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Language(s) spoken: English

Bar Admission(s): Newfoundland and Labrador,
2015; Ontario, 2014

Legal Assistant(s): [Cass Phillips](#), [Jill Haines](#),
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Meaghan has a civil litigation practice with a focus in the areas of health, privacy and access to information, and life and disability insurance.

Meaghan defends healthcare organizations and professionals in medical malpractice claims. She also provides advices to healthcare organizations on various issues, including adverse event management and disclosure, statutory interpretation, and regulatory compliance.

Meaghan regularly advises public bodies and private entities regarding compliance with the relevant privacy and access to information regulatory regime. This includes advice regarding the collection, use, and disclosure of personal information; assistance with responding to access to information requests and appeals; and guiding responses to privacy breaches.

Meaghan's class actions practice has focused on complex privacy breach claims.

Meaghan has appeared at all levels of Court in Newfoundland and Labrador, as well as the Ontario Superior Court of Justice and Ontario Court of Appeal. She has also assisted clients with statutory review proceedings.

Practice Areas

Class Actions

Health

Insurance

Litigation & Alternative Dispute Resolution

Municipal

Privacy

Education & Career

Education

University of New Brunswick, J.D., 2013

Memorial University, Bachelor of Music (Hons), 2009

Activities

Member, Canadian Bar Association

Member, Board of Directors, Kittiwake Dance Company, 2017 - 2018

Member, Steering Committee, Project Grace Instrumental Music Program, 2017 - 2018

Chair, Young Lawyers, Canadian Bar Association - Newfoundland and Labrador, 2015-2016

Accolades

Lord Beaverbrook Scholarship in Law

University of New Brunswick Deans' List

Finalist for Rhodes Scholarship

Thought Leadership

Cybersecurity class actions against database defendants persist, but hurdles for plaintiffs remain

July 25, 2024

Municipal Liability in Negligence webinar

February 10, 2022

Client Update: Court of Appeal confirms accounting firms may take on multiple mandates for the same company

June 14, 2017

Sometimes a bad deal is just a bad deal: unconscionability and insurance claim settlements in Downer v Pitcher, 2017 NLCA

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March 16, 2017

Presentations

Co-presenter, "Municipal Liability in Negligence" (In Partnership with Canadian Public Works Association)

May 12, 2022

Co-presenter, "Municipal Liability in Negligence", Stewart McKelvey Municipal webinar, in partnership with Municipalities Newfoundland and Labrador

January 31, 2022