



## Qian Julie Wang

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### Practice Areas

- Appellate Advocacy and Guidance
- Business Litigation
- Class Action Litigation
- Copyright
- Employment
- Entertainment and Media Litigation
- Intellectual Property and Technology Litigation
- Trademark, Advertising, and Brand Litigation

### Education

- Yale Law School, J.D. (2012); *Yale Law Journal*, Executive Development Editor (2011-2012), Editor (2010-2011)
- Swarthmore College, Bachelor of Arts in English Literature, *cum laude* (2009)

### Languages

- Mandarin

### Professional Associations

- New York City Bar Association

### Bar Admissions

- District of Columbia

### Experience

Qian Julie Wang has focused her legal career on complex civil litigation at both the trial and appellate levels. Julie has extensive experience representing and advising corporations, government entities, and individuals in a broad array of subject matters, such as class actions, contract disputes, employment discrimination, false advertising, securities, copyright, and trademark.

Julie's trial work has taken place in state and federal courts across the country, as well as before the Trademark Trial and Appeal Board. On the appellate level, Julie has briefed and argued over 40 civil cases in the New York state appellate courts and in the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Second Circuit. She has also co-authored two amicus briefs filed before the U.S. Supreme Court. With a particular gift for translating the complex and the technical into accessible common sense, Julie develops creative solutions that balance a focus on details with an eye toward real-world, big-picture implications.

As a first-generation immigrant who spent her childhood in the inner city, Julie is deeply passionate about giving voice to the marginalized. She dedicates her pro bono practice to advancing the rights of immigrants and women.

After law school, Julie clerked for Judge Morgan Christen on the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit and for Justice Peter Maassen on the Alaska Supreme Court. Julie was also a litigation associate in the New York and Washington, D.C. offices of a large international law firm. Prior to joining Robins Kaplan, she served as senior counsel in the Appeals Division of New York City's Office of Corporation Counsel.

### Selected Case Results\*

Served as lead counsel and primary brief author in a complex administrative appeal involving a zoning statute that spanned thousands of pages. Argued the appeal before the Appellate Division, First Judicial Department of the Supreme Court of the State of New York and secured a unanimous reversal. (Prior to joining Robins Kaplan LLP)

- New York Served as lead counsel and primary brief author in the defense of an employment discrimination suit against a government entity. Argued the appeal before the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Second Circuit and secured a unanimous affirmance. (Prior to joining Robins Kaplan LLP)
- U.S. Court of Appeals, Ninth Circuit
- U.S. Court of Appeals, Second Circuit
- U.S. District Court, District of Colorado Obtained favorable settlement for a leading sweetener company in connection with a putative class action alleging false advertising violation. (Prior to joining Robins Kaplan LLP)
- U.S. District Court, Eastern District of New York
- U.S. District Court, Southern District of New York Obtained favorable settlement for a multinational information technology company in connection with a suit alleging breach of contract and employment discrimination. (Prior to joining Robins Kaplan LLP)

Part of a team that successfully defended a leading multinational technology company in trademark opposition proceedings. (Prior to joining Robins Kaplan LLP)

Co-authored amicus brief filed before the U.S. Supreme Court on behalf of 31 municipalities related to transgender rights. (Prior to joining Robins Kaplan LLP)

Co-authored amicus brief filed before the U.S. Supreme Court related to the doctrine of laches in copyright and patent law. (Prior to joining Robins Kaplan LLP)

Past results are reported to provide the reader with an indication of the type of litigation we practice. They do not and should not be construed to create an expectation of result in any other case, as all cases are dependent upon their own unique fact situation and applicable law.

## **Recognition\*\***

- Yale Law School, William S. Beinecke Scholarship, awarded to outstanding minority students (2010-2012)
- Yale Law School, Knight Law and Media Scholar (2009-2012)
- Kirkland & Ellis LLP, Diversity Fellowship (2011)

\*\*Being named to the list or receiving the award is not intended and should not be viewed as comparative to other lawyers or to create an expectation about results that might be achieved in a future matter.

## **Community Service**

- Animal Haven, Volunteer (2016-2018)