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Pamela Harper is a Member of Griesing Law, LLC and Chair of the Firm's Government & Regulatory Affairs practice group.

Biography

Pam is a seasoned attorney with experience in both the private and public sectors. Before joining Griesing Law, she worked in-house at several consulting and financial services firms in the region. Most recently, Pam served as the Chief Operating Officer and General Counsel for MFR Consultants Inc., an information technology consulting firm where she was responsible for supervising and overseeing the daily management of the firm's operations, including establishing an enterprise-wide risk management program as well as reviewing and negotiating all contractual agreements in the organization. Prior to that, Pam held a similar role as Chief Operating Officer and Compliance Officer for StoneRidge Investment Partners, an asset management firm. In that role, she oversaw the firm's legal and compliance program including interpreting and applying the rules and regulations promulgated under the Investment Advisor Act of 1940. In addition, she built a wealth of experience advising clients on public policy, comparative governance structures and foreign investment laws and regulations while serving as a Principal at two other consulting firms.

Pam's experience extends to the public sector as well, when she was appointed to the position of Deputy Director of Aviation, Marketing & Governmental Affairs for the Philadelphia Airport System under Mayors Wilson Goode and Ed Rendell. As Deputy Director, she managed a staff of 100 and was responsible for the management and implementation of the airport's marketing initiatives and government and regulatory affairs.

Outside of the Firm, Pam has shared her business and legal expertise while serving as an Adjunct Professor at Temple University's Fox School of Management. She is a member of the Society of Corporate Compliance and Ethics Professionals, the National Association of Securities Professionals, and the National Society of Compliance Professionals, on which she serves on the Investment Adviser Committee. She also sits on the Board of Directors for the Center for Emerging Visual Artists (CFEVA) and previously served as the Vice-Chair of the Philadelphia International Airport Advisory Board. In addition, she has held roles on numerous civic organizations in the region, including the Atwater Kent Museum, the Balch Institute of Ethnic Studies, and the Center for Architecture + Design, among many others.

Pam earned her joint J.D. and M.B.A. from the University of Pennsylvania Law School and the Wharton School. She also received her A.B. from Princeton University where she graduated *cum laude*.

Education

- University of Pennsylvania Law School, J.D.
- The Wharton School, University of Pennsylvania, M.B.A.
- Princeton University, A.B., *cum laude*

Bar Admissions

- Pennsylvania
- U.S. District Court, Eastern District of Pennsylvania

Awards

- Minority Enterprise Advocate Magazine's 50 Influential Minorities in Business, 2004

Community Involvement

- National Society of Compliance Professionals
 - Investment Adviser Committee, 2017
- Center for Emerging Visual Artists (CFEVA)
 - Board of Directors, 2017
- Philadelphia International Airport Advisory Board
 - Board of Directors, Vice-Chair
- Atwater Kent Museum
 - Board of Directors
- Balch Institute of Ethnic Studies
 - Board of Directors
- Center for Architecture + Design
 - Board of Directors
- First Person Arts
 - Board of Directors
- Ensemble du Monde, New York
 - Board of Directors
- Princeton Club of New York
 - Finance Committee
- International House of Philadelphia
 - Board of Directors

Training and Publications

- Temple University Fox School of Business; Adjunct Professor 2004–2006
 - Taught full term course in *Legal Issues in the Tourism and Hospitality Industry*
- “*Airport Marketing and Branding*” – Guest Lecturer, Civil Aviation Administration of China, 1991