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Loni has a commercial litigation and dispute resolution practice, having varied experience in handling energy industry disputes, commercial tenancy matters, director shareholder and accounting disputes, securities-related defence and regulatory matters and intellectual property related disputes.

She regularly assists and advises clients on:

- Commercial tenancy matters;
- Securities-related regulatory investigations, complaints and litigation;
- Environmental contamination and pest management regulatory matters;
- Liquor and gaming regulations;
- Energy industry disputes;
- Director Shareholder and accounting disputes;
- Trademark infringement and opposition proceedings;
- Patent litigation; and
- Class actions and appeals

Loni has appeared before all levels of Court in Alberta and the Federal Court, as well as a number of administrative bodies, including:

- the Alberta Securities Commission (ASC)
- the Canadian Investment Regulatory Organization (CIRO)
- the Trademark Opposition Board (TMOB)
- the Municipal Government Board
- the Alberta Energy Regulator (AER)
- the Alberta Liquor, Gaming and Cannabis Commission (AGLC).

Loni is also a registered Canadian Trademark Agent and offers services through a Law Corporation.

Insights & Events

- Autrice, « The COVID-19 pandemic and the right to a trial within a reasonable time », article de BLG, octobre 2022
- Autrice, « Alberta Court of Appeal affirms key decision regarding investor loss class actions », article de BLG, avril 2022
- Autrice, « Freehold lessees facing increased risk of lease termination », article de BLG, novembre 2021
- Autrice, « COVID-19 : Litiges avec des actionnaires et conflits d'entreprise », article de BLG, avril 2020
- Autrice, « ASC Introduces Anticipated Whistleblower Policy », article de BLG, novembre 2018
- Author, "Facilitation or "Grease" Payments Now Illegal Under Canadian Anti-Corruption Law," BLG's The Exchange: Financial Institutions Litigation Blog, November 2017
- Author, "New Alberta Securities Commission Policy Encourages Self-Reporting of Securities Breaches," BLG's The Exchange: Financial Institutions Litigation Blog, October 28, 2017.
- Author, "Ontario Court of Appeal Upholds Landmark Karigar Corruption Conviction," BLG's The Exchange: Financial Institutions Litigation Blog, July 19, 2017.
- Author, "Counsel Comments: Cunningham v. Wiltzen, 2017 ABCA 185," Take Five: Alberta Edition, July 2017.
- Co-Author, "Alberta Court of Appeal Upholds Finding of Negligence Against Investment Advisor and Employer for Losses Incurred due to Unsuitable High Risk Investments," BLG's The Exchange: Financial Institutions Litigation Blog, June 20, 2017.
- Autrice, « Alberta Continues to Oppose Proposed National Securities Regulator », article de BLG, avril 2016

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Professional Involvement

- Member, Calgary Bar Association
- Member, Canadian Bar Association

Community Involvement

- Children's Legal & Educational Resource Centre (CLERC)

- Ambassador and past Board member, Unlocking Potential Foundation

Awards & Recognition

- Recognized in the 2025 edition (and since 2020) of *Benchmark Litigation Canada* as a Future Star.
- Recognized in the 2025 edition (and since 2022) of *The Best Lawyers in Canada*® (Corporate and Commercial Litigation) and in the 2025 edition of *The Best Lawyers in Canada*® (Intellectual Property Law)
- Recognized in the 2025 edition of *Chambers Canada – Canada's Leading Lawyers for Business* (Litigation: General Commercial - Alberta).
- Recognized in the 2024 of *Legal 500 Canada* as a "Next Generation Partner" (Dispute Resolution).
- Recognized in the 2024 edition (and since 2020) of *Benchmark Litigation Canada in the 40 & Under Hot List*.
- Shortlisted for "Emerging Talent - Alberta Litigator of the Year" at the 2023 *Benchmark Litigation Canada Awards*
- Recognized in the 2023 edition (and since 2022) of *The Best Lawyers in Canada* (Corporate and Commercial Litigation)

Bar Admission & Education

- Alberta, 2011
- JD, Université de la Saskatchewan, 2010
- BA, Université de l'Alberta, 2006

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