

## PRACTICE AREAS

- Litigation
- Bankruptcy and Creditor's Rights
- Employment

## EDUCATION

- Boston University School of Law (J.D. 1996)
  - Editor, American Journal of Law and Medicine
- Cornell University (B.A. 1993)
  - Double major in French and Linguistics

Mia S. Blackler is a Partner in Lubin Olson's Litigation and Bankruptcy and Creditors' Rights Practice Groups, with an emphasis in commercial, real property and financial institutions litigation in state and federal trial and appellate courts. Ms. Blackler's litigation experience includes wrongful foreclosure defense, bank operations, interbank disputes and commercial disputes. She is well versed in enforcing creditors' rights, including prosecuting collection actions, seeking prejudgment remedies and receiverships. Ms. Blackler has also handled complex fraud actions and class actions.

Ms. Blackler also maintains an active employment practice. She provides risk avoidance and pre-litigation advice and counseling on employment policies and practices compliance issues. Ms. Blackler also advises employers on the impact of recent laws directly impacting employee-employer relationships. When employment disputes arise, Ms. Blackler defends employers against wrongful termination, discrimination, sexual harassment and compensation claims brought before the courts and administrative agencies, and also serves as monitoring counsel on matters handled through business insurance.

Ms. Blackler was the 2018 President of the California Receiver's Forum and is the former president of its Bay Area Chapter of which she has been a board member since 2011. Ms. Blackler was a Symposium Co-Chair of the California Receiver's Forum Loyola VIII conference in 2020. Ms. Blackler is a current member and former Co-Chair of the Financial Institutions Committee of the California Lawyers Association. Ms. Blackler serves as a volunteer arbitrator for the State Bar of California's Mandatory Fee Arbitration Program. She previously served on the Board of Directors for Pets Unlimited.

Before joining Lubin Olson, Ms. Blackler practiced with Buchalter, a professional corporation, where she chaired its San Francisco litigation department in 2018.



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