



Catherine Crane

Of Counsel

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Catherine focuses her practice on risk management and insurance coverage law, advising policyholders on a variety of coverage issues.

PRACTICES

Insurance Coverage and Risk Management
 Construction
 Cybersecurity and Data Breach Defense
 Cybersecurity and Privacy
 Privacy and Information Security
 Antitrust and Trade Regulation
 ERISA and Benefits Litigation
 Labor and Employment

EDUCATION

George Mason University School of Law,
 J.D.

The George Mason University Law Review

Dean's Scholar

Teaching Assistant, Legal Writing &
 Research

State University of New York, College of
 Environmental Science & Forestry, M.S.

Environmental Science

Dean's List

University Fellow

Syracuse University, B.A.

Biology & Political Science

BAR ADMISSIONS

Colorado

North Carolina

She has a broad range of experience with coverage matters involving construction defects, builders risk, Owner/Contractor Controlled Insurance Programs, commercial general liability, excess and umbrella, commercial property, cyber security, representations and warranties, directors and officers, and employment practices insurance.

In her risk management practice, Catherine assists clients in evaluating potential causes of loss, recommending and implementing preventive measures, and devising plans to minimize costs and maximize insurance coverage. Catherine holds an Associate in Risk Management (ARM) certification, nationally recognized credentials reflecting her comprehensive grasp of the risk management process and proficiency in providing knowledgeable advice and practical strategies for evaluating any organization's exposures to accidental and business losses.

In addition, Catherine advises clients regarding truth in advertising and consumer fraud law, unfair trade practices and antitrust issues, and assists companies involved in government investigations. She also has experience with employment law and commercial litigation, including employee benefits (ERISA) litigation and the defense of employment discrimination claims.

Prior to joining Holland & Hart, Catherine worked with the Federal Trade Commission in Washington D.C. focusing on antitrust, unfair trade practices and consumer protection laws. Catherine also was a regulatory analyst at the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, where she worked on Clean Water Act, Ocean Dumping Act, and land use issues.

Catherine completed a federal judicial clerkship in the Southern District of Florida for United States District Judge Kenneth L. Ryskamp in 1996.

PUBLICATIONS

"Bad Faith Breach of an Insurance Contract," *Colorado Civil Claims, CLE in Colo., Inc.*, 2018 Ed.

"Is Your D&O Insurance the Strongest?," *Holland & Hart News Update*, Co-Author, 10/26/2017

"Cyber Insurance Can Shield Businesses from Attack Costs," *Law Week*

Colorado, May 29, 2017

SPEAKING ENGAGEMENTS

"Cybersecurity Breakfast Series: Cyber Insurance," 03/14/2018

"Cutting Edge Issues in Cybersecurity - What Every Director & Officer Should Know," *Panelist, Lockton Law Day*, August 17, 2017

"D&O Insurance - What you know can hurt you!," *RIMS Rocky Mountain Chapter*, February 23, 2017

"Cybersecurity Oversight for Board Directors – 2017 Legal Risks and Issues," *National Cybersecurity Center*, February 21, 2017

PROFESSIONAL AND CIVIC AFFILIATIONS

- American Bar Association, Member
- Colorado Bar Association, Member
- Denver Bar Association, Member