



2023 Diversity for Success Seminar

June 13–16, 2023 | Sheraton Le Méridien Charlotte | Charlotte, NC

Diversity Expo Law Firm Interview Application

FIRM INFORMATION

Firm Name: Wong Fleming

Address: 821 Alexander Road Suite 200

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Please mark if your firm is:

Minority Owned

Woman Owned

Describe your firm's level of commitment to diversity.

Wong Fleming is a law firm rich in diversity. The firm has been a minority- and woman-owned law firm committed to diversity in the legal profession since its founding 29 years ago in 1994. The firm's commitment to diversity is pervasive and is reflected in the firm's ownership, associate ranks, and support staff. Many of our offices are managed by minority Partners who are members of diverse cultures. Many of the associates are either minorities and/or women. The firm is supportive of its diverse staff of paralegals and legal support staff. Simply hiring minorities is not enough to solve the underlying structural issues that inhibit minorities from attaining equal workplace opportunities and ascending the ranks of a firm. Wong Fleming has committed itself to cultivating an environment where diverse attorneys are assigned significant work commensurate with their experience and qualifications. The firm celebrates the diversity of its employees because we feel it makes us more responsive and better able to meet the needs of our clients. Wong Fleming also recognizes it is part of a diverse community that is made richer through the many cultures and ethnicities that have made the United States their home. Wong Fleming's commitment to diversity is an integral part of every facet of our firm including our recruitment, hiring and training efforts as well as the organizations we belong to and programs we sponsor. We believe that the interests of our clients are best served by a diverse group of attorneys, with strong advocacy, who maintain high standards of professional conduct. Our firm's CEO, Linda Wong, is both a woman and minority and many of our offices are managed by minority Partners. Several of our minority and women attorneys were promoted this past year to partner and management positions. Some of these minority attorneys have been with the firm for more than a decade. We also aim to design attorney case and trial teams that reflect gender and racial diversity, and continually reevaluate the policies of our law firm to ensure commitment to diversity in the workplace. Wong Fleming attorneys vigorously pursue their clients' interests with civility to the bench and fellow members of the Bar.

OTHER FIRM LOCATIONS

420 Walnut Avenue

125 South Wacker Drive

1500 John F Kennedy Blvd, Two Pen

1200 G Street, NW

118 N. Delaware

77 Sugar Creek Center Blvd

2675 Paces Ferry Rd.

1 Rockefeller Plaza

9840 Willows Road NE

FIRM'S AREA OF EXPERTISE/PRACTICE

Mark all that apply.

Commercial Litigation

Employment Law

Insurance Law

Product Liability

Construction Law

Environmental Law
and Toxic Torts

Intellectual Property

Professional Liability

Drug and Medical Device

Health Care

Premises Liability

Transportation
Litigation

Other: The firm is nationally recognized for its practice in the areas of Creditors' Rights and Bankruptcy,

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Corporate Asset Recovery, Commercial Litigation, Trial, Insurance Defense and Coverage, and more.

REPRESENTATIVE CLIENTS

Keybank

Honda

Ford

Allstate

Bank of America

Harley-Davidson

Prudential

Sandoz

ATTORNEYS

Maximum of three (3) attorneys per firm may interview

Attorney #1

Name: Dafney Dubuisson Stokes, Partner

Email: dstokes@wongfleming.com

Curriculum Vitae (100 Words or Less)

Dafney Dubuisson Stokes is a Partner of Wong Fleming. Ms. Stokes concentrates her practice in creditors' rights, bankruptcy and automotive finance. She has led creditors' rights teams on a national level for clients who have experienced their highest recovery rates. She has also successfully defended many automotive finance companies in connection with complex Fair Credit Reporting Act, Truth in Lending and bankruptcy litigation. Prior to a career in litigation, Ms. Stokes worked for almost a decade in the social service sector advocating for youth in specialized foster care placement and instructed classes on critical life skills geared towards inner city young adults that would empower them to gain independence and move forward in life. With a desire to develop a strong relationship with every client and consistently steer them in the most productive direction, Ms. Stokes consistently goes above and beyond to help the client arrive at a beneficial and satisfactory solution.

Attorney #2

Name: Florelee Lyles, Partner

Email: flyles@wongfleming.com

Curriculum Vitae (100 Words or Less)

Florelee Lyles is a Partner of Wong Fleming. Ms. Lyles concentrates her practice in commercial litigation, insurance coverage and defense, products liability, premises liability, creditors' rights and employment and labor law. She has served on trial teams that successfully defended insurance companies in insurance coverage cases and that also successfully defended many products liability cases at trial. She currently serves on the New Jersey Supreme Court Committee on Jury Selection in Civil and Criminal Trials. Ms. Lyles also is a past president of the Asian Pacific American Lawyers Association of New Jersey. She has an AV® Preeminent™ Peer Review Rating from Martindale-Hubbell and was recognized as a Top-Rated Lawyer for ethical standards and legal ability in Litigation in 2015. She is also one of 100 attorneys honored in the Lawyers of Color Inaugural Eastern Region 2013 Hot List.

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Attorney #3

Name: _____

Email _____

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