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OVERVIEW

Ashley Song is a lawyer at K&L Gates LLP. She is part of the firm's Commercial Disputes and Labor, Employment, and Workplace Safety groups. She focuses her practice on business, consumer class action, and labor and workplace safety matters.

Her experience covers business litigation across diverse sectors, and she has worked on consumer class action matters related to various states' consumer protection laws, including the California Consumer Legal Remedies Act, false advertising, and unfair competition, in addition to commercial disputes. She is also experienced in handling employment disputes and claims, due diligence for corporate transactions, as well as advising on wage and hour compliance and workplace safety.

Ashley is experienced in various phases of litigation, including fact discovery, dispositive motion practice, hearing attendance, trial preparation, mediation, and arbitration.

PROFESSIONAL BACKGROUND

Previously, Ashley was a summer associate with the firm. In law school, Ashley participated in the Hale Moot Court Honors Program and worked as a teaching assistant to Professor Ariela Gross, the John B. and Alice R. Sharp Professor of Law and History.

EDUCATION

- J.D., University of Southern California Gould School of Law, 2019
- B.S., University of Southern California, 2015

ADMISSIONS

- Bar of California
- United States District Court for the Central District of California

- United States District Court for the Eastern District of California
- United States District Court for the Northern District of California
- United States District Court for the Southern District of California

LANGUAGES

- Korean

THOUGHT LEADERSHIP *POWERED BY HUB*

- 4 March 2024, Pen Register and Trap and Trace Claims: The Latest Wave of CIPA Litigation
- 26 February 2024, 2023 Health Care Employment Law Year in Review
- 12 March 2023, Silicon Valley Bank Collapse: Implications for Employers
- 20 February 2023, 2022 Health Care Employment Law Year in Review
- 28 March 2022 , In the Weeds: Why Arbitration May Be the Key to Preserving Enforcement of Cannabis M&A and VC Contracts
- 15 March 2022, Annie's Hops Away from Proposed Slack-Fill Class Action
- 10 February 2022, 2021 Health Care Employment Law Year in Review
- 13 January 2022, Apple Boots "Loot Box" Complaint for Good
- 6 January 2021, California Enacts New Laws Affecting Employers in 2021
- 30 April 2020, COVID-19: San Francisco and San Jose Issue Emergency Paid Sick Leave Ordinances for Employers Not Covered Under FFCRA
- 15 April 2020, COVID-19: California Counties and Cities Enact Stricter COVID-19 Policies than California's Statewide Stay-at-Home Order
- 19 March 2020, COVID-19: Bay Area Issues Coordinated "Shelter in Place" Public Health Order
- 7 January 2020, California Legislature Adopts Several New Employment Laws for 2020

OTHER PUBLICATIONS

- "Silicon Valley Bank Collapse: Implications for Employers," *LexisNexis*, 2023
- "Arbitration As An Enforcement Solution In Cannabis Contracts," *Law360*, 31 March 2022

NEWS & EVENTS

- 6 March 2023, K&L Gates Selects 2023 Leadership Council on Legal Diversity Fellow, Pathfinders
- 1 September 2021, K&L Gates Advises Megaport (USA) Inc. in Acquisition of InnovoEdge Inc.

AREAS OF FOCUS

- Commercial Disputes
- Class Action Litigation Defense
- Employment Disputes and Investigations
- Employment Issues in Business Transactions
- Human Resource Advice and Compliance
- Wage and Hour
- Workplace Safety