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Practices

Employment & Labor Law

Education

University of South Carolina School of Law, J.D., 2021

- CALI Award in Employment Discrimination
- Director of Corporate Relations, Black Law Students Association
- Vice President, Employment & Labor Law Society
- Diversity and Inclusion Task Force
- Student Ambassadors Program

University of South Carolina, B.A., *magna cum laude*, 2018

Admissions

South Carolina

Kamri Barber is an Associate in Nexsen Pruet's Columbia office, where she focuses her practice on employment and labor matters. With a wide range of experiences in employment issues and human resources, Kamri approaches each matter with a detailed eye and a commitment to excellent client service.

While at Nexsen Pruet as a Summer Associate, Kamri worked with multiple practice groups, conducted research, prepared legal memorandums, and worked closely with clients. She later furthered her experience as a Summer Associate for a southeastern law firm and lobby group. As a student at the University of South Carolina School of Law, Kamri worked as an Employment & Labor Law Research Assistant, researching sexual harassment and sexual discrimination claims as well as drafting legal memorandums. Kamri also has experience in human resources, working for both a global railway supplier and government agency, where she assisted with evaluations, conducted performance interviews and onboarding orientations, and created handbooks and manuals for policies and programs.

Kamri received her undergraduate degree, *magna cum laude*, from the University of South Carolina. While earning her law degree from The University of South Carolina School of Law, Kamri was involved in numerous organizations and served as the Black Law Students Association Director of Corporate Relations and Vice President of the Employment and Labor Law Society. She received a CALI Award in Employment

Discrimination.

Recognition

- Recipient of the Knox L. Haynsworth, Jr. Labor Law Scholarship
- Recipient of the South Carolina Bar, Employment & Labor Law Section Benjamin M. Mabry Scholarship
- Recipient of the Nexsen Pruet Diversity Scholarship

Community & Professional

- Columbia SHRM, Board of Directors

Media

Co-author, "EEOC Scores, Despite a Tumultuous 2020: Key Takeaways for Employers", May 2021

Insights

01.16.2022 | Publication

CMS Issues New Vaccine Mandate Timing Deadlines for Healthcare Employers in the 24 States Previously Covered by Injunctions, including South Carolina

01.13.2022 | Publication

U.S. Supreme Court Lifts Injunctions on CMS Vaccine Mandate: Healthcare Employers Should Plan for Compliance by Month's End

12.15.2021 | Article

Fifth Circuit Curtails Nationwide Reach of Injunction Against CMS Vaccine Mandate

12.01.2021 | Article

CMS Vaccine Mandate Temporarily Halted for Covered Health Care Employers Nationwide

11.05.2021 | Article

CMS Vaccine Mandate Update

10.29.2021 | Article

For Employers Making the Tough Calls in the Vaccine Mandate Trenches: EEOC Issues Welcome Guidance Clarifying What is -- and Is Not -- a Proper Religious Exemption

05.04.2021 | Article

EEOC Scores, Despite a Tumultuous 2020: Key Takeaways for Employers