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Top Skills

Legal Research
Legal Writing
Corporate Law

Kenisha Nicholson

Special Counsel- Office of Small Business Policy
Washington DC-Baltimore Area

Experience

U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission
Special Counsel- Office of Small Business Policy, Division of Corporation Finance
September 2021 - Present (2 years 2 months)
Washington, District of Columbia, United States

Wilson Sonsini Goodrich & Rosati
Senior Counsel
September 2018 - August 2021 (3 years)
Washington, District of Columbia, United States

My practice focuses on counseling private and public companies at all stages of growth on compliance with corporate and securities laws.

I am experienced in counseling clients on the Securities Act of 1933, Securities Exchange Act of 1934, and NYSE and Nasdaq rules, and representing clients in connection with general corporate matters, public and private mergers and acquisitions, and venture capital financings.

Accenture
Corporate Counsel
July 2016 - August 2018 (2 years 2 months)
Washington D.C. Metro Area

As a member of the legal group at Accenture PLC (NYSE: ACN), I advised on corporate governance best practices, NYSE and SEC compliance, proxy advisory firm policies and Accenture's disclosures related to its corporate governance practices. In addition, I assisted with corporate secretarial duties, including drafting meeting and committee minutes and resolutions, preparing and distributing meeting materials to the board of directors, director orientation materials, and other matters related to the board of directors. Finally, I served as the team's subject matter expert with respect to compliance with internal information security policies and information technology related matters.

Wilson Sonsini Goodrich & Rosati
Corporate Attorney
2010 - June 2016 (6 years)

Education

Stanford University

Master's Degree, Public Policy- Social Entrepreneurship · (2007 - 2009)

Stanford University Law School

Juris Doctor (J.D.) · (2005 - 2009)

Pomona College

Bachelor's Degree, Public Policy Analysis · (2001 - 2005)