



## Laura Jochimski

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Laura provides a range of resolution services throughout all levels of tax disputes, including at the audit, appeals, and litigation stages of a dispute. As part of the tax services provided to her clients, Laura has written voluntary disclosures, fairness requests, notices of objection, judicial review applications, and notices of appeal. Laura has experience dealing with both income tax and GST/HST, as well as other indirect taxes like the Speculation and Vacancy Tax and provincial sales taxes.

While representing clients, Laura has appeared before the Federal Court, the Tax Court of Canada, the Federal Court of Appeal, and the Supreme Court of Canada.

Prior to joining BLG, Laura articulated and was an associate with a national accounting firm working in the tax litigation group. Before articling, Laura worked in the Tax Policy group at the British Columbia Ministry of Finance.

## Insights & Events

- Author, "Jurisdictional lines drawn by the SCC: Discretionary decisions only reviewable in Federal Court", BLG Article, July 2024
- Author, "The expansion of the Canada Revenue Agency audit powers and contraction of the taxpayer's rights", BLG Article, May 2024
- Author, "Northbridge v the King: Tax court confirms need for clear documentary evidence at trial", BLG Article, May 2024

- Author, "B.C. budget 2024: Notable indirect tax highlights", BLG Article, March 2024

## Beyond Our Walls

### Professional Involvement

- Member, Canadian Bar Association
- Member, Advocates Society
- Member, Law Society of Alberta
- Member, Law Society of British Columbia

## Bar Admission & Education

- Alberta, 2021
- British Columbia, 2020
- In Depth Tax Program, CPA Canada, In Progress
- Juris Doctor, Thompson Rivers University, 2019
- BA, Simon Fraser University, 2013

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