

Sara N. Moppin

Of Counsel

Sara practices with the firm's Business Law practice group, focusing primarily on business transactions, including entity formations, mergers and acquisitions, trademark registrations, finance, corporate governance, securities law, and general commercial law and contract issues. She represents individuals, privately held businesses and exempt organizations across a diverse array of industries, including oil and gas, energy efficiency, medical devices, heavy equipment and auto sales and leasing, banking and financial services, craft brewing, nonprofit, and manufacturing.

In addition to traditional business and contracts matters, Sara regularly advises clients with respect to regulatory and compliance matters in the areas of energy, banking, and consumer protection. She also has extensive experience counseling financial institutions in connection with secured and unsecured lending.

Prior to joining Preti Flaherty, Sara practiced at a law firm in Maine for nine years.

Sara lives in Portland with her family.

Practice Areas

- Business Law
- Emerging Businesses
- Banking and Financial Services
- Cannabis Business

Education

- University of Maine School of Law (J.D., cum laude, 2008)
 - Research Editor, Maine Law Review
 - 2007 Shur-Frinsko Award for Academic Excellence in Municipal Law & Local Governance
- Loyola University New Orleans (B.A., magna cum laude)
 - Phi Alpha Theta, National Collegiate Historical Honor Society

Admissions

- Maine
- Massachusetts



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Professional Affiliations

- Maine State Bar Association
- Cumberland County Bar Association, Past President
- American Bar Association

Honors & Awards

- *Super Lawyers* New England Rising Star for six consecutive years

Civic Involvement

- SCORE Portland Chapter, Resource Mentor
- Cumberland County Fund, Maine Community Foundation, Chair
- The Maine Women's Conference, Inc., Board Member and General Counsel
- City of Portland Zoning Board of Appeals, Past Member and Chair