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Julia Alonzo is the Litigation Department Legal Director. She works closely with the department's co-chairs to manage its business and operations, and works with the entire department to execute on its strategic plan. As a long-time Proskauer lawyer, and an accomplished member of its Litigation Department, Julia has taken on an additional firm-wide leadership role that focuses on building a community that provides fair opportunities for women attorneys across all departments and at all stages of their careers.

Julia also serves on the Firm's Hiring Committee and Summer Program Committee.

Until 2024, Julia was a Senior Counsel in Proskauer's Litigation Department, with a focus on securities, corporate governance, and restructuring litigation.

Matters

Key Representations:

- A large retailer of household merchandise and home furnishings in a federal securities class action relating to its statements regarding the company's strategic transformation and inventory-reduction programs
- A high-profile CEO named as an individual defendant in a securities class action involving allegations that the acquisition of her former company resulted in the issuance of false and misleading statements regarding the company's financial performance
- An investment management company and its directors named as defendants in six lawsuits alleging insufficient disclosures in connection with its planned acquisition by a business development corporation
- A nationwide trucking company in multiple shareholder derivative actions and a federal securities class action involving accounting disclosure allegations related to a pending False Claims Act case
- A private equity firm alleged to have aided and abetted breaches of fiduciary duty made by a portfolio company in a derivative action brought in the Delaware Court of Chancery
- A former CEO of a retail conglomerate in a securities class action alleging the company made false and misleading statements regarding the company's goodwill and an SEC investigation into its accounting practices
- An indepedent investigation into a shareholder demand brought against an investment company alleging excessive fees paid to its investment advisor
- A renowned technology firm in two shareholder derivative actions arising from its separate acquisitions of two software companies and subsequent impairment charges relating to those companies and their products
- A leading energy services firm in two shareholder derivative matters involving allegations of Foreign Corrupt Practices Act violations, Office of Foreign Assets Control/export control violations, government contracting abuses, environmental damage and other misconduct
- An individual defendant in a federal white-collar trial charged with mail fraud, obstruction of justice and money laundering

Education

University of Virginia Law School, J.D.

University of Virginia, B.A.

With High Distinction

Admissions & Qualifications

New York

Court Admissions

U.S. District Court, New York, Eastern District

U.S. District Court, New York, Southern District

Memberships

American Bar Association

New York City Bar Association