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Danielle Trujillo represents clients in commercial litigation, appellate, professional liability, and product liability matters. Danielle has trial experience and has argued motions, taken depositions, led pre-suit investigations, and assisted in drafting winning dispositive motions.

Prior to joining WTO, Danielle served as a law clerk to Justice Richard L. Gabriel of the Colorado Supreme Court, as well as a law clerk to the judges of the Twentieth Judicial District of Colorado. While in law school, she argued before the 10th Circuit Court of Appeals, resulting in the successful reversal of an order dismissing a pro se plaintiff's excessive force case.

Danielle's personal interests include dancing, baking, and enjoying the Colorado Avalanche.

Credentials

Education

University of Colorado Law School, J.D., 2021, The Order of Barristers, *University of Colorado Law Review*, Associate Editor

University of Denver, B.A., *summa cum laude*, 2018; Criminology and Political Science, Phi Beta Kappa

CLERKSHIPS

Law Clerk to The Honorable Richard L. Gabriel, Colorado Supreme Court

Law Clerk, Twentieth Judicial District Court of Colorado

GOVERNMENT SERVICE

Judicial intern to The Honorable Melissa Hart, Colorado Supreme Court

BAR AND ADMISSIONS

Colorado

U.S. Court of Appeals, 8th Circuit

U.S. District Court, D. Colorado

LEGAL MEMBERSHIPS

Colorado Bar Association

Member

Denver Bar Association

Member

PRESENTATIONS

Co-presenter, Winning at Trial - Direct Examination, American College of Trial Lawyers - Colorado Chapter.

COMMUNITY ACTIVITY

Law School...Yes We Can!

Firm Liaison

Program Mentor

The Marshall-Brennan Constitutional Literacy Project

Volunteer Judge

Practices

Appellate

Commercial Litigation

Product Liability

Cases

Represented a civil rights organization in certiorari and merits-stage briefing before the U.S. Supreme Court in a Fourth Amendment case with national implications.

Representing an oil and gas company in a regulatory appeal involving \$100+ million development efforts.

Member of the trial team in an eight-day bench trial involving various breach of contract and breach of the duty of good faith and fair dealing claims.

Represented an energy company in a suit involving claims for breach of a lease agreement, tortious interference, and civil conspiracy.

Successfully moved to dismiss product liability claims involving a Class III medical device on preemption grounds.
