



# Lauren Duxstad

Of Counsel

Admitted to practice only in New York

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Lauren focuses her practice on complex commercial litigation, antitrust litigation, and international corporate and governmental investigations.

Lauren has significant experience representing major U.S. and multinational corporations in consumer class actions, multidistrict litigations, and government investigations involving a wide array of federal and state antitrust issues, including monopolization, price fixing, bid rigging, group boycotts, exclusive dealing, tying, and unfair competition. Lauren also has experience representing clients in civil RICO litigation and litigating mixed issues of antitrust and intellectual property law, including relating to fraud on the PTO and sham litigation.

## **Key Matters**

## **Representative Antitrust Matters:**

Represents a Fortune 500 company in an antitrust lawsuit against Keurig Green Mountain, Inc. alleging
monopolization, conspiracy, tying, exclusive dealing, unfair competition, anticompetitive product redesign, patent

misuse, and sham litigation claims

- Represents multiple foreign and domestic manufacturers accused of allegedly price-fixing a variety of automobile
  parts in the multidistrict automotive parts antitrust litigation consolidated in the Eastern District of Michigan
- Represented Japanese multinational electronics corporation and its U.S. subsidiary against allegations of pricefixing and bid-rigging in the resistors industry
- Regularly represents multinational corporations and high-level executives in global cartel investigations and related proceedings requiring the coordination of responses to government agencies spanning various jurisdictions across Asia, Europe, South America, and the United States

## Representative RICO Litigation:

- Represented plaintiff in civil RICO action against a cartel of foreign agricultural producers and their affiliates in the United States
- Represented a U.S. television sports channel in federal court RICO litigation arising out of its competitors' bribery
  of South American soccer officials to obtain the broadcasting rights to international soccer tournaments
- Represented multilevel marketing organization in class action litigation involving pyramid scheme allegations under RICO and federal securities laws

#### Pro Bono:

- Represents the New York Civil Liberties Union in connection with its project aimed at achieving systemic reform of racially-biased policing and disciplinary practices
- · Involved in firm's efforts to assist and support the ratification of the Equal Rights Amendment
- Successfully obtained affirmative asylum on the behalf of multiple clients with well-founded fear of persecution on the basis of sexual orientation in their home countries

## Recognitions

- Best Lawyers: Ones to Watch® in America, Antitrust Law, 2023-2024
- Best Lawyers: Ones to Watch® in America, Commercial Litigation, 2023-2024
- Best Lawyers: Ones to Watch® in America, Litigation Antitrust, 2024
- Best Lawyers: Ones to Watch® in America, Mass Tort Litigation / Class Actions Defendants Antitrust, 2024

## **Activities**

Selected as a Young Lawyer Representative for ABA's Antitrust Section's Long Range & Strategic Planning Committee, 2021-2022

## Credentials

#### **EDUCATION**

Lauren received her B.A. in Spanish and Psychology, with a certificate in Business, from the University of Wisconsin in 2010 and she received her J.D., *magna cum laude*, from Tulane University Law School in 2013, where she was a

managing editor for *Tulane Law Review*. During law school, Lauren served as a Legal Extern to the Honorable Nanette Jolivette Brown in the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Louisiana.

### **ADMISSIONS**

New York

## Related Insights & News

- Getting the Deal Through Competition Compliance 2022, Sixth Edition, Lexology, Co-author, April 2022
- Getting the Deal Through Competition Compliance 2021, Fifth Edition, Lexology, Co-author, May 2021
- Six Tips for Defending Foreign Language Witness Depositions, <a href="https://www.winston.com/en/thought-leadership/six-tips-for-defending-foreign-language-witnesses-depositions.html">https://www.winston.com/en/thought-leadership/six-tips-for-defending-foreign-language-witnesses-depositions.html</a>
- The Rising Tide of Antitrust Litigations and Lawsuits Against Apple: App Developers May See a Wave of Changes, <a href="https://www.winston.com/en/competition-corner/the-rising-tide-of-antitrust-litigations-and-lawsuits-against-apple-app-developers-may-see-a-wave-of-changes.html">https://www.winston.com/en/competition-corner/the-rising-tide-of-antitrust-litigations-and-lawsuits-against-apple-app-developers-may-see-a-wave-of-changes.html</a>
- What Role Will Consumer Litigation Play in the Antitrust Fight over Tech Platforms? Panel at the New York State Bar Association's Annual Meeting, January 30, 2020
- Criminal Antitrust Fines and Penalties: Reductions Based on Ability to Pay, Antitrust Magazine (Spring 2017)

#### **RECOGNITIONS**

Winston Attorneys Recognized in *Best Lawyers: Ones to Watch* ® *in America* 2024 AUGUST 17, 2023

### **ARTICLE**

Winston Contributes to Lexology GTDT – Competition Compliance 2023 MAY 26, 2023

## **BLOG**

Joint Statement on Automated Systems: A Reminder of the Potential Harms of AI APRIL 28, 2023

### **RECOGNITIONS**

Winston & Strawn Antitrust/Competition Practice Recognized in 2023 GCR 100 DECEMBER 19, 2022

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Winston & Strawn Attorneys Recognized in *Best Lawyers: Ones to Watch in America* 2023 AUGUST 18, 2022

### **BLOG**

JULY 27, 2022

#### **PRESS RELEASE**

Winston & Strawn Highlights Recent Court Victories for LGBTQ+ Rights

JUNE 2, 2022

## PRO BONO IN ACTION

Winston Secures Long-Awaited Asylum for LGBTQ+ Honduran

**APRIL 8, 2022** 

## **ARTICLE**

Winston & Strawn Attorneys Contribute to Lexology's Getting the Deal Through Competition Compliance 2022

**APRIL 1, 2022** 

### SPEAKING ENGAGEMENT

2022 Antitrust Conference: The Basics of Antitrust Law for The Novice Attorney

MARCH 22, 2022

#### **NEWS**

2020-2021 Pro Bono Impact Report

2020-2021

### **BLOG**

Antitrust 101: Best Practices for an Effective Antitrust Compliance Program

SEPTEMBER 8, 2021

## Capabilities

Litigation/Trials | Antitrust/Competition

**Technology Antitrust** 

Class Actions & Group Litigation

Commercial Litigation & Disputes

Automotive & Mobility

Technology, Media & Telecommunications

Financial Services

Food & Beverage

Sports