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Madeline maintains a broad litigation practice with a focus on professional negligence, commercial disputes, and insurance and tort liability. She advocates for a wide variety of clients, ranging from large corporations and institutions, small businesses, and individual professionals.

Madeline has appeared before the Ontario Superior Court of Justice and the Small Claims Court in various jurisdictions, as well as several administrative tribunals including the Ontario Human Rights Tribunal, the Health Professions Appeal and Review Board, and the Landlord Tenant Board.

Prior to joining BLG, Madeline was an associate at a leading boutique civil litigation firm. During law school, Madeline gained educational and experiential knowledge as a Graduate Research Assistant, focusing her research on the duty of care and fiduciary duty in commercial contracts. She was also an Executive Member of the Queen's Health Law Association and volunteered in both the Alumni Relations and Orientation Week Committees, acting as a liaison to alumni and welcoming incoming law students.

Insights & Events

- Co-author, "From Precedent to Procedure: The Evolution of Ontario's Disclosure Obligation for Partial Settlement Agreements", Annual Review of Civil Litigation, November 2025

- Author, "Municipality successful at trial after the plaintiffs failed to lead expert evidence on a road maintenance claim", BLG Article, October 2025
- Contributing Author, "Obligation to Immediately Disclose a Partial Settlement Agreement that Changes the Litigation Landscape in Multi-Party Litigation," The Advocates' Quarterly, September 2024
- Co-speaker, "The Ultimate Limitation Period," BLG Municipal Liability Seminar, May 2024
- Speaker, “Pre-Discovery Process in Personal Injury Matters,” Institute of Law Clerks of Ontario Webinar, September 2023
- Co-author, "Duty of Care: Recent Appeal Cases and Considerations", Ontario Bar Association, Substantive Law for Litigators, 2022

Beyond Our Walls

Professional Involvement

- Member, Law Society of Ontario
- Member, Toronto Lawyers Association
- Member, Ontario Bar Association
- Member, The Advocates' Society

Community Involvement

- Volunteer, Ontario Bar Association Tort Law Moot
- Volunteer, Lawyers Feed the Hungry

Awards & Recognition

- Recognized in the 2027 edition of *The Best Lawyers in Canada* as “Ones to Watch” (Insurance Law)

Bar Admission & Education

- Ontario, 2022

- JD, Queen's University, 2021
- BHSc (Honours with Distinction), Western University, 2017

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