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Keisha-Ann G. Gray is a distinguished trial lawyer who has secured significant victories in both federal and state courts. As a partner in the Labor & Employment Law Department, co-head of the Policies, Handbooks & Training Practice Group, and former co-head of the Employment Litigation & Arbitration Practice Group, she focuses her practice on civil law with an emphasis on litigating highly-sensitive employment discrimination claims.

Counseling is another cornerstone of her practice. As a seasoned trial counsel and litigator, Keisha-Ann draws from her experiences in the courtroom before juries to help inform her clients, including many *Fortune 500* companies, on issues pertinent to employment law and complaint prevention.

Keisha-Ann frequently speaks and writes on trial practice and employment discrimination defense matters. She is the resident Legal Clinic Columnist for *Human Resources Executive Online Magazine* and a contributor to the SHRM Blog. Keisha-Ann has been recognized by *The Network Journal*, *The New York Law Journal's Rising Stars* and YWCA of New York's Academy of Women Leaders. She is also very passionate about mentoring junior lawyers and supporting organizations such

as Practicing Attorneys for Law Students “Pals” (Member of Board of Directors) and the American Friends of Jamaica.

Prior to joining Proskauer in 2007, Keisha-Ann was an Assistant U.S. Attorney in the Eastern District of New York and a former federal law clerk, having served two years in the Chambers of the Honorable Jaime Pieras Jr., Senior Judge in the District Court for the District of Puerto Rico.

Practices

Trial Strategies , Policies, Handbooks & Training, Discrimination, Harassment & Title VII, Employment Counseling & Training, Employment Litigation & Arbitration

Education

New York University School of Law, J.D., 1998
University of Pennsylvania, B.A., 1995cum laude

Admissions & Qualifications

New York

Clerkships

U.S. District Court, Puerto Rico - Hon. Jaime Pieras, Jr.

Court Admissions

U.S. Court of Appeals, First Circuit, U.S. Court of Appeals, Second Circuit, U.S. District Court, Puerto Rico, U.S. District Court, New York, Eastern District, U.S. District Court, New York, Southern District

Memberships

Federal Bar Council
Hispanic National Bar Association
Metropolitan Black Bar Association
National Employment Law Council

New York City Bar

New York State Bar Association

Practicing Attorneys for Law Students "Pals" (Member of Board of Directors)

The American Friends of Jamaica

Awards & Recognition

Crain's New York Business, Leading Women Lawyers in New York City 2018

New York Super Lawyers 2014-2017

The Legal 500 United States: Labor and Employment: Workplace and Employment

Counseling 2014-2018

The Legal 500 United States: Labor and Employment: Labor & Employment Litigation

2017

The Legal 500 United States: Labor & Employment: Disputes Defense: Collective

Actions 2016-2018

New York Law Journal's "Rising Stars" 2013

"40 Under Forty" Achievement Award, The Network Journal 2009

Government Service

Assistant U.S. Attorney, Eastern District of New York, 2003-2007