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NIEMA MOHAMMAD
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Niema's practice involves a broad range of civil litigation including intellectual property litigation. Prior to joining Lenczner Slaght, Niema served with distinction as a Judicial Law Clerk at the Superior Court of Justice and the Divisional Court, where she assisted Justices on a wide range of matters including judicial reviews, appeals, judicial mediations, and civil trials. Before that, Niema summered at a national firm, gaining experience in various areas including intellectual property litigation, employment disputes, professional liability, and other civil litigation matters.

Niema graduated from the University of Toronto Faculty of Law. Niema is an avid mooter and was awarded the Philip M. Epstein Award for Top Oralist at the 2023 Walsh Moot. While in law school, she served as an Associate Editor of the Indigenous Law Journal and volunteered at the Justice for Children and Youth Clinic, the Indigenous Rights Working Group at the David Asper Centre for Constitutional Rights, and the Downtown Legal Services clinic.

Prior to law school, Niema graduated with Honors from the Engineering Science program at the University of Toronto, where she also completed a Master's in Biomedical Engineering. She also spent a summer at Harvard-MIT Health Sciences and Technology, where she developed oxygen and pH sensors for organ-on-chip microfluidic systems. Prior to and during law school, Niema worked as an engineer at a start-up creating medical devices for pregnant women to reduce stillbirth and low birthweight in low-income countries. Her engineering background and technical skills give her a unique perspective when tackling legal problems.

Education
University of Toronto (2023) JD
University of Toronto (2020) MEng (Biomedical Engineering)
University of Toronto (2017) BASc (Engineering Science)

Bar Admissions
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Practice Areas
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SELECT PUBLICATIONS AND PRESENTATIONS

❯ **Life as a Litigator –** Sarah Gupta and Niema Mohammad were invited to share their experiences at *Life as a Litigator*, hosted by the University of Ottawa's South Asian Law Students' Association. Sarah and Niema discussed their career journeys, courtroom experiences, and offered valuable advice to law students.

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- **Is Anyone Listening? A Judicial Perspective on Children's Views and Preferences –** Niema Mohammad co-authored an article with Justice Andrea Himel on a judicial perspective on children's views and preferences, which was published in Canadian Family Law Quarterly. *(Prior to joining Lenczner Slaght)*

- **Synthetic Biology Approaches in Immunology –** Niema Mohammad co-authored an article on synthetic biology, published in the Biochemistry. *(Prior to joining Lenczner Slaght)*

- **Diels-Alder Click-Crosslinked Hydrogels with Increased Reactivity Enable 3D Cell Encapsulation –** Published in Biomacromolecules, Niema Mohammad co-authored the article *Diels-Alder Click-Crosslinked Hydrogels with Increased Reactivity Enable 3D Cell Encapsulation*. *(Prior to joining Lenczner Slaght)*

- **A Microfluidic Optical Platform for Real-time Monitoring of Ph and Oxygen in Microfluidic Bioreactors and Organ-on-chip Devices –** Published in Biomicrofluidics, Niema Mohammad co-authored an article which reports on the development of a multi-analyte optical sensing module for dynamic measurements of pH and dissolved oxygen levels in the culture medium. *(Prior to joining Lenczner Slaght)*

SELECT NEWS ARTICLES

- **Lenczner Slaght Welcomes 10 New Associates –** Canada's leading litigation firm continues to strengthen its talent pool with the addition of 10 exceptional associates.

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

- The Advocates' Society
- Canadian Bar Association
- Ontario Bar Association
- Canadian Muslim Lawyers Association
- South Asian Bar Association
- Toronto Lawyers Association
- Group of Racialized (Ontario) Women Litigators (GROWL)

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