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Libby Brewington's practice is concentrated in business law and corporate transactions. Libby represents clients in commercial loan transactions, purchases and sales of businesses, entity formation and business reorganizations, and other corporate legal issues that arise in business operations.

MEZZANINE FINANCE

Libby represents mezzanine lenders, venture capital funds and other investors in complex financing transactions and in making investments at every level of a company's capital structure. Libby has extensive experience in senior secured loans, second lien and subordinated debt investments, and common and preferred equity investments, including the negotiation of intercreditor agreements. She regularly represents borrowers in commercial financing transactions as well.

"Libby has a rare combination of technical skill, business savvy and bedside manner. Attorneys opposite us routinely comment on her professionalism and relevance—she doesn't waste time or money." - Mezzanine lender client

CORPORATE & BUSINESS

Libby represents companies in general and commercial matters, providing and coordinating legal services for clients, including: all types of contracts and leases, ownership and equity issues, succession issues, lending relationships, executive compensation, labor and employment, employee benefits, commercial real estate, commercial disputes, and other issues, typical and unusual, faced by business organizations.

MERGERS & ACQUISITIONS

Libby regularly handles acquisitions and divestitures of privately held businesses as well as private equity investments.

ENTITY FORMATION

Libby counsels businesses and nonprofit organizations on a myriad of issues related to entity formation.

SERVICES

Corporate & Business

Entity Formation

Financial Services and Banking

Manufacturing

Mergers & Acquisitions

Health Care

CREDENTIALS

Honors & Recognitions

Selected as one of the *Triad Business Journal's* "Outstanding Women in Business" (2019)

Selected by her peers for inclusion in *The Best Lawyers in America*® in Corporate Law (2015-2022) (Greensboro "Lawyer of the Year" 2020) and Commercial Finance Law (2021-2022) (Greensboro "Lawyer of the Year" 2022)

Education

University of North Carolina School of Law, J.D., 1992, with high honors; Order of the Coif; Staff Member, *North Carolina Law Review*, 1990-91

Davidson College, B.A., 1987

Admissions

North Carolina

PROFESSIONAL & CIVIC

Member, North Carolina Bar Association (1992-present)

Member, American Bar Association (1992-present)

Member, Board of Trustees (2020-present), Finance Committee (2006-2012), Canterbury School

Director, People to People, Inc. (2003-2009) (also served as Secretary, Chair)

Director, Ten Thousand Villages of Greensboro (2006-2011)

Director, The Barnabas Network (a local furniture bank) (2009 – 2014) (Treasurer, 2010-2011; Chair, 2012-2013, Past Chair, 2014)

Graduate, Leadership Greensboro, 2008

Women to Women Advisory Council (2012-2015)

Active Member, Holy Trinity Episcopal Church

NEWSROOM

News

72 Brooks Pierce Attorneys Recognized in *The Best Lawyers in America*® 2022 Guide
The Best Lawyers in America®, 08.19.2021

Brooks Pierce Helps Facilitate New Lending Program to Support Small Businesses
11.03.2020

73 Brooks Pierce Attorneys Recognized in *The Best Lawyers in America*® 2021 Guide
The Best Lawyers in America®, 08.20.2020

Libby Brewington Appointed to Canterbury School Board of Trustees
07.23.2020

55 Brooks Pierce Attorneys Recognized in *The Best Lawyers in America*® 2020 Guide

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The Best Lawyers in America®, 08.15.2019