

# **Stacey Chiu**

# Senior Associate

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# Profile

Stacey Chiu is a senior associate in M&R's Los Angeles office and a member of the firm's Labor & Employment Practice Group. In that capacity, she focuses on the representation of employers in singleand multi-plaintiff litigation involving discrimination, harassment, retaliation and wrongful termination claims in state and federal courts.

Further, Stacey handles a range of additional employment-related cases, with a particular expertise defending class actions alleging service charge, tipping and employee uniform (donning and doffing) issues. She also helps employers structure and implement compliant parental and other protected leave policies.

In terms of industry expertise, Stacey is frequently called upon to represent clients in the gaming, esports and technology spaces. This comes on the heels of her experience working for several tech startups when she practiced law in the Bay Area. While there and prior to joining M&R, Stacey wasalso associated with an AmLaw 20 law firm.

Healthcare is another of sector of interest to Stacey and she counsels behavioral healthcare providers on general labor and employment matters as well as other issues unique to the industry. This work deeply resonates with Stacey given her commitment to reducing communal inequalities—a commitment illustrated by the three years she spent living in Honduras working on sustainable development programs.

An exceptional writer, Stacey was the Senior Articles Editor of the *Hastings Law Journal* and a Teaching Assistant in the Moot Court and Legal Writing & Research Department while in law school.

#### **Associated Practices**

Labor & Employment

#### **Bar & Court Admissions**

- State Bar of California
- U.S. District Court for the Central and Northern Districts of California

#### **Industry Associations Industries**

- Asian Business Association of Los Angeles
- ACE NextGen

# **Professional Affiliations**

- National Asian Pacific American Bar Association
- Asian Pacific American Bar Association of Los Angeles County
- Southern California Chinese Lawyers Association
- Women Lawyers Association of Los Angeles

### Education

- University of California, Hastings College of Law, J.D.
- University of Southern California, B.A.

# **Award & Special Recognition**

• Rising Star, Super Lawyers Magazine (2024)

#### Newsroom

Media Mentions - 09/03/2024 2:50pm Are Gig Workers Truly Independent Contractors? Why This Issue Will Continue To Evolve

Media Mentions - 05/13/2024 11:13am What You Need to Know (and Do) About the EEOC's Harassment Guidance

Media Mentions - 05/06/2024 2:42pm The Power of AI

Media Mentions - 05/06/2024 2:27pm Employers Mull OT Rule Compliance Strategy Despite Legal Déjà Vu

Media Mentions - 04/01/2024 2:18pm Judge's Decision Not the End for NLRB's Joint Employer Efforts, Attorneys Say

Publications - 01/31/2024 3:04pm The Dual Nature of AI in HR: Opportunities, Challenges, and Legal Implications

Media Mentions - 09/12/2023 11:24am AI Firms Among Job Vendors Bracing for California Bias Lawsuits

Media Mentions - 05/04/2023 2:09pm Contract Delay Likely As Google Fights Joint Employer Status