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Brya Keilson provides comprehensive legal counsel to clients facing commercial bankruptcy, restructuring, and insolvency matters. Brya's practice encompasses an array of representations, including Chapter 7 and Chapter 11 debtors, insurers navigating bankruptcy-related challenges, creditors' committees, liquidating trustees, trade creditors, and financial institutions. She offers strategic and practical guidance to purchasers of assets involved in bankruptcy proceedings and litigates on behalf of plaintiffs and defendants in avoidance actions. Brya's substantial experience and sound judgment strengthen her ability to advise clients through some of their most critical and challenging matters.

Beyond her bankruptcy practice, Brya represents receivers and assignees involved in assignments for the benefit of creditors. She assists corporate clients in non-distressed asset purchase transactions and provides banks with counsel on both front-end lending and workout matters. Her legal experience extends into commercial litigation, real estate disputes, loan transactions, and corporate acquisitions, demonstrating her well-rounded knowledge in many facets of business law.

Previously, Brya worked at a large Delaware law firm, and prior to that, she served as a trial attorney for the Office of the U.S. Trustee, representing the U.S. Trustee for Region 3 in Chapter 11 and Chapter 7 cases in Delaware. Brya's institutional knowledge informs the insightful advice she now provides to her bankruptcy clients.

Services

- Bankruptcy + Reorganizations

Education

- Villanova University Charles Widger School of Law (Juris Doctor)
 - Managing Editor Student Work, Volume 49, Villanova Law Review, 2003-2004
 - Dean's Merit Scholar
- Haverford College (Bachelors)
 - B.A., Philosophy

Admissions

- State of Delaware
- State of New Jersey
- Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

Recognitions

Recognized as a 2024 Global M&A Network U.S.A. Women and Top Dealmakers Award recipient

Recognized in *Delaware Today's* Top Lawyers, Bankruptcy Business, 2020 - Present

Recognized in *Chambers USA: America's Leading Lawyers for Business* in Delaware in the area of Bankruptcy/Restructuring since 2022

Leadership + Memberships

Delaware State Bar Association

Delaware Bankruptcy American Inn of Court

Former Board Member and Current Member

Philadelphia Bar Association,
Past Chair, Bankruptcy Committee

Philadelphia Network of the International Women's Insolvency and Restructuring Confederation

Founding Member, Past Board Member and Current Member

Eastern District of Pennsylvania Bankruptcy Conference

Past Chair and Current Member, Steering Committee