

# Ariel M. Fox

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**Industries**

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**Practice Areas**

Business & Commercial Litigation

Corporate Law

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**Bar Memberships**

New York

Ohio

Ariel (Ari) Fox's practice focuses on commercial litigation and investigations. She has represented individuals, corporations, boards of directors, and government-owned entities in a wide variety of complex commercial disputes, including contract and construction litigation, and tort and securities class actions before federal and state courts at the trial and appellate level. Ari frequently advises on pre-litigation matters and regulatory best practices.

Ari also has extensive experience conducting internal and government investigations both domestically and abroad involving alleged discrimination, civil theft, and violations of the False Claims Act and Foreign Corrupt Practices Act. She has presented investigative findings before the DOJ, SEC, and Office of the Comptroller of the Currency.

Prior to joining the firm, Ari worked in the New York office of an international law firm and clerked for the Honorable Kenneth M. Karas on the U.S. District Court for the Southern District of New York.

Ari received her B.A. from Cornell University and her J.D. from Columbia Law School, where she was recognized as a Harlan Fiske Stone Scholar and James Kent Scholar and served on the Columbia Law Review.

## Other Info About Ariel

### Education

Columbia Law School, J.D., 2015.

Harlan Fiske Stone Scholar, 2012 – 2013
James Kent Scholar, 2013 – 2015
Notes Editor, *Columbia Law Review*
Semi-Finalist, Harlan Fiske Stone Moot Court Competition, 2014 – 2015

Cornell University, B.A., 2010

## Clerkships

U.S. District Court for the Southern District of New York, Honorable Kenneth M. Karas

## Courts

U.S. Court of Appeals for the Second Circuit

U.S. Court of Appeals for the Fifth Circuit

U.S. District Court for the Northern District of Ohio

U.S. District Court for the Southern District of Ohio

U.S. District Court for the Eastern District of New York

U.S. District Court for the Southern District of New York

U.S. District Court for the Northern District of New York

## Recognition

Selected to Ohio Rising Stars, 2025-2026

*The Best Lawyers in America®* – Commercial Litigation, 2026-2027

*The Best Lawyers in America: Ones to Watch®*, Commercial Litigation, 2021-2025

PLEDGE (Promoting Lawyer Excellence & Driving Gender Equality), 2023 Honoree, John W. Peck Cincinnati-Northern Kentucky Chapter of the Federal Bar Association

## Professional Affiliations

Women's Initiative Committee

### Civic Activities

Every Child Succeeds, Board Member, 2025

### Firm Committees

Women's Initiative Committee, Member

### Major Publications

*New Limits on Forum Shopping: Standing and Jurisdiction as Hurdles in Class and Mass Actions*, American Bar Association, May 2019.

*Aggregation Analysis in Copyright Infringement Claims: The Fate of Fictional Facts*, Columbia Law Review, April 2015.

## Featured Articles

Dueling Federal and State Actions: The 'Colorado River' Doctrine

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