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Main Bio

Maya focuses her practice on data privacy and complex commercial litigation, handling matters such as contract disputes, legal malpractice, business torts, data breaches and class actions.

She is experienced in drafting pleadings, petitions, motions, substantive arguments, research memoranda and other legal documents, advocating effectively for both plaintiffs and defendants. Her thoroughness and keen attention to detail ensure that her clients are well-prepared and confident at every stage of their case.

Prior to joining Benesch, Maya was an associate at Baker & Hostetler. She has also served as a law clerk to the Honorable Melissa A. Crane and the Honorable O. Peter Sherwood in the Commercial Division of the New York State Supreme Court, drafting decisions for complex motions and resolving discovery conflicts.

News

- Nathalie Gorman and Maya Rivera Mentioned in Crain's New York People On the Move, October 21, 2024

Related Practices

Litigation

Data Privacy & Cybersecurity

Privacy Litigation & Enforcement Defense

Education

- Fordham University School of Law, 2019, J.D.
  - Leslie Misrock Scholarship
  - Managing Editor, *Fordham Intellectual Property, Media & Entertainment Law Journal,* Volume XXIX
  - Negotiation Competition Coach, Sports Law Forum, 2018-2019
  - Editor, Cardozo BMI Bench Team, 2018
  - International Mediation Competitor, Dispute Resolution Society, 2017-2018
  - Negotiation Competition Competitor, 2017-2018
  - Finalist, Fordham Moot Court Board: I. Maurice Wormser Competition, 2017
- Hofstra University, 2014, B.A. in Political Science

Credentials

- New York
- U.S. Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit
- Second Department

Recognitions

- State Court Counsel Committee Co-Chair, New York State Bar Association's Commercial & Federal Litigation Section

- Managing Editor, *Esports Bar Association Journal,* 2021 Volume

Memberships

- Former Member, International Association of Privacy Professionals