



Anya Lernatovych

of counsel

Anya is a member of the firm's Corporate Department where her practice focuses on mergers and acquisitions, divestitures, private equity transactions, and complex corporate and business law-related matters.

She provides strategic counsel to clients through all stages of a transaction, no matter its complexity or size. Anya's practice concentrates on domestic and cross-border transactions where she drafts, reviews and negotiates a broad range of intricate commercial agreements for public and private companies. She also advises clients on day-to-day general corporate and contract matters, including risk management and compliance.

While in law school, Anya served as a judicial administrative clerk in the Allegheny County Criminal Courts of Common Pleas. She also served as the business manager of Vol. 52 of the Duquesne Law Review.

REPRESENTATIVE MATTERS

- Represented Dick's Sporting Goods, Inc. in (i) its acquisition of Moosejaw from Walmart Inc. and (ii) its sale of 12 "Field & Stream" retail stores in six different states to Sportsman's Warehouse, Inc.
- Represented SKF in multiple transactions, including (i) the sale of its Canfield Technologies business for approximately \$23 million; (ii) the sale of Kaydon Custom Filtration Corporation and Purafil, Inc. to Filtration Group Corporation, an affiliate of Chicago-based Madison Industries; (iii) the sale of Erin Engineering and Research Inc., to Jensen Hughes, Inc., for \$28 million; (iv) the sale of its global velocity controls business for \$339 million to Stabilus, a global German public company; (v) the sale of Reelcraft to an affiliate of Chicago-based Madison Industries, for \$115 million; and (vi) a strategic acquisition of Form Automation Solutions, Inc.
- Assisted the Pittsburgh Penguins in various day-to-day legal corporate matters, including closing the sale of the controlling interest in Lemieux Group to Fenway Sports Group.
- Represented Wind Point Partners, a leading Chicago-based private equity firm, in multiple acquisitions, including (i) its acquisition of Gehl Foods, Inc.; (ii) its simultaneous acquisitions of Pacifica Foods and Stir Foods, two leading custom manufacturers of soups,

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EDUCATION

Duquesne University School of Law, J.D., *cum laude*, 2014

Duquesne University, B.S., Business Administration, *summa cum laude*, 2009

Duquesne University, B.A., International Relations, *summa cum laude*, 2009

ICN Business School, B.B.A., *summa cum laude*, 2008

LANGUAGES

- Ukrainian, *fluent*
- Russian, *fluent*

SERVICES

Mergers & Acquisitions

- Due diligence

Securities

Sports

- Contract review and analysis

sauces, dressings, and fresh salsas for both retail and foodservice customers; (iii) add-on acquisition (and subsequent divestiture) of Sabra Dipping Company's salsa business; (iv) add-on acquisition of Celtrade Canada Inc.; and (v) add-on acquisition of certain assets of K World Cuisine, Inc.

- Advised Iconic Artists Group in its acquisition of legendary singer Linda Ronstadt's recorded music catalog.
- Advised on the sale of the outstanding equity of Sage Management, Inc., a provider of telecom software solutions, to an affiliate of private equity firm O2 Investment Partners, LLC.
- Advised SomaLogic, a global leader in proteomics technology, in its definitive business combination agreement with CM Life Sciences II (NASDAQ: CMIIU), a special purpose acquisition company (SPAC).
- Advised Infinite Assets, Inc., a leading metaverse infrastructure platform, in a de-SPAC with Aries I Acquisition Corporation (NASDAQ: RAM), that contemplated to result in InfiniteWorld becoming a publicly traded company listed on the Nasdaq.
- Represented a public manufacturing company in multiple acquisitions of other manufacturing companies.
- Represented Pursuit Healthcare Advisors in its sale to Atos (Euronext: ATO).
- Represented Stonewood Capital in its sale of PCN Network to First American Financial (NYSE: FAF).
- Represented PharmBlue in its sale to Kinderhook Industries.
- Represented WNS (Holdings) Limited (NYSE: WNS) in its \$95 million acquisition of HealthHelp, an industry leader in healthcare management services.
- Represented Neuroalign Technologies Inc. in its acquisition of NKI Technologies, LLC.
- Represented EPAM Systems, Inc. (NYSE: EPAM) on multiple acquisitions in the IT services industries, including the acquisitions of Competentum, ShareKnowledge, and Deltix, Inc., which have a significant presence in Belarus.
- Advised A3 Smart Home LP, an affiliate of the American Automobile Association of Northern California, Nevada, and Utah, on multiple acquisitions in the residential and small commercial alarm system industries.

BAR ADMISSIONS

- Pennsylvania
- U.S. District Court for the Western District of Pennsylvania

PRESENTATIONS

- "Mergers & Acquisitions in the Art and Entertainment Industry," Forum on Entertainment & Sports Industries 45th Annual Conference, Oct. 6, 2023

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- Pittsburgh Magazine, 40 Under 40
- Leadership Pittsburgh, Leadership Development Initiative Class XXV
- Pittsburgh Business Times, 30 Under 30
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