



# William Sunkel

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# William represents employers against discrimination charges and sexual harassment claims, and counsels clients on issues including contractual disputes and the enforceability of restrictive covenants.

William concentrates his practice in labor and employment relations litigation and counseling matters. He represents employers in the defense of employment discrimination and sexual harassment claims, as well as in various contractual disputes and matters involving the enforceability of restrictive covenants, in both federal and state courts, before administrative agencies, and in arbitration. William also has extensive experience in complex commercial litigation matters.

## Credentials

#### EDUCATION

William received his J.D., *cum laude*, from Pace University School of Law in 1988, where he was research and writing editor of the *Pace Law Review*. He received his B.A., *summa cum laude*, in English from Hunter College in 1985.

#### ADMISSIONS

- Connecticut
- New York

## Related Insights & News

#### **Publications**

- "Restrictive Covenants and Employee Raiding: Recent Developments in New York Law," NYC Bar Association, Coauthor, Oct. 2004
- "City of Renton v. Playtime Theatres: Court Approved Censorship Through Zoning," 7 Pace Law Review 251, Fall 1988

#### RECOGNITIONS

Winston & Strawn New York Attorneys Receive Award for Pro Bono Service NOVEMBER 14, 2019

#### **CLIENT ALERT**

California Governor Signs Series of Worker Protection Bills and Brings New Compliance Challenges to California Employers OCTOBER 28, 2019

#### **CLIENT ALERT**

Department of Labor Raises FLSA Exemption Thresholds SEPTEMBER 26, 2019

#### **CLIENT ALERT**

California's Independent Contractor Bill Signed Into Law—What's Next for Employers? SEPTEMBER 18, 2019

#### **CLIENT ALERT**

Illinois Enacts Comprehensive Anti-Sexual Harassment Legislation SEPTEMBER 11, 2019

#### **CLIENT ALERT**

New York Substantially Expands Its Anti-Discrimination and Anti-Harassment Laws AUGUST 30, 2019

#### **CLIENT ALERT**

Illinois and New Jersey Enact Pay Inquiry Legislation AUGUST 12, 2019

#### **CLIENT ALERT**

Supreme Court Holds EEOC Charge Is Not a Jurisdictional Prerequisite to Title VII Court Action (But It Is Still Mandatory)

JUNE 5, 2019

#### **CLIENT ALERT**

Updated Employer Deadlines Under the Massachusetts Paid Family Leave Law MAY 15, 2019

#### **CLIENT ALERT**

New Jersey Expands Leave Laws and Restrictions on Non-Disclosure Provisions MAY 2, 2019

#### **CLIENT ALERT**

Court Orders Employers to Submit EEO-1 Hours and Pay Data by September 30, 2019 APRIL 29, 2019

#### **CLIENT ALERT**

Trump DOL Announces Proposed New Overtime Salary Thresholds MARCH 11, 2019

### Capabilities

Labor & Employment

Litigation/Trials

ERISA Litigation

Trade Secrets, Non Competes & Restrictive Covenants