

## Simpson Thacher Bolsters California Litigation Practice



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**Palo Alto and New York—April 20, 2023**—Simpson Thacher & Bartlett LLP announced today that Laura K. Lin will join the Firm as a Partner in the Litigation Department and will be based in the Palo Alto office.

“Clients rely on Simpson Thacher’s premier Litigation Department to develop creative strategies for a wide range of high-stakes and often multijurisdictional disputes, and Laura’s diverse litigation practice will help to bolster our capabilities in California and across our global platform,” said Alden Millard, Chair of Simpson Thacher’s Executive Committee. “We are very pleased to welcome her to the Firm.”

Laura’s practice focuses on a wide variety of complex commercial litigation, including securities litigation and insurance disputes matters, among others. Currently Co-Chair of the American Bar Association’s Ethics & Professionalism Committee, she also counsels clients in connection with matters arising from alleged breaches of fiduciary duties and other professional liability issues.

Lynn Neuner and Jonathan Youngwood, Co-Chairs of Simpson Thacher’s Litigation Department, added, “Laura is a brilliant, versatile litigator who has advised some of the world’s largest companies on complex disputes. This experience and her ability to provide holistic advice is an excellent match for Simpson Thacher’s approach to counseling clients and resolving critical business issues.”

Simpson Thacher’s Litigation Department has been recognized by *Chambers USA*, *Legal 500* and *Benchmark Litigation* as one of the leading practices in the United States, including receiving top tier rankings for securities litigation by *Chambers USA* and for complex commercial litigation by *Benchmark Litigation*. *The Legal 500* has also ranked the Firm in its top tier in both securities litigation and financial services.

“Laura will be a wonderful addition to our well-established platform in California, and we look forward to having her join our team,” said Bill Brentani, Head of Simpson Thacher’s Palo Alto office.

“Simpson Thacher is widely regarded for its reputation as a leading litigation practice, particularly in securities litigation and other complex commercial disputes, and I am eager to join this incredibly talented and collaborative group to assist clients on some of their most significant matters,” said Laura.

Laura is deeply committed to the legal and local community, and serves on the Board of Directors of the National Center for Youth Law. She is currently Chair of the San Francisco-Marin Food Bank’s 2023 “Food From the Bar” campaign, a Bay Area-focused fundraising and volunteer effort that is projected to provide funding for more than one million meals for local households. Laura has also volunteered with numerous other community outreach programs focused on increasing access to professional and educational opportunities.

Simpson Thacher’s Global Litigation Department represents a wide range of sophisticated clients, including corporations, financial institutions, boards, audit and special committees, and senior executives in their most significant matters. The Firm leverages its substantial bench of talent and broad experience to effectively handle litigations, government and internal investigations, arbitrations and cross-border disputes in North and South America, Asia and Europe.

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