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Biography

Kat Gritsenko supports clients facing complex commercial disputes and product-related claims. She brings a strong analytical and appellate background to her practice, along with a practical, deadline-driven approach shaped by her judicial clerkship experience.

Prior to joining NJL, Kat clerked at the Minnesota Court of Appeals, where she managed workloads across three judicial chambers, reviewed complex appellate records, and prepared bench memoranda for judge panels ahead of oral arguments and nonoral conferences.

Kat's litigation experience includes work with the Standing Chapter 13 Trustee's office, where she observed proceedings before the U.S. Bankruptcy Court for the District of Minnesota, and a law division internship at a major financial institution, where she researched legal issues relevant to the bank's business lines, including international products and commercial real estate matters, and participated in trial preparation.

Before law school, Kat spent nearly a decade in corporate roles in online learning, project management, and product development.

Clerkships

Judicial Clerk, Hon. Renee L. Worke, Hon. Elise L. Larson, and Hon. Jon Schmidt, Minnesota Court of Appeals

Judicial Clerk, Hon. Carol M. Hanks, Minnesota District Court

Legal Resident, Hon. Gordon L. Moore, III, Minnesota Supreme Court

Education

Mitchell Hamline School of Law, J.D., *cum laude*, 2024

St. Cloud State University, B.A., Political Science

Bar Admissions

Minnesota

KEY PRACTICE EXPERIENCE

- Appellate research, writing, and bench memoranda preparation
- Business litigation
- Trial preparation and case research
- Contract drafting and negotiation

COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

- TeamWomen
Member, 2018 - Present
Young Professionals Advisory Board, 2018-2022
- Veterans for Peace
Member, 2020-Present

RECOGNITIONS AND HONORS

- Jessup International Moot Court (Regional Quarterfinalist 2022–23, Team Captain 2023–24)
- *Mitchell Hamline Law Journal of Public Policy and Practice* (Editing Associate)
- Global Arbitration Certificate, August 2022

PUBLICATIONS AND PRESENTATIONS

- “Arbitration as a Dispute Resolution Mechanism for Cross-Border Intellectual Property Disputes,” *Cybaris®*, *An Intellectual Property Law Review*, Vol. 15, Issue 3 (2024)