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FOCUS AREAS

Corporate
Emerging Companies and
Venture Capital
Mergers & Acquisitions

EXPERIENCE

Ashley Schmidt is a senior corporate associate who specializes in providing strategic counsel and business advice to multi-national clients as they evolve from early-stage start-ups to large public companies. With more than ten years of experience, Ashley has extensive transactional experience in venture financings, capital markets transactions, mergers and acquisitions, and corporate governance. She has successfully structured, negotiated, and closed transactions totaling tens of billions of dollars.

Ashley's practice focuses on the representation of clients in the health and wellness, consumer products, technology, logistics, life sciences, and healthcare industries. In addition, she also represents financial investors in both minority and majority equity investments in high-growth companies.

She is intimately familiar with the nuanced demands and idiosyncratic needs of founders, and builds relationships of trust with her clients, encouraging collaboration in a business-friendly, pragmatic way.

Ashley is admitted in Washington and Tennessee. She is practicing virtually from Tennessee.

CREDENTIALS

Education

- J.D., University of Washington School of Law
Specialization in Law, Business, and Entrepreneurship; Member, Entrepreneurial Law Clinic
- B.A., English and Political Science, University of Washington

Associations and Memberships

- Member, Washington State Bar Association

Admissions

- State Bar of Tennessee
- State Bar of Washington

MATTERS

Select Transactions

- Battle Road Digital on its acquisition by Onebrief
- Armada Acquisition Corp II on its business combination with Evernorth Holdings
- Qventus on its \$105 million Series D
- Recursion on various transactions, including its IPO, \$239 million Series D, and agreement with Exscientia

- Zipline on its \$250 million financing
- REVOLVE on its IPO
- Zenput in its sale to CrunchTime!