



Rachael W. Hiatt

Senior Associate

rhiatt@kelleydrye.com

Los Angeles
(213) 547-4911

About

Rachael Hiatt has considerable experience in complex commercial litigation in California state and federal courts. Rachael's practice focuses on contractual disputes, fraud issues, real estate and environmental claims. Rachael also has years of experience helping clients navigate the complexities of mass tort litigation related to wildfire damages. Her litigation experience involves pretrial procedure and discovery, electronic discovery, briefing motions, and hearings.

Rachael maintains an active pro bono docket on issues important to her local community. She also volunteers with the LA chapter of the Surfrider Foundation by participating in beach cleanups.

Honors

The Best Lawyers in America® "Ones to Watch" (Woodward/White, Inc.), Commercial Litigation, 2026.

Recognized in "Lawdragon 500 X - The Next Generation," *Lawdragon*, 2023-2026.

Recognized as a "Southern California Rising Stars," *Super Lawyers*, 2024-2025.

Selected as a "Leaders Of Influence: Minority Attorneys," *Los Angeles Business Journal*, 2023.

Related Services

Commercial Litigation
Environmental Litigation
Litigation

Education

University of California, Davis School of Law, J.D., 2017

- UC Davis Law Review, editor, Environmental Law and Policy Journal, senior editor

University of California, Santa Barbara, B.A., 2013

Admissions

California, 2017

Courts

U.S. District Court-Central District of California

U.S. District Court–Eastern District of California
U.S. District Court–Southern District of California
U.S. District Court–Northern District of California

Languages

Spanish
Spanish