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Related Services

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Ashley Miller focuses her practice on class action defense, and government and regulatory investigations, with an emphasis on data security and privacy matters. Ashley represents clients across a variety of industries, including health care, hospitality, technology, insurance, and consumer products. She has extensive experience in all phases of litigation, including motions to dismiss, class certification, summary judgment, trial preparation, and appeal. *The Best Lawyers in America*® recognized Ashley as “One to Watch” in Commercial Litigation for 2023 and 2024.

Before joining Alston & Bird, Ashley served as a law clerk to the Hon. Judge Eleanor L. Ross in the Northern District of Georgia and the Hon. Judge J. Randal Hall in the Southern District of Georgia. Ashley graduated, summa cum laude, from the Georgia State University College of Law and was inducted into the Order of the Coif. She was the lead articles editor of the *Georgia State University Law Review* and served as a judicial extern to the Hon. Judge Frank M. Hull of the Eleventh Circuit Court of Appeals, the Hon. Justice David E. Nahmias of the Georgia Supreme Court, and Judge Timothy C. Batten, Sr. of the Northern District of Georgia.

Representative Experience

- Counsel to multiple companies in Federal Trade Commission, New York Department of Financial Services, and state attorneys general investigations, and/or enforcement actions arising out of data security and consumer protection issues.
- Representing numerous publicly traded companies in class action litigation regarding the companies’ collection and use of customer data.
- Counsel to companies in the consumer products, hospitality, and health care industries defending against putative nationwide class action lawsuits following data breaches.
- Obtained dismissal of a putative nationwide class action against a hotel chain arising out of a data breach, which was affirmed by the Ninth Circuit.
- Obtained dismissal of a putative nationwide TCPA class action, which was affirmed by the Seventh Circuit.
- Obtained a complete dismissal of a putative class action against a flooring manufacturer alleging antitrust violations.
- Represented a Fortune 50 technology company in trade secrets, unfair competition, and antitrust litigation in New Orleans.

Publications & Presentations

Publications

- “NYDFS Cybersecurity Regulation – Second Amendment,” *NYU Law’s Compliance & Enforcement Blog*, November 11, 2023.
- “Federal Trade Commission Settles with Drizly for Alleged Security Failures,” *Pratt’s Privacy & Cybersecurity Law Report*, LexisNexis, Vol. 9, No. 2, February-March 2023.
- “Protecting Data Breach Investigations from Disclosure,” *Bloomberg Law*, January 11, 2021.
- “Banks Suing After Payment Card Breach Face Difficulty,” *Law360*, May 10, 2018.

Professional & Community Engagement

- International Association of Privacy Professionals
- Certified Information Privacy Professional (CIPP/US)

Education

- Georgia State University (J.D., 2014)
- University of Georgia (B.A.J., 2011)

Admitted to Practice

- Georgia