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## PROFESSIONAL HISTORY

- ◆ Partner (2023-Present)
- ◆ Associate, Lerners LLP (2020-2022)
- ◆ Associate, Gibbs & Associates (2018-2020)
- ◆ Associate, Thomas Gold Pettingill LLP (2015-2018)
- ◆ Student-At-Law, Gowling LaFleur Henderson LLP (2014-2015)
- ◆ Summer Student, Gowling LaFleur Henderson LLP (2013)

## REPRESENTATIVE WORK

- ◆ Representing insurers in actions involving commercial general liability, motor vehicle accidents (tort and accident benefits), historical sexual abuse, environmental damage, and coverage disputes
- ◆ Acted as counsel in a private arbitration on behalf of design engineer for a large infrastructure project
- ◆ Counsel for national transportation company in personal injury and environmental damage cases

## NOTEWORTHY CASES

- ◆ *Pugliese v. Chartwell*, 2024 ONSC 1135: Successfully defended the Regional Municipality of Durham in a class action certification motion arising from COVID-19 deaths and infections at long-term care homes during the pandemic.
- ◆ [JG v Travelers Canada, 2018 CanLII 76431](#)
- ◆ [Applicant v Travelers Canada, 2017 CanLII 93464](#)

## COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

- ◆ Lawyer's Mental Health Program, Advisory Panel Member – *Canadian Bar Association* (2014-2015)
- ◆ Student Coordinator - *Ontario Law Student Mental Health Initiative* – (2013-2014)
- ◆ Mediation Intern, Dispute Resolution Centre (DRC), *University of Western Ontario, Faculty of Law* (2012-2013)

## MEMBERSHIPS

- ◆ Law Society of Ontario

## EDUCATION

- ◆ Admitted to Ontario Bar (2015)
- ◆ J.D., University of Western Ontario, Faculty of Law (2014)
- ◆ B.N.Sc, Queen's University (2011)

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