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Sarah has a robust civil litigation practice, advising clients in a range of related matters. She specializes in insurance law, municipal and police liability, and maritime law.

Sarah defends claims against municipalities, insurers and their insureds involving:

- property damage
- non-repair of roads and sidewalks
- motor vehicle accidents
- occupiers' liability

Prior to becoming an associate, Sarah summered and articulated with BLG.

Experience

- Defends municipalities from various infrastructure maintenance and design claims, as well as municipal police services from claims alleging negligent investigation, malicious prosecution and Charter violations.
- Acts for insurers and private companies with respect to personal injury and property claims including occupiers' and product liability.
- Represents ship owners and P&I Clubs in actions involving domestic and international shipping.

Insights & Events

- Mother and Son Successful on Summary Judgment after Son's Head-On Vehicle Collision,
- Competing "Other Insurance Clauses": Can One Trump the Other?
- Stop Here, Not There: Court Of Appeal Comes To Seemingly Different Conclusions In Two Strikingly Similar Roadway Repair Cases
- Negligent Investigation Claim Against Police Dismissed in Child Sexual Assault Case
- Legislation Introduces Ban On Oil-Tankers On Canadian West-Coast
- Swept Overboard: Federal Court Finds Undeclared On-Deck Carriage Did Not Prevent Carrier From Limiting Liability Under Hague-Visby Rules
- The Sensor: Unfamiliar Waters: Navigating Autonomous Vessels' Potential and Perils
- Stop Here, Not There: Supreme Court Refuses Leave to Appeal in Two Roadway Repair Cases that are Seemingly at Odds
- Saumur V. Antoniak: A Child's Failure to Look Both Ways Before Crossing the Street
- Recent Legal Developments — Summaries of Relevant and Recent Cases
- An Educator's Guide to Welcoming Syrian Refugee Children

Beyond Our Walls

Professional Involvement

- Member, Canadian Bar Association
- Member, Ontario Bar Association
- Member, Transportation Lawyers Association

Community Involvement

- Volunteer, BLG Reads to Kids

Bar Admission & Education

- Ontario, 2016
- JD, Schulich School of Law, Dalhousie University, 2015,
- B. Sc. (Hons), Acadia University, 2012,

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