



# Carmen Marolla Paralegal

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Commercial Litigation
Appellate Advocacy
Class Actions
Insurance Claim Defence

Carmen assists the firm's lawyers and clients in efficiently resolving a wide variety of litigation matters. Her responsibilities include assessing claims, drafting pleadings, chambers applications and settlement proposals, and compiling, assessing and presenting evidence in both general and specialized litigation.

Her expertise extends to a variety of dispute areas, including:

- class actions
- construction
- defamation
- fraud
- insurance defence
- intellectual property
- personal injury
- product liability
- professional liability
- real estate
- securities
- transportation

Carmen has experience in the Supreme Courts and Courts of Appeal of British Columbia, the Northwest Territories and Nova Scotia, as well as the Federal Court and Supreme Court of Canada.



## **Insights & Events**

- Presenter, "Paralegal Core Competency Drafting Affidavits," Continuing Legal Education Society of B.C., June 2016.
- Presenter, "A Primer for Paralegals: Practice, Procedure and Development," Trial Lawyers Association of B.C., March 2016.
- Carmen has given internal presentations on legal drafting and preparing bills of costs.

## **Beyond Our Walls**

#### **Professional Involvement**

- Board of Directors Advisory Member, BC Paralegal Association
- Working group member, Paralegal Certification Project, Law Society of British Columbia, 2014-2016
- Vice president and chair of sponsorship, B.C. Paralegal Association, 2011-2016
- Legal Services Regulatory Framework Task Force Committee Member, Law Society of British Columbia,
   2014
- Legal Service Provider Task Force Committee Member, Law Society of British Columbia, 2013

## Education

- Paralegal diploma, Capilano University, 1996
- BA (history and English literature), University of British Columbia, 1994

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