

## Rachel N. Byrnes

### Associate

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#### education

Cleveland-Marshall College of Law  
(J.D.), *summa cum laude*, 2018;  
*Cleveland State Law Review*,  
Executive Editor, Managing Editor;  
Moot Court Team; Academic  
Excellence Fellow

John Carroll University (B.S.),  
*magna cum laude*, 2015; Pi Sigma  
Alpha Political Science Honor  
Society; Psi Chi Psychology Honor  
Society; Student-Athlete Advisory  
Committee

Rachel joined Tucker Ellis as a summer associate in 2016, working on product liability and commercial litigation matters.

While in law school, Rachel was a judicial extern for the Honorable Donald C. Nugent at the United States District Court for the Northern District of Ohio. She was also a member of the team that placed first in the August A. Rendigs National Product Liability Moot Court Competition in 2017, defeating 13 teams from across the country.

As an undergraduate, Rachel played varsity softball for John Carroll University. A northeast Ohio native, she now lives in downtown Cleveland. In her spare time, she enjoys running, kickboxing, playing volleyball and softball, watching the Cleveland Indians and Cavaliers (although she *is* a Pittsburgh Steelers fan), and trying out Cleveland's newest restaurants.

#### state admissions

- Ohio (2018)

#### in the community

#### CIVIC & PROFESSIONAL INVOLVEMENT

- Cleveland Metropolitan Bar Association
  - 3Rs Program
  - Young Lawyers Section