Meredith C. Sherman

Partner

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- Experienced litigator who represents clients in shareholder disputes, construction cases, condominium litigation and other commercial matters
- Support of clients across a wide range of industry sectors
- Provides guidance related to regulatory investigations and compliance issues, and in responses to government inquiries and subpoenas

Meredith assists clients in navigating complex, commercial litigation including shareholder disputes, securities litigation, business valuation disputes, construction cases, condominium cases, employment matters and financial services matters.

She takes a comprehensive and multi-faceted approach to representing clients engaged in a broad range of industries, including the manufacturing, construction, pharmaceutical, higher education, investment, and brokerage sectors.

Meredith's experience includes supporting banking clients in investigations related to global regulatory sanctions, anti-money laundering compliance, alleged manipulation of benchmark interest rates, and in a broad range of government inquiries and subpoena responses.

Areas of Focus

Practice Areas

- Commercial Litigation
- Consumer Fraud
- Fiduciary Relationships
- Shareholder & Partnership Disputes
- Construction
- Litigation
- Real Estate Litigation
- Construction Litigation
- Condominium Litigation
- Construction Litigation

Industries

- Real Estate
- Construction
- Financial Services & Insurance

Credentials

Bar Admissions

- New Jersey, 2009
- New York, 2010
- Pennsylvania, 2022

Education

- University of Pennsylvania Law School, J.D., 2009
- Institut d'Etudes Politiques de Paris, M.A., 2009
- Bryn Mawr College, B.A., *magna cum laude*, 2004

Recognition

- Listed in *Best Lawyers: Ones to Watch* (a trademark of Woodward/White, Inc.) in the Commercial Litigation practice area (2022 - present)

Languages

- Fluent in French
- Fluent in Spanish

Other Experience

- Prior to law school, Meredith worked as a legal assistant in a New Jersey law firm representing clients in various environmental and historic preservation litigation matters, including those related to the preservation of Buccleuch Mansion, Traders Cove marina and the "Tillie" mural in Asbury Park.

Experience

Representative Matters

- Represented a national manufacturer of pet foods in complex, long-running federal securities class action litigation arising from alleged misstatements in the company's public disclosures, which culminated in a certified class, extensive discovery, and a settlement of approximately $10.1 million before final judgment.
- Represented the New Jersey Schools Development Authority in long-running condemnation and environmental remediation litigation, securing recovery of more than $4 million in escrowed funds to reimburse cleanup costs incurred by the client.
- Assisted in the representation of Carlyle Towers Condominium Association, a 280-unit luxury condominium association, in easement litigation concerning critical vehicular and pedestrian access rights, securing summary judgment upholding a 1973 Master Deed easement and preserving essential access to the property.
- Represented a nationwide shingles manufacturer in decertifying a previously certified consumer class action alleging breach of warranty and product defects, significantly reducing exposure.
- Represented a professional services firm and its principal in a malpractice action, securing summary judgment dismissing all claims.
- Represented a publicly traded company in a putative securities class action, securing dismissal of the complaint in its entirety and affirmance on appeal.
- Represented a pharmaceutical company in a putative securities class action, obtaining dismissal of all claims at the pleading stage.
- Advised a pharmaceutical company in an SEC investigation, securing a no-action letter and avoiding enforcement proceedings.
- Represented a national standard-setting body for financial accounting standards in patent litigation challenging an alleged accounting methodology, resulting in complete dismissal of all claims.

Affiliations

Memberships

- American Bar Association, Business Law Section: Vice Chair, Securities Litigation Subcommittee, Business and Corporate Litigation Committee; Co-Chair, Wellness, Life Balance & Time Management Subcommittee
- New Jersey State Bar Association: Business Law Section, Civil Trial Bar Section, Dispute Resolution Section, Women in the Profession Section
- Association of the Federal Bar of New Jersey

- Mercer County Bar Association

Personal

- Recipient of the Commitment to Justice Award from Her Justice, a nonprofit organization that provides free legal help to women living in poverty in New York City, for her successful representation of a domestic violence survivor and her children in their U Visa applications (2014)
- While attending law school, served as Associate Editor of the university's *Journal of International Law*

Insights & More

Announcements

2024 Edition of Best Lawyers Recognizes 59 Attorneys in 38 Practice Areas: Twelve Greenbaum Lawyers Recognized on "Ones to Watch" List; Five Selected for "Lawyer of the Year" Recognition
8.16.23

2023 Edition of Best Lawyers Recognizes 51 Attorneys in 36 Practice Areas: Nine Greenbaum Lawyers Recognized on "Ones to Watch" List; Seven Selected for "Lawyer of the Year" Recognition
8.17.22

Greenbaum, Rowe, Smith & Davis Welcomes New Partner and Promotes Three Associates to Partnership: New Counsel and Associates Also Join Firm
2.09.22

Client Alerts

Construction Litigation Update: NJ Appellate Division Requires Attorney-Fee Shifting in Enforcing the New Jersey Prompt Payment Act
6.13.22

An Overview of the Strengthening American Cybersecurity Act
3.31.22

President Biden Calls on Private Sector Businesses to Implement Heightened Cybersecurity Risk Protocols
3.25.22