



Brianne McClafferty

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Brianne McClafferty guides clients through complex litigation, including commercial, environmental, employment, and bankruptcy litigation.

Brianne represents clients in business, environmental, and employment disputes in federal and state court and in administrative forums. Brianne also has experience representing creditors in Chapter 11, Chapter 12, and Chapter 13 bankruptcies. Her clients include a variety of resource companies, banking and finance companies, and public utility companies.

Prior to joining Holland & Hart, Brianne served as a law clerk to Judge Brian Morris of the U.S. District Court for District of Montana. Brianne serves as the Administrative Partner of the Billings Office.

PRACTICES

ERISA and Benefits Litigation
Employment and Labor
Business Litigation
Energy Consumers, Developers, and Public Utilities
Environmental Litigation
Employment Litigation
Wage and Hour
Real Estate Litigation
State and Local Tax

INDUSTRIES

Energy and Resources
Mining

EDUCATION

University of Montana School of Law,
J.D., 2015
with Honors
Charles Timothy Stoner Law Scholarship
Poore, Roth & Robinson Scholarship
J Green Scholarship

Montana Tech of the University of
Montana, B.S., 2012
Highest Scholastic Achievement in Arts
and Sciences Award
Dr. Leroy Walker Champions of
Character Award

BAR ADMISSIONS

Montana

EXPERIENCE

Brianne has significant experience representing clients before:

- United States District Courts in Montana
- Montana State District Courts
- Montana Supreme Court
- United States Bankruptcy Court in Montana
- Montana Board of Environmental Review
- The Montana Human Rights Bureau and the Montana Human Rights Commission
- The Public Service Commission

Additionally, Brianne has represented clients *pro hac vice* in the District of Columbia and in United States Bankruptcy Court in the District of Delaware.

PUBLICATIONS

"You Can't Have Your Cake and Eat It Too: Tax Classifications and Bresnan Communications LLC v. State Department of Revenue," *Montana Law Review, Online Edition*, 2011

RECOGNITION

- *Best Lawyers: Ones to Watch in America*[®], Commercial Litigation, 2021, 2023, 2024; Litigation - Bankruptcy, 2022-2024; Litigation -

Labor and Employment, 2022-2024

- Litigation Counsel of America, Associate Fellow
- Mountain States Super Lawyers[®], Rising Stars, Business Litigation, 2023

PROFESSIONAL AND CIVIC AFFILIATIONS

- Montana Bar Association, Member
- Yellowstone Area Bar Association, Member
- Lawyer Representative to the Ninth Circuit Judicial Conference
- Holland & Hart Foundation, Board Member
- Young Families Early Head Start, Board of Directors, Vice Chair, 2018-present