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PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

2023 – Present, *Executive Vice President*, Compass Lexecon
2020 – 2023, *Senior Vice President*, Compass Lexecon
2019 – 2020, *Vice President*, Compass Lexecon
2018 – 2018, *Labor and Employment Litigation Associate*, Goodwin Procter LLP
2013 - 2018, *Labor and Employment Litigation Associate*, O'Melveny & Myers LLP

Former practicing attorney and experienced consultant in the airline industry. Experience includes strategizing and drafting expert reports and expert deposition and trial examinations in numerous federal court litigation matters as well as arbitration cases; consulting on expert *Daubert* motions (in support of and in opposition to); directing and interfacing with clients on strategic data analysis in consulting engagements; strategizing and drafting white papers on various aviation topics, including but not limited to relating to COVID-19 and air ticket distribution; presenting on aviation topics in front of regulatory bodies.

EDUCATION

2013, *JD summa cum laude*, New York Law School
2007, *BA in International Relations/Global Security*, Brown University
2007, *BA in History of Arts and Architecture*, Brown University

BAR ADMISSIONS

- 2014, New York
- 2014, U.S. District Court, Southern District of New York
- 2014, U.S. District Court, Eastern District of New York
- 2017, U.S. District Court, Eastern District of Michigan

SELECT CONSULTING ENGAGEMENTS

- Consulting expert on multiple Railway Labor Act (RLA) slowdown matters
- Consulting expert for multiple airlines on multiple litigation matters involving application of the Uniformed Services Employment and Reemployment Rights Act (USERRA)
- Consulting expert on multiple litigation matters involving the application of state paid sick leave laws
- Consulting expert for multiple airlines involving application of wage and hour laws
- Consulting expert for multiple airlines involving application of meal and rest break laws
- Consulting expert regarding antitrust and commercial disputes in airline ticket distribution

- Consulting expert for multiple airlines on multiple litigation matters related to opposition to class certification in consumer, commercial, and employment disputes
- Consulting expert in commercial dispute litigation matter related to impact of COVID-19 on passenger demand, size of worldwide commercial airline fleet, and commercial airline demand for satellite-based in-flight connectivity hardware
- Analysis for major U.S. airline on the impact of COVID-19 on passenger demand in the airline industry

SELECT PUBLICATIONS and CO-AUTHORED WHITEPAPERS

- For Airlines for America, whitepaper (joint with Eric Amel and Darin Lee), “The Executive Order on Promoting Competition in the American Economy May Incorrectly Assume That Certain Government Intervention Is Necessary to Enhance Consumer Access to Airline Flight Information” August 2022
- For United Airlines, whitepaper (joint with Darin Lee and Ethan Singer), “United’s Global Hub Operations at Houston Intercontinental Airport Provides Exceptional and Unique Benefits to Houston’s Consumers and Economy” April 2022
- For United Airlines, whitepaper (joint with Eric Amel, Darin Lee, and Ethan Singer), “Newark’s Chronic and Intensifying Congestion Threatens to Undermine the Economic Benefits of EW as an Aviation and Employment Hub for New York City and the State of New Jersey in the Post-Pandemic World” August 2021
- For a U.S. airline, whitepaper (joint with Eric Amel, Darin Lee, and Ethan Singer) on the impact of the U.S.-U.K. travel corridor on economic activity in the United States and United Kingdom, April 2021
- For American Airlines, whitepaper (joint with Eric Amel, Darin Lee, and Ethan Singer) on the impact of COVID-19 on U.S airlines submitted to the U.S. Treasury Department in support of CARES Act Payroll Support Program Extension, July 2020.
- For the Independent Restaurant Coalition, whitepaper (joint with Eric Amel, Darin Lee, and Eric Secatore) on the impact of COVID-19 on independent restaurants, June 2020
- *The Spread of Zika Virus: What U.S. Employers Should Know*, New York Law Journal, co-authored with Sloane Ackerman (2016)
- *Violence in the Workplace: What Is An Employer’s Liability?*, New York Law Journal, co-authored with Sloane Ackerman (2015)
- *Avoiding the Technical Knock Out: Tackling the Inadequacies of Youth Concussion Legislation*, 58 N.Y.L. Sch. L. Rev. 417 (2013) (paper considered in session by Uniform Law Commission, December 2012)

PRESENTATIONS

- Analysis and presentation in front of U.S. Department of Transportation regarding regulatory proposals related to consumer welfare and air ticket distribution

HONORS AND AWARDS

- 2021 Rising Star Award, Compass Lexecon
- Otto L. Walter Award for Distinguished Writing, New York Law School
- Joseph A. Solomon Award for Excellent Character and Fitness, New York Law School
- New York Law School Law Review, Executive Notes and Comments Editor, New York Law School
- Alumni Merit Scholar, New York Law School
- NCAA Division I Varsity Squash athlete, Brown University
- Academic All-Ivy, Brown University
- College Squash Association Academic Award, Brown University