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2023 CRAIN'S NEW YORK BUSINESS NOTABLE WOMEN IN LAW

IN THIS 2023 LIST OF NOTABLE WOMEN IN LAW, *Crain's* recognizes leading female attorneys in New York who are furthering justice and keeping the cogs of commerce spinning.

More than a third of America's lawyers today are women—but of course, it was not always that way. In the decades since Kate Stoneman (1841-1925) became New York's first female attorney in 1886, women have contributed immeasurably to the legal profession, excelling in their work but also leveraging the law to promote fairness and provide aid. *Crain's* sought to highlight lawyers of this genre: Women at the pinnacle of their profession whose impact radiates well beyond the clients they serve.

The 100 lawyers who grace this list work in a range of legal arenas, from labor and employment to real estate and intellectual property. You'll read about attorneys who have achieved precedent-setting victories in all areas of the law, representing prominent clients ranging from Verizon to Kenneth Cole, from the United Federation of Teachers to Jay-Z. You'll also meet people who volunteer their time helping immigrants applying for asylum, serving economically disadvantaged communities, and mentoring young female lawyers and people from underrepresented groups.

To qualify, candidates needed to serve in a senior-level role at a law firm in the New York City metro area and have at least a decade of experience. We also looked for individuals who have performed consequential legal or pro bono work, served as mentors, promoted inclusivity and assumed leadership roles in civic or philanthropic endeavors.

Read on to meet 100 female lawyers who rise to that high bar of excellence.



Harriet Newman Cohen

Partner, Cohen Stine Kapoor

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A partner at the law firm Cohen Stine Kapoor, Harriet Newman Cohen provides representation in contested trials and settlements as a negotiator and trial attorney. Cohen handles all aspects of matrimonial family law, including litigation. In 2022, she received an award from and was the

keynote speaker at the Wisconsin Association for Justice. Cohen serves on the board of directors for The Lotos Club, a cultural club in New York City founded by Mark Twain. She is also on the board of directors for the Stecher and Horowitz Foundation, a nonprofit that supports and inspires young musicians.

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