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ABOUT MAYA

Maya is an associate in our Appeals, Commercial Litigation, Education Law and Health Law groups. Her practice focuses on litigation and dispute resolution in a wide range of areas, including medical negligence, professional regulation, and commercial disputes. Maya has experience appearing before the Consent and Capacity Board, Ontario Review Board, Superior Court of Justice and Ontario Court of Appeal. Maya has also appeared before the Supreme Court of Canada as co-counsel to an intervener on three appeals.

Maya has a passion for teaching – she has had the privilege of teaching 'culturally competent adjudication' to tribunal adjudicators. Maya is also the Managing Editor, Author Liaison for the Health Law in Canada Journal.

When she's not working, Maya enjoys travelling, cooking, staying active through hiking, tennis and cycling, and solving puzzles (literally and metaphorically!)

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- Associate Lerners LLP (2022)
- Associate Anita Szigeti Advocates (2018-2022)
- Articling Student Anita Szigeti Advocates (2017-2018)

EDUCATION

- Canadian Accreditation of UK LLB Degree Federation of Law Societies of Canada (2018)
- Master of Laws in Healthcare Ethics and Law University of Manchester (2016)
- Bachelor of Law University of Manchester (2015)

MEMBERSHIPS

- Canadian Muslim Lawyers Association
- Middlesex Law Association
- Ontario Bar Association
- Canadian Bar Association

SELECTED PRESENTATIONS/PUBLICATIONS

- Panel Speaker, "OBA Health Law: Keeping Up with Health Law" (April 2022)
- Panel Speaker, "On being a Muslim Lawyer", MLSA of the University of Ottawa (February 2022)
- Panel Speaker, "The Osgoode Certificate in Mental Health Law" (October 2021)
- Panel Speaker, "Top 5 under 5", 2021 CLA Spring Virtual Conference (June 2021).
- Panel Speaker, "Practical Strategies for Women in Law: How to grow and thrive during challenging circumstances", Ontario Bar Association (March 2021).
- Panel Speaker and Group Facilitator, "Culturally Competent Adjudication", SOAR OPD Advanced Certificate in Adjudication.

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- Guest Lecturer, "Mental Health Law", Osgoode Health Law LLM Program (Jan 2021).
- Panel Speaker, The 5th Annual Mental Disorder and the Law Conference (Feb 2020).
- Co-Author, "Litigating in the Time of Coronavirus: Mental Health Tribunals' Response to COVID-19", Windsor Yearbook of Access to Justice, December 2020.
- Author, "Human Rights and Medical Law", Manchester Review of Law, Crime and Ethics, November 2016.

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