



## Karen Kao

### SENIOR COUNSEL

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### RELATED SERVICES

- Employment
- Professional Liability Defense
- White Collar Defense

### OFFICES

- Irvine

### OVERVIEW

Karen Kao maintains a diverse litigation practice in both state and federal court through trial and appellate levels. Her practice focuses primarily in the area of commercial litigation, including but not limited to, contract claims, common interest community law, and foreclosure litigation. In addition, she has also defended clients in the areas of legal and other professional agency malpractice claims.

Prior to joining GRSM, Karen was an associate at a local law firm, concentrating on insurance defense, common interest community law, and employment law. Karen was also a judicial extern to the Honorable David Barker and Susan Sturman of the Eighth Judicial District Court of Clark County, Nevada.

### CREDENTIALS

#### Admissions

- Nevada

**Education**

- J.D., Valparaiso University School of Law, 2012
- B.A., Criminology, Law, and Society, University of California, Irvine, 2009
  - Dean's List

**Languages**

- Mandarin
- Chinese (Mandarin)