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Sloane is a bankruptcy and commercial litigation attorney dedicated to developing innovative, cost-effective solutions for her clients. She concentrates her practice in the areas of bankruptcy and restructuring, creditors' rights and commercial litigation.

Prior to joining FBT Gibbons, in addition to her bankruptcy practice, Sloane was a member of an ERISA withdrawal liability team, which represented multiemployer pension funds in federal arbitration and district courts nationwide. Due to her diverse practice, she has varied experience in both federal and state courts. Sloane represents parties, both creditors and debtors, in all phases of bankruptcy proceedings and has handled preference and fraudulent transfer actions, reclamation demands, debtor-in-possession financing, assumption and rejection of executory contracts, and consumer bankruptcy matters.

Other Info About Sloane

Experience

Successfully argued Pennsylvania Superior Court appeal on behalf of financial institution as to sufficiency of Act 91 Notice

Litigation and bankruptcy counsel for national financial institutions and mortgage servicers

Advising tax-exempt entities on Board of Director internal disputes

Representation of national pension funds in arbitration and federal district courts nationwide on a variety of issues related to withdrawal liability, including the application of the Building and

Construction Industry Exemption, transactions to “evade or avoid” withdrawal liability,” controlled group liability, and the “pay now, dispute later” rule

Collections litigation counsel for national credit union

Representation of medical device company in defense of preference and avoidance actions

Education

University of Pittsburgh School of Law, J.D.

Washington and Jefferson College, B.A., *cum laude*

Courts

U.S. District Court for the Western District of Pennsylvania

U.S. District Court for the District of Maryland

Recognition

Recognized by *Best Lawyers: Ones to Watch® in America* – Bankruptcy and Creditor Debtor Rights/Insolvency and Reorganization Law, 2022–2027; Commercial Litigation, 2023–2027; Construction, 2026–2027; Litigation—Bankruptcy, 2024–2027; Litigation—Construction, 2024–2027

Selected for inclusion in *Pennsylvania Rising Stars®*, 2023–2026

Presentations

Allegheny County Bar Association’s Bankruptcy Symposium, *The Impact of COVID-19 on Restaurant, Retail and Service-Industry Bankruptcy Cases*, Panelist, December 11, 2020

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