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Lauren's practice at BB&L focuses on the defense of physicians, hospitals, and other health care providers in medical liability litigation as well as licensing and disciplinary actions. She has extensive experience managing all pre-trial aspects of litigation as well as litigating multiple medical negligence trials. Lauren has also represented various providers at licensing proceedings before the Department of Health.

Lauren graduated *cum laude* from Seattle University School of Law while working full-time at ECG Management Consultants, Inc., a national healthcare consulting firm. After law school, Lauren spent several years practicing medical negligence defense at another Seattle health care firm before joining BB&L. She has been selected to the Washington *Super Lawyers Rising Stars*® list from 2019 – 2021, and the Best Lawyers: Ones to Watch 2022.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- Associate, Bennett, Bigelow & Leedom, P.S., Seattle, WA
April 2018 to present
- Associate, Floyd, Pflueger & Ringer, Seattle, WA
May 2015 to March 2018
- Rule 9 Licensed Legal Intern, Floyd, Pflueger & Ringer, Seattle, WA
March 2014 to April 2015
- Marketing Coordinator, ECG Management Consultants, Inc., Seattle, WA
February 2011 to February 2014

PUBLICATIONS AND PRESENTATIONS

- “Medical Malpractice: Litigation Trends”, Coverys Risk Management Seminar (2019)
- “Medical Malpractice Primer”, Virginia Mason Medical Center Transitional Year Retreat (2017 and 2018)
- “Pre-Suit Notice Requirements”, Floyd, Pflueger & Ringer (2016)
- “Standard of Proof in Department of Health Hearings”, Floyd, Pflueger & Ringer (2015)
- Lauren M. Martin, *Who’s Swallowing the “Bitter Pill”?: Reforming Write-Offs in the State of Washington*, 37 SEATTLE U. L. REV. 1371 (2014)

PROFESSIONAL AND COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

- Washington State Society of Healthcare Attorneys, Member
- Washington Women Lawyers, Member
- King County Bar Association, Member

AWARDS AND RECOGNITION

- Selected to the Washington *Super Lawyers Rising Stars*® list, 2019-2021
- Selected to the Best Lawyers: Ones to Watch list, 2022
Medical Malpractice Law - Defendants

EDUCATION

Seattle University School of Law, Juris Doctor, *cum laude*, December 2014
Business and Marketing Editor, Seattle University Law Review
Co-President, Women's Law Caucus
2013 In-House Mock Trial Competition Winner

Occidental College, Bachelor of Arts, December 2008
Honorary Distinction for Senior Comprehensive Thesis

BAR AND COURT ADMISSIONS

Washington State Bar Association
United States District Court, Western District of Washington
United States District Court, Eastern District of Washington