder, B.A., with Distinction, 2012

Admissions

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

U.S. District Court, District of Massachusetts

U.S. Court of Appeals, First Circuit

Affiliations

Massachusetts Insurance and Reinsurance Bar Association (MIReBA), President, 2024

Recognition and Community

No aspect of this advertisement has been approved by the highest court of any state. Prior results do not guarantee a similar outcome. [See Awards Methodology](#).

Recognitions

Selected to the list of Boston [Super Lawyers](#) Rising Stars (Thomson Reuters), Business Litigation, 2020-2024

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News

Katharin (Kate) M. Unke Smith Elected President of MIREBA
May 20, 2024