

Fabiola Fox

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When companies need strategic advice on business transactions, planning or management, they turn to Fabiola Fox, who has the knowledge and experience to help them make the right choices. Fabiola concentrates her practice on structuring, negotiating and documenting business transactions and has represented emerging companies and investors throughout the corporate life cycle across a number of industries.

Fabiola advises investors and companies on a variety of matters, including company formations, mergers and acquisitions, venture capital financings and corporate governance.

An active pro bono practice

Fabiola commits to giving back to her community. While at Katten, she has maintained an active pro bono practice and represents non-profit organizations in corporate and governance matters.

In addition, Fabiola received her JD from the University of Chicago Law School, where she was the alumni relations chair for the Latino Law Students' Association and an advocate on behalf of children for the Young Center for Immigrant Children's Rights, an organization that protects and champions the rights of immigrant children.

Before joining Katten, she worked as an associate at a major international law firm. Fabiola received her BA with honors from the University of Wisconsin-Madison.

Recognitions

Recognized or listed in the following:

- *Chambers USA*
  - Startups & Emerging Companies, 2022–2026
- Lawyers of Color
  - Hot List, 2022
- *Super Lawyers Rising Stars*

Practices

- Capital Markets
- Corporate

Education

- JD, The University of Chicago
- BA, University of Wisconsin

Bar Admissions

- Illinois
- Texas

- Illinois, 2024–2027
- *The Legal 500 United States*
  - Recommended Attorney, 2026

News

- Katten Duo Supports Exelon's Climate Change Investment Initiative for Seventh Consecutive Year (August 17, 2026)
- Katten Earns Top Rankings in the Legal 500 US 2026 Guide (June 10, 2026)
- Katten Climbs in *Chambers USA* 2026 Rankings (June 4, 2026)
- Katten Attorneys Named to 2026 Illinois Super Lawyers, Rising Stars Lists (January 21, 2026)
- Katten Represents Kasa in Acquisition of Mint House (January 20, 2026)
- Katten Announces New Partner Class of 2025 (August 26, 2025)
- *Chambers USA* 2025 Ranks Katten as Leading Law Firm (June 5, 2025)
- Katten Attorneys Selected for 2025 Illinois Super Lawyers, Rising Stars Lists (January 31, 2025)
- Katten Receives High Marks in *Chambers USA* Guide 2024 (June 6, 2024)
- Katten Attorneys Named to 2024 Illinois Super Lawyers, Rising Stars Lists (January 25, 2024)
- Katten Represents KnowledgeHound in Acquisition By YouGov (January 12, 2024)
- Katten Advises Exelon Foundation in its 4th Round of Funding Climate-Change Initiatives in Six Markets (June 13, 2023)
- Katten Boosts Rankings in *Chambers USA Guide 2023* (June 1, 2023)
- Fabiola Valenzuela Named to Lawyers of Color's 2022 'Hot List' (December 20, 2022)
- Katten Supports Exelon Foundation's 2022 Investment in Nine Startups Addressing Climate Change (August 22, 2022)
- Katten Ranked Leading Law Firm by *Chambers USA* 2022 (June 1, 2022)

> ***"Fabiola is a pleasure to work with. She is knowledgeable, efficient and has a can-do attitude." "Fabiola impresses with her ability to convey the detail of documentations and highlight possible pitfalls when considering a course of action."***

***Chambers USA* 2025 (USA Nationwide, Startups & Emerging Companies) survey response**

- Katten Represents Lead Investor PSP Growth in OpenSpace's $102M Series D Financing (March 7, 2022)
- Katten Advises Exelon Foundation Again in Funding Startups to Address Climate Change (June 15, 2021)
- Katten Helps Mediafly Raise $25 million in Equity and Debt (February 1, 2021)
- Katten Represents Cubii in a Strategic Growth Investment from Gridiron Capital (October 7, 2020)
- Katten Advises Exelon Foundation in Funding Startups Tackling Climate Change (July 29, 2020)

Presentations and Events

- The Taste Economy (June 17, 2026)
- Investing for Tomorrow: Health Care Institutions as Investors, Strategic Investment Partners and Entrepreneurs – Part 1 (December 13, 2023)
- Katten 2023 Diversity Summit (June 12–14, 2023) | *Presenter* | *Unwritten Rules for Success as a Junior Associate*
- Startup Law 101, Hosted by Meta (May 4, 2023)