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PROFILE

Alison is a seasoned trial lawyer with significant experience litigating complex criminal fraud trials and handling large government investigations. Her work as a federal prosecutor included investigating and litigating numerous, large corporate frauds, including taking seven cases to jury trials. She also supervised criminal corporate resolutions, evaluated corporate compliance programs, and engaged with ongoing corporate monitorships.

Alison worked in the Fraud Section of the Criminal Division of the U.S. Department of Justice for nearly a decade, first as a trial attorney in the Securities and Financial Fraud Unit and most recently as Assistant Deputy Chief in the Strategy, Policy, and Training Unit. As a trial attorney, she conducted high-profile investigations of Fortune 500 companies like Deutsche Bank and Volkswagen, securing resolutions that levied significant fines and established compliance monitorships. Alison's work in this area required close coordination with numerous state, federal, and international regulators, giving her deep knowledge of the multifaceted challenges companies may face from government agencies and civil litigants in an investigation. Alison's trial experience included co-leading the team in the high-profile *United States v. Connolly* matter, which has influenced the way corporate clients approach cooperation with government investigations and the way defense counsel are litigating these issues on behalf of individual clients.

As an Assistant Deputy Chief, Alison oversaw the agency's recent criminal corporate resolutions with The Boeing Company, JPMorgan Chase & Co., Bank of Nova Scotia, United Airlines, Inc., and others.

PRACTICES

- Global Investigations and White Collar Defense
- Crisis Management
- Antitrust and Competition
- Financial Institutions and Private Funds
- Securities and Shareholder Disputes
- Life Sciences and Health Care
- Class Actions
- Corporate Governance and ESG
- Sexual Misconduct Litigation and Investigations

EDUCATION

Rutgers University School of Law, J.D., *summa cum laude*; Executive Editor, Rutgers Journal of Law and Public Policy; Top Ten Brief Award and Semi-Finalist, Hunter Moot Court Competition; Marshall-Brennan Constitutional Literacy Fellowship

San Diego State University, M.A., Public Administration

California Polytechnic State University, B.S., Civil Engineering; Ethnic Studies Minor

ADMISSIONS

Bars

California

AWARDS AND ASSOCIATIONS

Prior to attending law school, Alison worked as a civil engineer on new, multifamily developments throughout the San Diego area.

Admitted to practice in California only; not admitted to practice in District of Columbia.

PUBLICATIONS & PRESENTATIONS

Co-author, **When #MeToo Intersects with US Government Enforcement: Sexual Misconduct as Securities Fraud**, *Global Investigations Review* (January 2024)

Lawdragon 500 Leading Litigators in America (2024)

Lawdragon 500 X - The Next Generation (2023)

Best Lawyers in America (2023-2024)

The EPA's Office of Enforcement and Compliance Assurance's 2019 Assistant Administrator's Special Recognition Award (2020)

Federal Bureau of Investigation's Washington Field Office Award for Outstanding Service (2019)

Executive Office for United States Attorneys Director's Award for Superior Performance by a Litigative Team (2018)

Federal Bureau of Investigation's Washington Field Office Award for Outstanding Service (2015)

GOVERNMENT SERVICE

Assistant Deputy Chief, Strategy, Policy, and Training Unit; U.S. Department of Justice, Criminal Division, Fraud Section

Trial Attorney, Securities and Financial Fraud Unit; U.S. Department of Justice, Criminal Division, Fraud Section

CLERKSHIPS

Hon. Johnnie B. Rawlinson, U.S. Court of Appeals: Ninth Circuit

Hon. Eduardo C. Robreno, U.S. District Court: Eastern District of Pennsylvania

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