

# Christine Tsai

## Associate

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## Overview

Christine Tsai focuses her practice on a broad range of federal tax planning, estate and wealth transfer planning, tax controversy, and sophisticated wealth preservation strategies. She counsels high-net-worth individuals, families, fiduciaries, family offices, and closely held businesses on complex tax issues, helping clients navigate income tax and business planning opportunities.

Prior to joining Day Pitney, Christine concentrated her practice on federal tax planning for high-net-worth individuals, including matters involving tax-exempt organizations and corporate aircraft. She advised clients and family offices on a wide array of private wealth and tax matters, developing tailored planning strategies and conducting extensive research on complex federal tax issues. Earlier in her career, she represented businesses and individuals in tax controversy matters and served as an in-house senior tax attorney advising on domestic and international tax matters, corporate transactions, and high-value tax disputes. She also served in a state financial regulatory enforcement role, providing her with valuable insight into regulatory and enforcement matters that inform her practical, strategic approach to client counseling.

## Practices & Industries

**Family Office**

**International Tax**

**Private Client**

**Tax**

**Tax Exempt Organizations & Charitable Giving**

## Education and Credentials

### Education

New York University School of Law, LL.M., Taxation, 2020

Benjamin N. Cardozo School of Law, J.D., 2015

New York University, B.S., *cum laude*, 2012

### Admissions

State of Florida

State of New Jersey

State of New York

U.S. Tax Court

### Languages

Mandarin

# Recognition and Community

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## Recognitions

Selected to *The Best Lawyers in America* (Woodward/White, Inc.), list of Ones to Watch for Tax Law, 2024-2027; Corporate Law, 2026; Litigation and Controversy – Tax, 2026-2027; Trusts and Estates, 2026-2027

# In The Media

September 1, 2026, On the Move
Florida Bar News, September 1, 2026

The S Corporation Answer Book
Wolters Kluwer, January 1, 2026

The S Corporation: Planning and Operation
Wolters Kluwer, December 31, 2025

Going Public: Turning Your Private Foundation into a Public Charity
Journal of Taxation, July 2022 (republished in Estate Planning (Thomson Reuters)), May 2023