

# Janna Akers

**Associate** 

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"I approach client service with genuine care and dedication, seeking to create relationships built on trust and mutual respect. I am passionate about guiding clients through challenges with empathy and clarity, always striving to ensure they feel supported and understood throughout the process."

Janna Akers is a member of the firm's employment law & labor relations practice team. She helps employers navigate and resolve workplace issues, including disputes involving discrimination, harassment, retaliation, wrongful termination, wage and hour claims, and unfair business practices. Janna represents clients in mediation, arbitration, and litigation in both state and federal courts, and works closely with them to develop practical strategies for resolving conflicts and protecting their interests.

Before joining Miller Nash, Janna practiced at a national law firm, where she focused on labor and employment, education, and business law. She also has experience handling civil matters such as personal injury and accident cases, giving her a broad perspective on how to approach complex disputes.

#### **Professional Activities**

- Orange County Women Lawyers Association
  - Member, 2022-present
- Japanese American Bar Association
  - Member, 2022-present

#### **Civic Activities**

- Little Tokyo Sparkle, Volunteer
- Feed America, Volunteer

## **Personal Activities**

When she's not in the office, Janna enjoys watching classic movies and reality TV, yoga, and is learning to crochet.

## **Education**

J.D., Chapman University Fowler School of Law, 2022

- Full merit scholarship
- Secretary, Asian
   Pacific American Law

  Student Association
- Mock Trial
  - 2022 AAJ Student Trial Advocacy Competition, Semifinal Round
  - 2020 All-Star
    National Challenge
- Head Representative, Kaplan

B.A., Scripps College, psychology, 2018

- Minor in Spanish
- Mock Trial
  - Outstanding All-Region Witness (2017 Claremont Regional Tournament)

### **Bar Admissions**

California, 2022

#### **Court Admissions**

U.S. District Court, Central District of California