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OVERVIEW

Alison defends clients in mass tort and product liability matters, leveraging a broad commercial litigation background to deliver results-driven advocacy. She practices from Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania as a member of our virtual office, The Link.

Most recently, she practiced at a national law firm where she represented financial institutions, major corporations, insurers, franchise systems, housing providers, and cryptocurrency clients in state and federal courts. Earlier in her career, Alison defended product manufacturers and premises owners in product liability cases, building a strong foundation in the area of law that continues to shape her practice.

She is drawn to litigation for its fast-paced, dynamic nature and the opportunity to think on her feet. She is especially motivated by product liability and mass tort work, where legal issues intersect with individual circumstances, requiring thoughtful, adaptive strategies to protect client interests.

Her experience spans all stages of litigation and dispute resolution: researching and drafting memoranda, pleadings, motions, and appellate briefs; arguing motions in court; taking and defending depositions; managing discovery; and advising clients on case management and strategy. She also has experience in mediations and arbitrations.

Drawing on diverse internships and externships—including roles in industry, at Amnesty International, for the Hon. Jeffrey A. Deller of the U.S. Bankruptcy Court for

Industries

Manufacturing
Technology
Transportation

Services

Commercial Litigation
Employment Litigation Defense
Litigation & Alternative Dispute Resolution
Product Liability
Toxic Tort

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the Western District of Pennsylvania, and at the Public Defender's Office of Westmoreland County, Pennsylvania—Alison learned the value of understanding issues from multiple perspectives, including those of clients, opposing parties, and opposing counsel. This insight allows her to anticipate challenges, navigate competing interests, and craft practical strategies that advance clients' goals while achieving fair and effective outcomes. Known for her persuasive writing, clear communication, and nimble thinking, she translates these insights into action, securing results that make a meaningful impact.

Education

- J.D., University of Pittsburgh School of Law
 - *cum laude*
- B.A., American University
 - *magna cum laude*
 - International Relations

Admissions

- Pennsylvania
- U.S. District Court, Eastern District of Pennsylvania
- U.S. District Court, Western District of Pennsylvania

Alison is associated with the Washington, DC office for telephone and mail purposes only. She is not admitted to practice in District of Columbia.

Community Leadership

- Morningside Soccer Association, Volunteer Coach, August 2023-present

*Alison works remotely and is licensed in Pennsylvania, practicing in Pittsburgh, PA. Contact Alison via email or phone for in-person/virtual meetings. Use the Washington, DC office address for mail/deliveries only.