

Potoula P. Tournas

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Overview

Potoula Tournas represents clients in complex commercial litigation matters, internal investigations, governmental proceedings, and enforcement actions. She frequently litigates issues in both federal and state courts related to breach of contract, breach of fiduciary duty, fraud, unfair trade practices and land use issues, among others. Potoula has extensive experience providing critical support during pre-trial motion practice, in discovery disputes and in alternative dispute resolution. Potoula also helps clients respond to and resolve criminal, civil and regulatory investigations brought by federal and state agencies, including the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission.

During law school, Potoula interned with the Honorable Alfred V. Covello in the U.S. District Court for the District of Connecticut. Prior to law school, Potoula worked in New York as a litigation paralegal at a leading international law firm.

Potoula is passionate about pro bono work. She has successfully represented veterans facing eviction though the Connecticut Veterans Legal Center, as well as guardians of incapacitated individuals in probate court to secure necessary medications for their children. Potoula also enjoys mentoring high school and college students interested in law school and legal careers.

Practices & Industries

Complex Commercial Litigation

Government Enforcement & White Collar Defense

Litigation

Real Estate Litigation

Education and Credentials

Education

University of Connecticut School of Law, J.D.; *Connecticut Public Interest Law Journal*, Editor-in-Chief; Mock Trial Society

Northeastern University, B.A., *summa cum laude*

Admissions

State of Connecticut

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

U.S. District Court, District of Connecticut

U.S. District Court, District of Massachusetts

Affiliations

Fairfield County Bar Association, Civil Litigation Committee Co-Chair, 2026

Connecticut Bar Association, Young Lawyers Section

Massachusetts Bar Association

Hartford County Bar Association

Association of Greek American Professional Women

Languages

Greek

Recognition and Community

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Recognitions

Selected to the list of Connecticut *Super Lawyers*® Rising Stars, Business Litigation, 2026

Selected to the list of Massachusetts *Super Lawyers*® Rising Stars, Business Litigation, 2024-2025

CALI Excellence Award in Trial Advocacy, Spring 2020

Community Involvement

King School Alumni Association, Alumni Mentor

Insights

New Reporting Requirements in the Cybersecurity and Critical Infrastructure Sectors
New Jersey Law Journal's Cybersecurity Special Section, November 27, 2024

News

Litigation Associate Potoula Tournas has been installed as Co-Chair of the Fairfield County Bar Association's Civil Litigation Committee
June 22, 2026

In The Media

Thinking About Law School
March 2022