

# **Christine A. Kohler**

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### **Focus Areas**

Discrimination and Harassment Hiring, Performance Management and Termination Leaves of Absence and Disability Accommodation Whistleblowing, Compliance and Investigations Arbitration Litigation and Trials Healthcare Financial Services Retail

#### **Overview**

Christine A. Kohler represents small to large businesses in a wide variety of employment litigation matters pending in state and federal courts, as well as in arbitration and before state and federal government agencies. Christine is an experienced litigator who routinely and successfully defends employers against claims for discrimination, harassment, wrongful termination, retaliation, defamation, and other related issues. She has extensive experience representing employers in the healthcare, financial services, and retail industries.

Prior to joining Littler, Christine practiced law at a large multiservice national law firm where she represented employers in litigation and counseled businesses on day-to-day employment issues such as leaves of absence, reasonable accommodations, discipline, discharge, and other personnel matters.

During law school, Christine was a member of the *Southern California Interdisciplinary Law Journal* and served as an extern to the Hon. Wm. Matthew Byrne, Jr., U.S. Disctrict Court, Central District of California.



# **Professional and Community Affiliations**

- Member, American Bar Association
- Member, Los Angeles County Bar Association
- Past Member, Board of Governors, Women Lawyers Association of Los Angeles

#### **Education**

- J.D., University of Southern California, 2000
- B.A., University of California, Irvine, 1995, cum laude

### **Bar Admissions**

California

## Courts

- U.S. Court of Appeals, 9th Circuit
- U.S. District Court, Central District of California
- U.S. District Court, Southern District of California
- U.S. District Court, Northern District of California
- U.S. District Court, Eastern District of California