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**Workers' Compensation ♦ Labor and
Employment Law ♦ School Law ♦
Intentional Torts**



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Michele is a shareholder with the firm and chair of our Labor Department. An attorney for over 20 years, she has over 10 years of experience in Workers' Compensation and Labor Law. Michele represents private and public employers as well as self-insured and state-funded companies.

Michele is well versed in handling matters from a broad based business perspective rather than a narrow legal focus. She listens to clients, not only to resolve immediate matters, but to proactively identify issues that could exist. Michele can also help employers in evaluating their workplace practices and procedures and sort through complicated laws to make sure employers stay up to date and compliant, which can help reduce costs. She has extensive experience defending cases before the Bureau of Workers' Compensation and the Industrial Commission of Ohio.

Michele takes great pride in assisting clients with preventative services, from drafting employee handbooks to training employees and supervisors on sexual harassment and occupational health and safety issues. She is equally adept at defending employers when they face a legal challenge, be it from an administrative agency, another company, or a current or former employee.

Michele practiced in Boston for seven years, two years of which she spent as an Assistant Attorney General where she worked on the Urban Court Strike Force, which prosecuted organized crime and drug trafficking cases.



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Professional & Community Activities:

- ♦ Ohio Association for Civil Trial Attorneys
- ♦ Dayton Bar Association
- ♦ Ohio State Bar Association
- ♦ K12 Gallery for Young People, Board of Trustees

Education:

- ♦ Suffolk University Law School, J.D., 1991
- ♦ Boston University, B.L.S., History, 1986

Awards and Recognitions:

Martindale-Hubbell Peer Review BV Rating

Bar Admissions:

Ohio, 1999
Massachusetts, 1991