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PRACTICE AREAS:

[Commercial Litigation](#)

STATE ADMISSIONS:

Pennsylvania

New York

EDUCATION:

J.D., Drexel University Thomas R.
Kline School of Law, cum laude,
2022

B.A., Binghamton University,
magna cum laude, 2019

Francesca L. Spinelli

ASSOCIATE

Francesca Spinelli focuses her practice on a broad range of commercial litigation matters.

Francesca previously worked in private practice in matrimonial and family law and served as a Court Appointed Attorney for individuals with lower incomes and as an Attorney for the Child. She represented adults and children in a wide range of family issues, including, divorces, custody and visitation, domestic violence, child abuse and neglect proceedings, and juvenile delinquent proceedings.

Prior to joining private practice, Francesca served as a legal extern for the Delaware County Register of Wills and Clerk of Orphan's Court.

In law school, Francesca served as the president of the Alternative Dispute Resolution Team and actively participated in negotiation and client counseling competitions. She was also a member of the Drexel Estate Planning Clinic where she served low-income families in Philadelphia. Francesca also served as a volunteer at SeniorLAW Center in Philadelphia.

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

- Pennsylvania Bar Association
- New York Bar Association
- Chair of the Young Lawyers Division (YLD) of the Federal Bar Association for the Eastern District of Pennsylvania

COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

- A Room to Heal, Board of Directors, 2024
- Broome Women Lead, Advisory Board Member, 2023-2024

NEWS AND INSIGHTS

PUBLICATIONS

- "From the Runway to the Courtroom: Early Career Lessons From *The Devil Wears Prada*," *The Legal Intelligencer*, May 2026.
- "[Digital Platforms Face Increased Civil Litigation Exposure For Design Based Liability Claims](#)," *Eckert Seamans' Legal Update* – April 2026.