



Amelia Garza-Mattia

Associate

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Amelia is an experienced litigator who represents clients in both state and federal court. She focuses her practice on complex commercial and consumer privacy disputes.

Amelia is experienced in all aspects of litigation, from pre-trial discovery through appeal, and represents clients across a wide variety of industries, including insurance, health care, technology, telecommunications, automotive, and energy. Amelia consistently receives praise for her marked dedication and commitment to work-product excellence. She has drafted and managed hundreds of complex court filings, supervised large document-review teams, and prepared for and attended numerous evidentiary hearings and mediations. Amelia is also comfortable and resilient in challenging legal situations. She has worked on numerous important issues of first impression and regularly devises and effectuates successful strategies in difficult circumstances.

Amelia works closely with Winston's Regulated Personal Information (RPI) and Global Privacy & Data Security practice leaders on privacy litigation matters and on data breach/security incident response teams. Her work on privacy litigation matters has included defending companies against consumer privacy and data breach class actions.

Amelia maintains a robust pro bono practice. She has represented several clients in immigration proceedings. She has also been involved in multiple special-education matters, including representing clients at Individualized Education Program (IEP) meetings and mediations.

Key Matters

Supreme Court of Illinois Decision has Implications on Use of Expert Witness

Recent Experience

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Recognitions

Amelia was recognized in the 2025 edition of *Best Lawyers: Ones to Watch® in America* in the areas of Commercial Litigation and Entertainment and Sports Law.

Activities

- Hispanic National Bar Association, Member
- International Association of Privacy Professionals, Member
- La Alianza at Winston, Associate Advisor

Credentials

EDUCATION

Amelia received a B.A., *magna cum laude*, in History from New York University in 2014. She received a J.D. in 2018 from the University of Chicago Law School, where she received an award for "toughness, honesty, and fair dealing." While studying for the bar exam, Amelia volunteered at the Mandel Legal Aid Clinic and represented a client at trial.

ADMISSIONS

• Illinois

Related Insights & News

• Presenter, "Managing a Filing," Jumpstart Presentation, Jumpstart for Classes of 2022 and 2023

BLOG

Winston Kicks Off Sixth Cohort of D&I Associate Sponsorship Program and Graduates the Class of 2023-2024 NOVEMBER 25, 2024

Winston Teams Up With Accenture to Secure Asylum for Venezuelan Freedom Fighter NOVEMBER 19, 2024

RECOGNITIONS

Winston Attorneys Recognized in *Best Lawyers: Ones to Watch*[®] *in America* 2025 AUGUST 15, 2024

BLOG

Winston Hosts Annual 1L LCLD Scholars Roundtable JUNE 17, 2024

BLOG

Winston & Strawn Launches Fifth Cohort of D&I Associate Sponsorship Program OCTOBER 19, 2023

NEWS

Winston Helps Atlantic Richfield Company Achieve a Major Victory in the Supreme Court of Illinois—Plaintiffs Don't Have a Claim Without an Injury

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Capabilities

