

Laura DelFratte

SPECIAL COUNSEL

Laura DelFratte focuses her practice in the areas of tax and estate law. She is skilled in the preparation and review of complex tax returns for estates, trusts, businesses, and individuals. Laura also has significant experience in business valuation and the administration of estates and drafting estate planning documents, including wills, revocable and irrevocable trusts, grantor retained annuity trusts, insurance trusts, durable and springing powers of attorney, health care powers of attorney, and living wills. She also prepares, analyzes, and provides guidance to clients on corporate documents.

Prior to joining Eckert Seamans, Laura was a tax director at a national public accounting firm and a former adjunct faculty member at Chatham University, teaching individual taxation.

REPRESENTATIVE MATTERS

- Represents clients on a wide variety of tax and estate matters.
- Represents individual clients in tax controversies focusing on largely on business valuation issues.

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

- Certified Public Accountant (CPA)
- Accredited in Business Valuation (ABV)
- Pennsylvania Bar Association
- American Institute of Certified Public Accountants

COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

• Allegheny County Bar Association, Chair of the Public Outreach Committee of the Probate and Trust Law Section

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PRACTICE AREAS:

<u>Tax</u> <u>Estates & Trusts</u> <u>Employee Benefits & Executive</u> <u>Compensation</u>

STATE ADMISSIONS:

Pennsylvania

EDUCATION:

J.D., University of Pittsburgh School of Law, 2008; Associate Editor, Tax Review

M.B.A., University of Pittsburgh Katz Graduate School of Business, 2008

B.S. in Accounting, The Pennsylvania State University, 2004