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Nadine is developing a broad civil litigation practice, with a focus on commercial and contract disputes, artificial intelligence law and public law.

Nadine summered and articled at BLG where she gained wide advocacy experience through high conflict trials, administrative hearings and motions. She has acted as counsel and assisted with matters before all levels of courts in Ontario.

During law school, she participated in various moots and received the 4th best oralist award in the national Laskin Moot and 1st place oralist award in the French Gowling moot. She was a caseworker at a legal clinic in Ottawa and at Canada's only public interest technology law clinic where she gained practical legal experience. She was also the recipient of the 2020 McCarthy Tetrault Technology Law award.

She is actively involved in the community and received the first Richard Wagner Access to Justice award for her commitment to pro bono work in 2019. She also served as an executive co-chair at the University of Ottawa's women mentorship program.

She is fluent in English, French and Arabic.

Insights & Events

- Author, "New Rules of the Supreme Court of Canada for 2024", BLG Article, May 2024

- Author, "Del Giudice: Weeding out meritless claims in privacy class actions", BLG Article, March 2024
- Author, "SCC finds warrant is required before first digital breadcrumb can be revealed", BLG Article, March 2024
- Author, "Commercial litigation year in review: 5 notable dispute decisions from 2023", BLG Article, January 2024
- Author, "Appellate Fall 2023 preview: Significant cases to watch", BLG Article, September 2023
- Author, "Where there's smoke: No presumption of loss in breach of honest performance", BLG Article, July 2023
- Author, "Zoom hearings: Just one consideration when assessing jurisdiction", BLG Article, April 2023
- Author, "Case summary of Varriano v. Allstate Insurance Company of Canada", BLG Article, February 2023
- Author, "SCC to decide: Does reasonable expectation of privacy attach to IP address?", BLG Article, January 2023
- Author, "Bill 124: Wage-cap legislation declared unconstitutional by Ontario Superior Court", BLG Article, November 2022
- Author, "Appointment processes for judges of the SCC and SCOTUS in a year of historic nominations", BLG Article, August 2022
- Author, "Off the record: Non-testifying expert consultants", BLG Article, May 2022
- Author, "Proving Reasonable Expectations of Privacy beyond a reasonable doubt" TheCourt, February 17, 2021
- Author, "Thriving as a law student in COVID-19 era" The Lawyer's Daily, September 2, 2020
- Author, "Legal and ethical challenges of using AI in arbitration" The Lawyer's Daily, May 27, 2020

Beyond Our Walls

Professional Involvement

- Member, Canadian Bar Association
- Member, Law Society of Ontario
- Member , Toronto Lawyers' Association
- Member, The Advocates' Society

Community Involvement

- Volunteer, Pro Bono Students Canada

Bar Admission & Education

- Ontario, 2022

- JD (cum laude), University of Ottawa, 2021
- Civil Law, Université Paris V René Descartes (Sorbonne), 2017

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