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Laura has a broad corporate practice. She advises clients on various matters, including mergers and acquisitions, reorganizations, commercial arrangements and other transactional and strategic matters.

## Experience

- **M&A**
  - Acted for Cormark Securities Inc., an independent investment bank, on its acquisition by ATB Financial, the largest financial institution headquartered in Western Canada
  - Acted for Banneker Partners on its acquisitions of Remsoft and Lim Geomatics
  - Acted for the purchaser of a national food processing business
- **Health Sector Integrations**
  - Acted for Grand River Hospital Corporation and St. Mary's General Hospital to complete the integration of the two public hospitals to form Waterloo Regional Health Network
  - Acted for a public hospital to complete an integration with a local community health centre
- **Other Transactions**
  - Represented Telesat Corporation in \$2.54B funding agreement (for its subsidiary, Telesat LEO Inc.) for its broadband satellite constellation
- **Corporate and Commercial**
  - Regularly advises clients on commercial and contractual matters, including services agreements, supply agreements and operating agreements
  - Provides clients with ongoing advice on corporate governance matters

## Bar Admission & Education

- Ontario, 2015
- JD, Queen's University, 2014
- BSc, Western University, 2011

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