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Leah's practice focuses on civil litigation in both state and federal courts and advising clients on regulatory matters arising under environmental laws.

Leah has handled litigation and regulatory matters arising under the Clean Water Act; the Clean Air Act; the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act; the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act; and state counterparts, and represented clients before state and federal regulatory agencies in environmental matters. Leah also counsels clients regarding emerging standards around analysis, disclosure, and reporting of climate-related risks. She regularly speaks and publishes on climate risk disclosure and other topics of concern to the regulated community.

Leah lives in and works from Nashville, Tennessee and also represents clients before the Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation. She received her Ph.D. in environmental engineering from Vanderbilt University in 2016. Her engineering background provides her a unique vantage point from which to craft creative legal approaches to support her clients and understand their businesses.

Education

- American University (B.A., *cum laude*, 1993)
 - Political Science
- Vanderbilt University (J.D., 1997)
- Vanderbilt University (Ph.D., 2016)
 - Environmental Engineering

Bar Admissions

- District of Columbia
- Tennessee

Court Admissions

- U.S. Court of Appeals – Fourth Circuit
- U.S. Court of Appeals - Ninth Circuit

Professional Affiliations

- American Bar Association; Section of the Environment, Energy and Resources; Committee on Innovations, Management Systems and Trading; past Chair and Vice Chair
- District of Columbia Bar Association
- Nashville Bar Association

Publications

Updated May 9, 2022

SEC Issues Proposed Rules on Climate-Related Disclosures

Beveridge & Diamond

September 29, 2021

SEC Pushes for More Robust Climate Disclosures

Beveridge & Diamond

March 30, 2021

SEC Seeks Public Input on Potential Changes to Climate Risk Reporting

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March 9, 2021

Climate Risk Disclosures Face Increased Scrutiny and Potential Change to Reporting Requirements

Beveridge & Diamond

December 7, 2020

Mandatory Climate Risk Disclosures in the UK by 2025

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2018

Climate Regulation: United States

Environment & Climate Regulation

July 18, 2017

TCFD Report Will Shape Future Expectations for Climate-Related Financial Disclosures

Beveridge & Diamond

June 2, 2017

President Trump Announces Withdrawal from Paris Agreement on Climate Change

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Spring 2017

Climate Science for Lawyers

Natural Resources & Environment

November 2016

Climate Change Risk and Sustainability Disclosures: A New Enforcement Regime

ACC Docket

June 9, 2016

Comment Period Closing July 21 on Possible Expansion of Environmental Sustainability Disclosure Requirements

Beveridge & Diamond

December 2, 2015

New Study Calls into Question Some of Harvard Report's Conclusions Related to the Use of FracFocus.org by State Regulators

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