



## Carrie L. Carpenter

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### OVERVIEW

A problem-solver, Carrie assists clients in navigating all phases of complex and class action litigation.

In addition to environmental, product liability, toxic tort, class action, contract and transactional law experience, clients appreciate Carrie's extensive background in eDiscovery and data handling. Carrie has represented national and international clients at large law firms and as in-house counsel. She also has experience working in a global healthcare company's data management department and at a major print and e-print legal publisher.

In her legal eDiscovery work, Carrie synthesizes thousands of documents in order to keep case strategy on track. She knows that eDiscovery work is not a fishing expedition. It's being able to hold both the granular details and the big picture in mind. Clearly communicating with litigation teams throughout the eDiscovery process is critical to producing effective strategy – clients and case teams appreciate that she is communicative, going above and beyond the task at hand.

### Industries

Manufacturing  
Technology  
Transportation

### Services

Asbestos Litigation  
Class Action Defense  
Commercial Litigation  
eDiscovery Solutions  
Environmental  
Litigation & Alternative Dispute Resolution  
Product Liability  
Toxic Tort

## Experience

- Managed eDiscovery during representation of Fortune 500 client in complex environmental-chemical exposure class action litigation, handling more than 1 million e-documents and their collection, identification, preservation, production and review.
- Served on trial team for global chemical corporation defending chemical exposure class action spanning over 8 years.
- Defended global corporations and national companies in toxic tort litigation in Missouri and Illinois.
- Advised clients regarding development of Process Safety Management Programs compliant with Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) standards for processes involving potentially hazardous chemicals.
- Provided guidance on occupancy and remediation standards under U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) and New Jersey Department of Children and Families (NJ DCF) for development of childcare centers.
- Drafted various corporate documents, including corporate bylaws, operating agreements, vendor services agreements, nondisclosure agreements, asset purchase agreements, sales of interest, and waiver and consent agreements for in-house corporate employer.
- Represented inmates pro bono in actions under Section 1983 of the Civil Rights Act in Federal Court.

## Education

- J.D., Saint Louis University School of Law
  - Phi Alpha Delta
  - Women's Law Student Association
- B.A., Millikin University
  - *magna cum laude*
  - Communication major; Political Science minor
  - Millikin merit scholarship
  - Pi Sigma Alpha
  - Lambda Pi Eta, Vice President
  - T.W. Samuels Award
  - Dr. and Mrs. W.J. Darby Award
  - Dean's List
  - National Honors Society

## Admissions

- Missouri
- Illinois
- U.S. District Court, Southern District of Illinois

## Community Leadership

- Girls on the Run
  - Go! St. Louis
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\*Contact Carrie to set up an in-person consultation by appointment in the St. Louis office.



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