

## Ashley Schmidt

ASSOCIATE

Corporate

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## FOCUS AREAS

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Corporate  
Emerging Companies  
Mergers & Acquisitions

## EXPERIENCE

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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. She has extensive transactional experience in venture financings, capital markets transactions, mergers and acquisitions, and corporate governance; as of the end of 2022, she has structured and negotiated in excess of approximately \$8 billion in venture financings, \$2 billion in capital markets transactions, and \$1 billion in mergers and acquisitions.

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

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### 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

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### Select Transactions

- Zenput in its sale to CrunchTime!