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Areas of Focus

Anti-Corruption and FCPA

Data Privacy and
Cybersecurity

Investigations, Compliance,
and Defense

Monitorship Practice



Overview

Tali Leinwand helps companies, boards of directors, and individuals navigate complex white collar investigations that involve significant and cross-border legal risk in areas including financial fraud, national security, money laundering, electronic surveillance, cybersecurity, and the Foreign Corrupt Practices Act. She regularly leads matters on behalf of clients who are being investigated by federal and state law enforcement and regulators, including DOJ and U.S. Attorney's Offices, and she advises clients on criminal resolution strategy to help them assess risk and achieve the best outcome. In addition, Tali works closely with companies and boards of directors to conduct sensitive internal investigations, culture reviews, compliance program assessments, and policy reform.

Tali maintains a pro bono practice focused on First Amendment and content-related litigation. She leads and advises teams bringing suit under the Freedom of Information Act, as well as on matters involving the unsealing of records, prepublication review, and public forum challenges to government official conduct.

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Credentials

Admissions

- New York, 2016

Education

- Columbia University School of Law, JD, James Kent Scholar; Shearman & Sterling Student Writing Prize in Comparative & International Law, 2015
- University of Pennsylvania, BA, *magna cum laude*, Penn Humanities Forum Mellon Research Fellow, College Alumni Society Undergraduate Research Grant, Judah Goldin Memorial Prize for Excellence in Advanced Hebrew Studies, 2009

Court Admissions

- US Court of Appeals, Second Circuit, 2018
- US Court of Appeals, Third Circuit, 2017
- US Court of Appeals, Seventh Circuit, 2018
- US District Court, Eastern District of New York, 2016
- US District Court, Southern District of New York, 2016

Clerkships

- Hon. Marjorie O. Rendell, US Court of Appeals, Third Circuit, 2016-2017

Service / Recognition

Awards

- Law360, Rising Star, White Collar, 2024
- *New York Metro Super Lawyers*, Rising Star, White Collar Crimes, 2022-2025
- *Best Lawyers in America*, Ones to Watch, Commercial Litigation, 2026

Service to the Bar

- American Bar Association, Member, Forum on Communications Law
- New York City Bar Association, Member, Communications & Media Law Committee

Industry

- Media Law Resource Center, Member, Next Generation Media Lawyer Committee