

# Hilary Lai

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## CALLED TO THE BAR OF ONTARIO, 2024

#### EDUCATION

- J.D.,University of Western Ontario, 2023
- M.Acc,University of Waterloo, 2020
- B.A.F.M,University of Waterloo, 2019

### PRACTICE AREAS

- Corporate & Commercial
- Corporate Finance & Securities
- Mergers & Acquisitions/Private Equity
- Tax

Hilary maintains a broad corporate law practice with an emphasis on mergers and acquisitions, securities, capital markets, and general corporate and commercial matters. She leverages her background in accounting, tax and business to provide tailored and practical counsel to clients of all sizes, from startups to large enterprises, across multiple industries.

Hilary guides both M&A transactions and corporate commercial matters in a pragmatic matter. Her expertise extends to negotiating and structuring agreements, including Share and Asset Purchases and Shareholders' Agreements, ensuring that the interests of all parties are thoroughly represented.

Hilary held several leadership positions while in law school and served as a research assistant focusing on Canadian cryptocurrency tax legislation. She was named to the Dean's Honor List for being among the top 10% of her class.

#### MEMBERSHIPS

- Ontario Bar Association
- Law Society of Ontario
- Federation of Asian Canadian Lawyers

