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Aliana is a litigation associate in Winston & Strawn's New York office. She focuses her practice on antitrust matters and complex commercial litigation.

Aliana has experience delivering oral arguments, first-chairing and second-chairing depositions, and determining litigation strategies. Aliana has also drafted complaints, oppositions to motions to dismiss, an opposition to a preliminary injunction, briefs on discovery disputes, subpoenas, document requests, interrogatories, requests for admission, and many other discovery requests and protocols.

During law school, she was a civil litigation extern for the U.S. Attorney's Office in the Eastern District of New York. She was also a legal intern for the Brennan Center for Justice.

Prior to law school, Aliana was an intake specialist at Cabrini Green Legal Aid.

Key Matters

Antitrust Matters

- Represents a Fortune 500 company in an antitrust lawsuit alleging monopolization, conspiracy, tying, exclusive dealing, unfair competition, anticompetitive product redesign, patent misuse, and sham litigation claims

- Represents pharmaceutical companies in an antitrust lawsuit alleging monopolization, conspiracy, tying, exclusive dealing, unfair competition, and sham petitioning claims

Complex Commercial Matters

- Represented a labor union by successfully moving to compel arbitration and opposing a motion for a preliminary injunction
- Represented an insurance company in multiple coverage disputes

Pro Bono

- Represents pro bono clients seeking name changes with the Transgender Legal Defense & Education Fund
- Represented a pro bono client in a housing case alleging a failure to repair housing code violations and landlord harassment

Credentials

EDUCATION

Aliana received her J.D. from the New York University School of Law in 2021, where she was a staff editor at the *Review of Law and Social Change*. She received her B.A. in psychology from Reed College in 2017, where she was a member of Phi Beta Kappa and captain of the Mock Trial Team.

ADMISSIONS

- New York

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Publications

- [“Under Trump’s First Step Act, Thousands Have Been Released from Prison. Much More Is Still Needed,”](#) *The Forward*, Co-author, Sept. 12, 2019

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