

## Josie Marks, K.C.

### Partner

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Bar Admission(s): New Brunswick, 2010

Legal Assistant(s): [Chantal MacAusland](#)

Josie acts as lead counsel in complex matters before all levels of trial and appellate courts, and also has significant experience achieving client objectives through interest-based negotiations. A persuasive written and oral advocate and strategic thinker, Josie has recently advanced clients' interests by:

- Providing representation in litigation raising complex and novel legal issues, including in relation to *Charter* rights and other constitutional matters;
- Providing strategic advice and representation to clients in relation to business disputes, including commercial arbitrations and mediations, contract disputes, corporate and shareholder disputes, and bankruptcy and insolvency litigation;
- Acting as lead negotiator in negotiations between Crown and Indigenous governments;
- Acting as lead negotiator in collective bargaining, and advising employers with respect to employment and human rights matters;
- Representing and advising a diverse range of clients with respect to public and regulatory law, including judicial reviews and appeals from decisions of boards, commissions and tribunals.

## Practice Areas

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Aboriginal Rights

Bankruptcy, Receivership & Insolvency

Construction

Insurance

Labour & Employment  
Litigation & Alternative Dispute Resolution  
Municipal

## Education & Career

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### Education

McGill University, LL.B., B.C.L. (great distinction), 2009  
Oxford University, B.A., 2006, M.A., 2011  
Rhodes Scholar, 2004  
Mount Allison University, B.A. (honours), 2004

### Activities

Director, Friends of the Moncton Hospital Foundation  
Director and Founder, New Brunswick Refugee Clinic  
Supervising lawyer, Pro Bono Students Canada program, Université de Moncton Chapter  
Member, Canadian Bar Association

### Accolades

King's Counsel, 2024  
Lexpert rating: Litigation - Corporate Commercial, 2024  
Lexpert rating: Employment Law, 2022

[Lexpert® Rising Star: Leading Lawyer Under 40, 2021](#)

## Presentations

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Co-Presenter, "Top business law cases of 2022-2023", New Brunswick In-House Counsel Professional Development Day  
[June 06, 2024](#)