

Lauren E. Scroggs

Associate

PRACTICE EMPHASIS:

Construction; Litigation

EDUCATION:

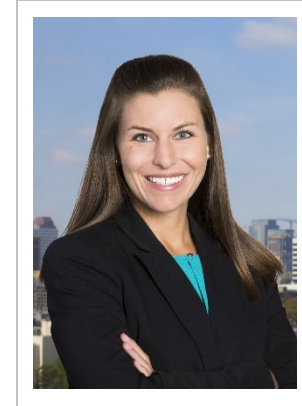
J.D., *magna cum laude*, South Texas College of Law, 2015
South Texas Law Review, Note & Comment Editor
Dean's Scholar
B.B.A., University of Texas at Austin, 2012

ADMITTED:

State Bar of Texas

COURT ADMISSIONS:

U.S. District Court, Northern and Southern Districts of Texas



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Profile:

Lauren's practice focuses on advocating for general contractors, subcontractors, suppliers and owners on a variety of construction related issues including litigation, contract negotiations and alternative dispute resolution.

Prior to joining the firm, Lauren served as a judicial clerk to Justice Eva Guzman of the Supreme Court of Texas, where she wrote opinion drafts and memoranda evaluating the grant-worthiness of petitions for review. Lauren also served as a judicial intern for both the Honorable Gray H. Miller and the Honorable John D. Rainey in the United States District Court for the Southern District of Texas.

Representative Experience:

- Assist in the representation of owner, general contractor and subcontractor clients on a variety of different matters including breach of contract claims, settlement negotiations, lien removal and debt collections
- Ongoing representation of contractors and suppliers in obtaining collection of past due accounts

Speeches and Publications:

"Forum Selection Clauses in Construction Clauses: Validity vs. Enforceability," AM Monthly Law Alert, November 2017

"Texas Reins in Costly E-Discovery," AM Monthly Law Alert, June 2017

"Strategic and Tactical Approaches to Selecting Arbitrators for Domestic and International Arbitrations," (Co-Author), 29th Annual International Law Institute, State Bar of Texas International Law Section, February 2017

Affiliations:

State Bar of Texas
Houston Bar Association, Construction Law Section
Houston Young Lawyers Association
South Texas Young Alumni Council