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Renee is an associate in the Casualty Department at Marshall Dennehey, concentrating her practice in asbestos, mass, and toxic tort matters arising out of exposure to asbestos, silica, and benzene. She participates in all phases of litigation throughout Western Pennsylvania from investigation to trial preparation. Prior to joining Marshall Dennehey, Renee worked for a regional defense firm in Canonsburg where she similarly practiced the defense of mass toxic tort matters.

In 2018, Renee earned her *juris doctor* from The University of Akron School of Law. She interned for the Pennsylvania Innocence Project through Duquesne University's School of Law after her second year. During her final year of law school, Renee clerked at a boutique law firm where she handled plaintiff medical malpractice work under the supervision of practicing attorneys.

Renee graduated from Kent State University in 2015 with a Bachelor of Arts in Paralegal Studies with a minor in Pre-Law. During her time in college, she was a member of the Honors College and a member of the Kent State Division I Varsity Women's Soccer team.

Renee is admitted to practice law in the state of Pennsylvania.

Education

- University of Akron School of Law (J.D., 2018)
- Kent State University (B.A., *magna cum laude*, 2015)

Admissions

- Pennsylvania, 2018
- U.S. District Court Western District of Pennsylvania, 2019
- West Virginia, 2024

Practices

- Asbestos & Mass Tort Litigation
- Insurance Services – Coverage & Bad Faith Litigation

Associations & Memberships

- Allegheny County Bar Association

Thought Leadership

June 1, 2024

Asbestosis Takes the Stand: Raising Awareness of an Abnormally High Verdict for a Typically Low Value Case