

ArentFox Schiff LLP Attorneys

# **Amanda Peterson**

Associate

Amanda is an Associate in the Labor & Employment practice group.



Practices
 <u>Labor, Employment & OSHA</u>

 Product Liability & Mass Torts

• Education Chapman University, Dale E. Fowler School of Law, JD, 2020

University of California, Los Angeles, BA, 2015

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Amanda is a skilled trial attorney, with experience in both federal and state court. Her advocacy has resulted in successful motions for summary judgment, motions for directed verdicts, and defense jury verdicts in both the Central District of California and the Superior Court of California. She also has experience with appeals in both the Ninth Circuit and the California Courts of Appeal. Amanda represents employers in matters arising under the California Fair Employment and Housing Act, Title VII of the Civil Rights Act, the Labor Code, and other labor

In addition to her litigation work, Amanda advises clients on a wide variety of matters pertaining to employment and labor claims, including advising clients on union negotiations and revisions to collective bargaining agreements.

#### **Client Work**

and employment laws.

- Represented a public entity in defense of harassment, retaliation, and discrimination claims. The public entity was awarded summary judgment on all claims.
- Represented a public entity in defense of Federal and California Constitution claims. After a four-week
  civil trial, secured a directed verdict for two of the claims. The public entity secured a defense verdict on
  all claims.

## **Previous Work**

Prior to joining ArentFox Schiff, Amanda was an Associate at a well-respected law firm in Southern California, gaining experience representing public entities and their various departments, agencies, and employees.

## Life Beyond the Law

Outside of work, Amanda enjoys supporting Angel City FC and being outdoors, including skiing in the winter and golfing year-round in the beautiful Southern California weather.

**Bar Admissions** 

### California

Court Admissions

US District Court, Central District of California

US District Court, Southern District of California

US Court of Appeals, 9th Circuit