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Practice Emphasis

Business Law
Finance & Securities
Commercial Transactions
Succession & Exit Planning
Business Planning,
Formation, & Transactions

Estate Planning & Probate Mergers & Acquisitions Nonprofit Law Venture Capital

About Erin

Erin's practice focuses on business law, with over two decades' experience in corporate finance and securities, startups, mergers & acquisitions, technology transactions, and business succession planning. She also has extensive experience working with large and small nonprofit clients.

General Business, Transactions, and Financing Growth

Erin's corporate practice includes advising companies in business formations, transactions (including reorganizations, mergers, acquisitions, and asset sales), executive compensation matters (including stock and other incentive compensation), private fund formation, and shareholder agreements.

Transactions

Erin represents buyers and sellers in mergers and acquisitions ranging from the purchase or sale of small businesses to complex technology and specialized industry transactions. She provides transaction structure, financing, and risk minimization advice, document preparation and negotiation, due diligence, and schedule preparation. She also assists clients with IP licensing and negotiating and drafting of SaaS and other MSAs.

Corporate Finance and Securities

Erin assists clients with private placement investment in early and follow-on financings, as well as later stage financings for mature companies seeking capital to expand. She helps clients by preparing Regulation D and other private placement offering memoranda and corresponding investment documents, identifying applicable federal and state "blue sky" law exemptions, and preparing required securities and compliance filings.

Personal

Outside of the office, Erin enjoys creative writing, traveling with her family, exploring the beautiful Pacific Northwest, and playing with her golden retriever.

Education

- J.D., *magna cum laude,* Pepperdine Caruso School of Law, 2001
- > B.A., University of Houston, 1996

Bar Admissions

- Washington State Bar
- State Bar of Texas
- > District of Columbia Bar

Professional & Civic Involvement

- King County Bar Association
- Washington State Bar Association
- Texas Bar Association
- > D.C. Bar Association
- American Bar Association