

Melinda A. Morgan

Partner

Overview

Melinda represents companies in commercial matters with a focus on defending asbestos product liability claims. She draws on her experience across business sectors and issues that include insurance coverage, risk management, railroad, leasing, and entertainment. Melinda also has experience assisting individuals as they pursue and defend personal injury and civil sex offense cases.

In the pro bono area, Melinda advocates for inmates who appear before the Utah Board of Pardons and Parole by preparing them for hearings and submitting written memoranda on their behalf.

Experience

Representative matters include:

- *Banyan Investment Company, LLC v. Steven Evans, et al.*, 2012 UT App. 333.
- *Jackson v. Mateus*, 2003 UT 18
- *West v. Holley*, 2004 UT 97
- *Normandeau v. Hanson Equipment, Inc.* 2007 UT App. 382, *cert. granted*, 2009 UT 44

Honors & Recognitions

- Utah Legal Elite, Civil Litigation, *Utah Business* magazine, 2019
- Utah Legal Elite, Family Law, *Utah Business* magazine, 2015-2016, 2018
- *The Best Lawyers in America*®, Litigation - Insurance, 2015-present

Professional Activities

- Member, American Bar Association
- Member, Utah State Bar
- Member, Washington State Bar
- Member, Women Lawyers of Utah



mamorgan@michaelbest.com

Cottonwood Heights

T. 801.833.0502

Salt Lake City

T. 385.695.6450

Legal Assistant

Kelsey Onysko

T. 801.833.0500

Practices

Litigation
Products Liability Defense



- Former Chair, BYU Alumni Women's Law Forum

Education

- Brigham Young University, Juris Doctor (J.D.), 1995
- Brigham Young University, Bachelor of Arts (B.A.), 1991

Admissions

- Utah
- Washington

Related News

NEWS

August 15, 2019

Michael Best Attorneys Named The Best Lawyers in America© 2020

NEWS

March 1, 2019

Twelve Michael Best Attorneys Honored as 2019 Utah Legal Elite

NEWS

August 15, 2018

88 Michael Best Attorneys Named The Best Lawyers in America© 2019

NEWS

February 1, 2018

Fifteen Michael Best Attorneys Honored as 2018 Utah Legal Elite