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OVERVIEW

Gwendolyn represents private and public institutions of higher education in a variety of legal matters.

Gwen offers comprehensive counsel to higher education clients. She represents clients in administrative proceedings, state and federal court, and before the U.S. Department of Education Office for Civil Rights. She litigates and advises colleges and universities on:

- Employment disputes, including tenure
- Student affairs issues
- Contract claims
- Constitutional claims
- Disability and accommodations
- Campus safety issues
- Compliance issues
- Policies and handbooks
- Discrimination claims, including those arising under Title IX

A team player, Gwen builds strong relationships with clients and supports the attorney team. She feels drawn to her mission-driven clients and finds inspiration in the societal contributions higher education institutions offer to educators, students and the entire community.

Industries

Education
Healthcare

Services

Higher Education
Title IX

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Education

- J.D., University of Chicago Law School
- B.A., Williams College
  - English
  - *cum laude*

Admissions

- Illinois
- U.S. District Court, Northern District of Illinois
- U.S. Court of Appeals, Seventh Circuit
- U.S. Supreme Court

Clerkship

The Hon. Michael H. Watson, U.S. District Court, Southern District of Ohio

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