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### Areas of Practice

Employment Litigation

General Liability

Insurance Litigation

Professional Liability

### Bar Admissions

Minnesota

U.S. District Court, Minnesota

### Education

University of Minnesota - Carlson

School of Management, B.S., 2008

William Mitchell College of Law, J.D.,

2013

Lauren D'Cruz is an associate attorney with Lind, Jensen, Sullivan & Peterson, P.A. She focuses her practice on a variety of civil litigation areas including employment litigation, retail practice, professional liability and ethics, and insurance coverage defense. She received her Bachelor of Science in Accounting from the Carlson School of Management at the University of Minnesota and her Juris Doctor from William Mitchell College of Law. Before joining as an associate, Lauren gained experience at Lind Jensen as a law clerk. As a law clerk, Lauren researched and drafted legal memoranda, motions, and discovery requests. She also interpreted statutes and regulations relevant for litigation. During law school, Lauren was a staff member of the William Mitchell Law Review, represented William Mitchell at the Uvaldo Herrera National Moot Court Competition, and served as the President of the William Mitchell Chapter of the Federal Bar Association. She received the 2013 Minnesota Federal Bar Association Law Student Award. Lauren was also a Judicial Extern for Magistrate Judge Jeffrey Keyes of the United States District Court for the District of Minnesota and a summer law clerk for the Ramsey County Attorney's Office.

### Honors & Awards

MSBA North Star Lawyer, 2013

2013 Minnesota Federal Bar Association Law Student Award Recipient

Nominated for the Burton Award for Excellence in Legal Writing

William Mitchell Law Review, Volume 39, Staff Member, 2012 - 2013

William Mitchell College of Law Dean's List

### Professional Associations & Memberships

Minnesota Bar Association (2013 - Present)

Minnesota Women Lawyers (2013 - Present)

Warren Burger Inn of Court (2012 - 2013)

Federal Bar Association-Communications Committee (2014 - Present)

### Published Works / Presentations

Are Private Zones of Social-Networking Sites Fair Game? 5 A.B.A. Sec. of Litig.  
Tech. for Litigator 18 (2011) --  
<http://apps.americanbar.org/litigation/committees/technology/news.html>

### Pro Bono Activities

Volunteer Lawyers Network (2013 - Present)

Mid-Minnesota Legal Aid (2013 - Present)

Hennepin County District Court Self-Help Center (2010 - 2011)