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FOCUS AREAS

Commercial Litigation
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Government Investigations
Litigation
Securities Litigation
White Collar Crime

EXPERIENCE

Ava Mehta is an associate in the Palo Alto office of Wilson Sonsini, where she focuses on complex litigation and investigations.

During law school, Ava externed for the Honorable Charles R. Breyer of the U.S. District Court for the Northern District of California. At Penn Law, Ava was selected to the Moot Court Board, and was a member of the law school's Appellate Advocacy Clinic. She served as an articles editor for the *University of Pennsylvania Journal of Constitutional Law*, and on the boards of the South Asian Law Students Association and the West Coast Law Students Association.

Before attending law school, Ava was a research associate at the Brennan Center for Justice, where she specialized in policy and litigation work related to election law. She also worked at the law firm AZB in Mumbai, India. While pursuing her undergraduate degree at UC Berkeley, she worked for the Office of the Solicitor General at the U.S. Department of Justice.

CREDENTIALS

Education

- J.D., University of Pennsylvania Law School, 2021
National Moot Court Team; Articles Editor, Journal of Constitutional Law; Winner and Best Defense Attorney, Penn Law Mock Trial Tournament; Distinguished Pro Bono Service Award
- Certificate in Management, The Wharton School of the University of Pennsylvania, 2020
- B.A., Political Science, University of California, Berkeley, 2015
Minor in English; Pi Beta Kappa; Highest Honors; Fellow, UC Berkeley Goldman School of Public Policy

Admissions

- State Bar of California
- U.S. Court of Appeals for the Seventh Circuit
- U.S. Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit
- U.S. District Court for the Northern District of California