



# Do-Ellen S. Hansen

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<u>Disputes</u>
<u>Corporate Commercial</u>
<u>Contract Disputes</u>
<u>Corporate Governance</u>
Insurance Claim Defence

Comfortable in both **business advisory** and **litigation** environments, Do-Ellen has experience in a variety of matters. She advises clients in:

- corporate and commercial law
- civil litigation
- insurance law
- corporate governance
- regulatory compliance

Additionally, she provides research, analysis, and advice on diverse and complex legal issues to private and Crown corporations, banks, government ministries, and insurers.

## Experience

- Acted as the team leader (common law jurisdictions) in a comprehensive insurance policy wording review project (commercial liability, commercial property, and related coverages) to assess legislative compliance and coverage risk issues for national insurance company.
- Prepared an argument on insurer subrogation issues arising out of complex product liability claim, which was settled favourably for our client (the claimant purchaser).
- Provided advice and opinions to government corporations on legislative constraints and obligations, and related director/officer liability risks, in respect of fiscal and business management decisions.



- Prepared an argument on complex equitable contribution and subrogation issues arising in personal injury and product liability litigation, which was settled favourably for our client (the defendant manufacturer).
- Prepared insurance coverage opinions in respect of various liability and property policies.
- Provided advice on the legal risks of a proposed deal structure involving upstream change of control issues.

## **Insights & Events**

- Presenter, "Legal Research," Continuing Legal Education Society of British Columbia (CLEBC) courses, 2016, 2014, 2012, 2008 and 2004.
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## **Beyond Our Walls**

### **Community Involvement**

- · Volunteer, BLG Reads to Kids Program
- Volunteer, BLG United Way Program
- Volunteer, B.C. Cancer Society

## **Bar Admission & Education**

- British Columbia, 1985
- LLB, Dalhousie University, 1984
- B.Mus. (Dist.) and BA (Dist., math), Mount Allison University, 1980

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