

Sarah J Lee

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Sarah Lee represents clients in complex commercial litigation, handling contract and other business disputes through all stages of litigation. She represents both plaintiffs and defendants in state and federal court, as well as in arbitration and mediation, giving her a practical understanding of how disputes are approached from all sides and across different forums. Her experience includes managing large-scale discovery, litigating discovery motions, conducting depositions and examining witnesses. She has served as second chair on three arbitration hearings.

A background of wide-ranging experience

Sarah also works with companies to conduct internal employment investigations involving claims of discrimination, harassment, retaliation and hostile work environment. She has experience in wage and hour PAGA and class actions and single plaintiff employment litigation.

Prior to joining Katten, Sarah served as a judicial extern to the Honorable R. Gary Klausner, US District Court for the Central District of California, and as a student extern at the Inglewood District Attorney's office conducting preliminary hearings. She also served as a member on the Scott Moot Court Honors Board after succeeding in advocacy competitions and was a Technical Editor for the *Loyola of Los Angeles Law Review*.

Publications

- The Expiration of California COVID-19 Supplemental Paid Sick Leave (February 8, 2023)

Practices

- Commercial Litigation
- Litigation
- Employment Litigation and Counseling

Education

- JD, Loyola Law School, Los Angeles, *cum laude, Order of the Coif*
- BA, University of California, Santa Barbara

Bar Admissions

- California