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EDUCATION

J.D., 2007
University of San Francisco School of Law
B.S., Journalism,
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University of Colorado

PROFESSIONAL CAREER

2007 – Present
Associate, Trucker Huss
San Francisco, California
2006 – 2007
U.S. Department of Labor
Employee Benefits Security Administration
San Francisco Regional Office
1999 – 2004
Great-West Life & Annuity Insurance Company
Denver, Colorado

PROFESSIONAL LICENSES AND AFFILIATIONS

Member, The State Bar of California
Member, American Bar Association
Member, Bar Association of San Francisco
(Co-Chair, Bridging the Gap Committee)
Member, Western Pension & Benefits Council

Michelle concentrates her practice on employee benefits and ERISA litigation, including cases involving benefits claims, fiduciary issues, plan administration and multi employer plans.

In addition, Michelle counsels plan fiduciaries on issues concerning benefit claims and appeals and DOL and IRS investigations and assists clients in drafting plan documents, analyzing investment management contracts and reviewing qualified domestic relations orders.

Prior to joining Trucker Huss, Michelle worked for the U.S. Department of Labor, Employee Benefits Security Administration, where she focused on ERISA fiduciary matters.

Michelle is also a contributing author for the ABA Labor Section's Employee Benefits Law, published by BNA.

ABOUT TRUCKER HUSS

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