# Clare C. Moran





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Clare Moran is an associate at Seeley, Savidge, Ebert & Gourash Co., LPA. Clare is a member of our Commercial Litigation group, Tort Defense and Product Liability group and our Criminal Defense group.

Clare is a skilled litigator with a background in complex civil litigation and white-collar criminal defense. Clare has a wide range of experience representing clients in state and federal courts. Clare has spent her career tirelessly representing her clients and helping them achieve favorable results.

Prior to joining SSEG, Clare was a member of one of Cleveland's most highly regarded white-collar criminal defense firms.

Clare has served as a judge for the Dunmore Moot Court Competition at Case Western Reserve University. She has served as a volunteer at the Pro Bono Legal Clinic at Cuyahoga County Court of Common Pleas. Clare has been a contributor to the Cleveland Metropolitan Bar Association Women in Law Bar Journal and was a Speaker at the Federal Bar Association Program: "Do I Need An(other) Attorney? Criminal Issues for Civil Lawyers". Clare also successfully completed the NACDL White Collar Criminal Defense College at Stetson University in St. Pete Beach, Florida.

Clare is a life-long Clevelander. She attended Beaumont School, John Carroll University and Cleveland-Marshall College of Law. Clare lives in Rocky River with her husband and two children. When she is not working, she enjoys coaching youth soccer and volunteering at St. Christopher School.

## **Practice Groups**

- Tort Defense, Product Liability & Complex Litigation
- Commercial and General Litigation
- <u>Criminal Defense</u>

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#### **Education** •

- B.S. Psychology, cum laude, John Carroll University
- J.D., Cleveland-Marshall College of Law

#### Admissions

- State of Ohio
- U.S. District Court, Northern District of Ohio

### Civic / Associations •

- Ohio State Bar Association
- Cleveland Metropolitan Bar Association
- Women's White-Collar Criminal Association
- West Shore Bar Association
- William K. Thomas American Inn of Court (2012-2015)

### Results •

- Successfully argued an appeal upholding the dismissal of all claims levied against her client in a civil public corruption case brought in state court.
- Obtained a dismissal of all claims of defamation, malicious prosecution and conversion brought against her client in a state court civil suit.
- Member of defense team who obtained a defense jury verdict for a corporate client accused of civil conspiracy and tortious interference with a contract.
- Member of defense team where she successfully argued for acquittal of obstruction of justice charges against their client in a federal extortion jury trial.
- Member of defense team who obtained a jury verdict acquitting their client of federal perjury charges.
- Member of defense team who obtained an acquittal for corporate client and its owner of state RICO, tax and money laundering criminal charges.
- Member of defense team who obtained a dismissal of all charges of mortgage fraud in a state criminal case.
- Member of defense team who obtained a dismissal of all charges in a state securities fraud criminal case.
- Member of defense team who obtained a jury verdict acquitting their client of murder charges in a state criminal case.
- Member of defense team where the jury returned a verdict rejecting the death penalty against their client in a federal criminal case.