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## ELIZABETH LELAND

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### PRACTICE EMPHASIS

- Class Actions
- Consumer Protection
- Employee Benefits & Retirement Security
- Fiduciary Breach
- Financial Products & Services
- Institutional Investors
- Securities

### EDUCATION

#### University of Washington

B.A., 1989, Business Administration with double concentration in Finance and Business Economics

#### University of Puget Sound School of Law

J.D., *cum laude*, 1993

**Beth Leland pays attention to the details.** As a longtime member of the firm's Complex Litigation Group, Beth prides herself on crafting creative arguments to plead cases in her clients' best interests. She also strives to be on the forefront of technological innovation, managing electronic discovery in complex cases to increase accuracy and efficiency in order to maximize benefits to her clients, while minimizing client discovery burdens and costs. Beth has nearly twenty years of experience litigating complex cases arising from investment fraud at both the trial and appellate levels and has also gained experience in consumer protection, mass tort, and antitrust litigation. Notable cases include mortgage-backed securities litigation on behalf of the Federal Home Loan Banks of Boston, Chicago, and Indianapolis. She has also played a key role in numerous cases resulting in multi-million dollar settlements, including against Anicom Inc., Apple, Inc., Dynegey Inc., IKON Office Solutions, Merrill Lynch & Co., United Companies Financial Corp., and Xerox Corporation.

Beth has spoken at conferences and as a guest lecturer at the Seattle University School of Law.

Before joining Keller Rohrbach in 1998, Beth spent several years in general civil practice in the Seattle area. Outside of work, Beth can be found skiing, spending time with friends, or cheering on her favorite team at Husky Stadium.

### BAR & COURT ADMISSIONS

1993, Washington  
1994, U. S. District Court for the Western District of Washington  
1998, U.S. Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit  
2003, U.S. Court of Appeals for the Eleventh Circuit  
2003, U.S. Court of Appeals for the Fifth Circuit  
2005, U.S. Court of Appeals for the Seventh Circuit  
2009, U.S. District Court for the Eastern District of Michigan  
2010, U.S. Court of Appeals for the Fourth Circuit

### PROFESSIONAL & CIVIC INVOLVEMENT

King County Bar Association, *Member*

Washington State Bar Association, *Member*; Antitrust, Consumer Protection & Unfair Business Practices Section; Labor & Employment Section; and Litigation Sections

American Bar Association, *Member*; Antitrust and Litigation Section

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American Bar Association, *Member*; Antitrust and Litigation sections

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Washington State Bar Association, *Member*; Antitrust, Consumer Protection & Unfair

Business Practices, Labor & Employment, and Litigation sections American Bar Association, *Member*; Antitrust and Litigation sections

American Bar Association, *Member*; Antitrust and Litigation Section

Cancer Pathways (formerly Gilda's Club), *Volunteer*

King County Bar Association, *Member*

King County Washington Women Lawyers, *Member*

Seattle University School of Law Alumni Association, *Member*

Sedona Conference Working Groups 1 (Electronic Document Retention and Production) and 2 (Protective Orders, Confidentiality and Public Access), *Member*

University of Washington Alumni Association, *Member*

Washington State Association for Justice, *Member*

Washington State Bar Association, *Member*; Antitrust, Consumer Protection & Unfair Business Practices Section; Labor & Employment Section; and Litigation Sections

Washington Women Lawyers, *Member*

Women in eDiscovery, Seattle Chapter, *Member*

King County Bar Association Housing Justice Project, 1999-2003, *Volunteer Attorney*