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Neethu Putta developed significant litigation experience as a law clerk for the Honorable Chad F. Kenney, United States District Court Judge for the Eastern District of Pennsylvania and as a litigation and trial associate for one of the nation's largest law firms, where she helped represent clients in multi-million dollar disputes. She has served as a lead associate for multiple bench trials and final arbitration hearings.

Prior to joining WTO, Neethu's previous roles also include serving as an adjunct professor at Cornell Law School in the Asylum Appellate Clinic, and a teaching role at Blackstone Valley Prep Elementary School 2 in Cumberland, RI through Teach for America.

Credentials

Education

Cornell Law School, J.D., *cum laude*, 2019; *Cornell Law Review*, Senior Notes Editor, Kasowitz Prize for Excellence in Legal Writing and Oral Advocacy

Tufts University, B.A., *cum laude*, 2013; International Relations

CLERKSHIPS

Law Clerk to the Honorable Chad F. Kenney, United States District Court, Eastern District of Pennsylvania

BAR AND ADMISSIONS

Colorado

New York

TEACHING POSITIONS

Adjunct Professor at Cornell Law School for the Asylum Appellate Clinic

Practices

Commercial Litigation

Cases

Defended a national space and satellite company against claims of fraud, negligence, and violations of Colorado non-compete statutes, leading to a successful resolution of the matter.

Took over as lead counsel representing a hospital in an injury case for a case scheduled for trial.

Won a motion to dismiss with prejudice representing a member-owned electric distribution cooperative in a breach of contract case.
