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Andrew Gehring represents national and multinational clients in bet-the-company cases and helps individuals navigate complex commercial issues and business disputes. He litigates in jurisdictions across the United States representing leading technology and media companies, utilities, manufacturers of consumer and industrial goods, and financial institutions.

Credentials

Education

New York University School of Law, J.D., *magna cum laude*, Order of the Coif, 2009; *NYU Journal of Law & Liberty*, Senior Executive Editor

Amherst College, B.A., *cum laude*, 2006

CLERKSHIPS

Law Clerk to The Honorable Naomi Reice Buchwald, United States District Court for the Southern District of New York

LEGAL MEMBERSHIPS

AICPA Expert Witness Skills Workshop 2025
Senior Faculty

BAR AND COURT ADMISSIONS

Colorado
New York
U.S. Court of Appeals, 2nd Circuit
U.S. Court of Appeals, 10th Circuit
U.S. District Court, D. Colorado
U.S. District Court, N.D. Illinois
U.S. District Court, S.D. New York

Practices

Appellate
Commercial Litigation

Cases

COMMERCIAL LITIGATION

Won summary judgment on breach of contract and breach of fiduciary duty claims for a multinational corporation accused of intellectual property theft.

Represented an international helium producer in a confidential arbitration concerning long-term supply contracts worth hundreds of millions of dollars.

Won a hearing for the majority owners of an ethanol production company to defeat a preliminary injunction attempt and completely unwind an ex parte ruling that the company's minority owners obtained to install a receiver to displace our clients from running the company.

Served as trial counsel to a large chemical company in a confidential arbitration involving over \$1 billion in claims arising from the sale of proprietary technology.

Secured complete indemnification and no future liability for a green energy manufacturer in a supplier dispute involving a recall of the client's products.

Represented utility providers in breach of contract actions involving hundreds of millions of dollars in claims.

Negotiated the sale of a start-up company in the face of claims of embezzlement, self-dealing, and breach of fiduciary duty, and ensured no liability accrued to our client, the current owner.

Secured relief from a multi-million dollar default judgment awarded against our client without its knowledge until its bank accounts were garnished, including a return of garnished funds.

Represented a healthcare company in a confidential arbitration seeking payment for millions of dollars of services spanning multiple years and contracts.

Won dismissal of an antitrust suit involving the sale of hundreds of millions of dollars of cancer drugs against a multinational pharmaceutical company and successfully defended the ruling on appeal.

Secured the voluntary dismissal of breach of contract claims against two of the largest banks in the United States by seeking disqualification of plaintiff's counsel.

Negotiated a highly favorable settlement for an investment fund in a breach of contract suit brought by a former partner seeking hundreds of millions of dollars.

Won dismissal of disclosure claims brought against various special purpose acquisition companies (SPACs) by their shareholders.

Served as trial counsel to a large oil company in its bankruptcy and negotiated a highly favorable settlement during the confirmation hearing.

Prevailed on the central dispute in a confidential arbitration for a media company against a telecom company in a breach of contract suit with billions of dollars at stake.

Represented a leading oil and gas industry service company in appraisal and shareholder derivative actions in Delaware.

CLASS ACTIONS

Won dismissal of a statewide securities class action against a cryptocurrency organization and helped negotiate the settlement of analogous federal claims on behalf of a worldwide class.

Obtained dismissal with prejudice for a major home goods manufacturer in a federal product liability class action involving potentially hundreds of millions of dollars of liability to putative nationwide and statewide classes.

Defeated class certification in an action brought against a large utility company following Hurricane Sandy.

Negotiated a class-wide settlement for a major blockchain technology company in securities litigation concerning the sale of cryptocurrency.

MASS TORTS

Won summary judgment for a large utility company in a wrongful death action arising from downed power lines caused by Hurricane Sandy and successfully defended the ruling on appeal.

Won summary judgment for a large utility company in multiple actions arising from service outages caused by Hurricane Sandy.

Represented a chemical company in a confidential arbitration regarding the construction of an \$80 million chemical facility and performance of a proprietary manufacturing process.

PROFESSIONAL LIABILITY

Represented an AmLaw 100 law firm in a malpractice lawsuit seeking over \$800 million in damages arising out of financial advice.

Represented an AmLaw 100 firm in a malpractice lawsuit arising out of a \$90 million real estate transaction.

Represented an AmLaw 100 firm in a malpractice lawsuit arising out of tens of millions of dollars of tax advice.

Represented a Big Four accounting firm in a lawsuit arising out of tax advice.

PRO BONO

Represented an inmate who had been shot in the back by a guard in his claims for civil rights violations against the Weld County Sheriff's Office in Colorado.

Represented an elderly taxpayer in an IRS action against him for back taxes.

Represented 14 inmates in their First Amendment and Civil Liberties action against a jail system.
