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Related Services

Product Liability Litigation

Automotive Litigation

Education

University of Michigan Law School, J.D., 1981

Wayne State University, B.A., with *high distinction*, 1978

Judicial Clerkships

Honorable Patricia J. Boyle, U.S. District Court & Michigan Supreme Court

Court Admissions

United States District Court for the Eastern District of Michigan

Michigan State Courts

Elizabeth A. Zatina *Of Counsel*

Elizabeth A. Zatina brings over 30 years of legal experience to BSP. She focuses her practice on product liability and automotive litigation.

Professional Memberships & Activities

State Bar of Michigan, *Member*

Prior Experience

Liz gained extensive experience during her nearly 27 year career as in-house counsel at a major Detroit OEM. She focused on array of issues including; compliance with federal and state motor vehicle laws and regulations, U.S. Safety Act, and emerging automotive technologies.

Liz clerked for the Honorable Patricia J. Boyle at the U.S. District Court and Michigan Supreme Court. She also worked in the Prehearing Division of the Michigan Court of Appeals. Liz was also an Adjunct Professor at the University of Detroit Mercy teaching Legal Writing.

Liz is a graduate of Wayne State University, where she earned her B.A. in Spanish. She later continued her educational career to earn her J.D. from the University of Michigan Law School.

Pro Bono and Volunteer Activities

- Dominican Literacy Center, Detroit, *Adult Literacy Tutor*
- Freedom House, Detroit, *Language Partner*
- 2015-2016 Michigan Nonprofit Association Leadership with Purpose Program, *Participant*
- St. Leo's Soup Kitchen Detroit, *Member of Board of Directors and Volunteer*

Personal

She resides in Grosse Pointe Park with her husband and has 3 daughters. She enjoys photography, travel, and culinary arts. Liz speaks Spanish.

