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Practice Areas

Appellate
Litigation
First Amendment and
Religious Organizations

Languages

Tagalog

Brooke Porter Coles practices in the firm's Appellate, Litigation, and First Amendment and Religious Organizations sections. Her practice focuses on substantive motion drafting and appellate advocacy. She developed research and writing expertise during two judicial clerkships—one with Justice Diana Hagen of the Utah Supreme Court and another with Judge David N. Mortensen of the Utah Court of Appeals. Brooke graduated with high honors from the University of Utah S.J. Quinney College of Law.

Prior to law school, Brooke worked for four years in public relations at both nonprofit and government organizations. This background provided her with valuable skills in strategic communication, problem-solving, and analysis, all of which enhance her effectiveness in advocating for clients.

Outside of work, Brooke enjoys spending time with her family, hiking, and traveling.

Education

University of Utah S.J. Quinney College of Law, JD, with High Honors, 2023

- Associate Managing Editor, Utah Law Review
- Director of Communications, Student Bar Association
- Mentorship Program Coordinator, Women's Law Caucus
- Teaching Assistant, Academic Support Program & Legal Methods
- CALI Award: Legislative Process

Brigham Young University, BA, Broadcast Journalism, 2016

- Minor: International Development

Admissions & Affiliations

Bar Admissions: Utah

Community & Civic Involvement

- Board Member, Young Alumni Association (YAA) – University of Utah S.J. Quinney College of Law
- Member, Women Lawyers of Utah Retreat Committee