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**BIOGRAPHY**

Ms. Nair has represented clients in the healthcare, life sciences, and banking industries in state and federal court, and has assisted clients with handling delicate compliance issues and internal investigations. She is experienced in complex commercial disputes, internal investigations, whistleblower issues, complicated eDiscovery collection and production issues, and governmental investigations. Ms. Nair is a member of the firm's employment and food and beverage practices.

Prior to joining TroyGould, Ms. Nair was an associate at the Los Angeles office of Foley & Lardner from 2012 to 2016.

**REPRESENTATIVE MATTERS**

- Hospital Investigation: Represented public hospital client in false claims investigation through process of responding to HHS subpoena and investigation.
- SEC Investigation: Represented client in mortgage-backed securities industry through process of responding to SEC subpoena and investigation.
- Antitrust Litigation: Represented client in complex litigation involving antitrust, breach of contract, and patent claims. Experience drafting successful Daubert motions.
- Commercial Litigation: Represented client in litigation involving contract and patent issues related to T-cell immunotherapy technology.
- Internal Investigations: Represented pharmaceutical company in internal investigations with complicated whistleblower issues relating to compliance of corporate practice with federal regulations.

**PUBLICATIONS**

Understanding the New Framework for Whistleblower Retaliation in California, California Lawyer, November 7, 2017, <http://www.callawyer.com/2017/11/understanding-new-framework-whistleblower-retaliation-california/>

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Foie gras ban in limbo, Los Angeles Daily Journal, September 20, 2017

China's new counter-terrorism law will affect US businesses, Los Angeles Daily Journal, February 24, 2016

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Cybersecurity or protectionism?, Los Angeles Daily Journal, February 6, 2015

Multinational businesses in China face new obstacles, Los Angeles Daily Journal, October 22, 2014

Dealing in the Dark, China Business Review, March 6, 2014 (<http://www.chinabusinessreview.com/dealing-in-the-dark/>)

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Insights from Professor Warren: Analyzing Elizabeth Warren's Academic Career, BNA- Bankruptcy Law Reporter, March 14, 2013

Co-Author, Five Cases Made for a Momentous Year in Predictive Coding, The National Law Journal, January 28, 2013

Litigating against the Forced Sterilization of HIV-Positive Women, Harvard Human Rights Journal, October 2010 (<http://harvardhrj.com/wp-content/uploads/2010/10/223-232.pdf>)

### **SPEAKING ENGAGEMENTS**

Panelist, 2017 SoCal eDiscovery and Information Governance Retreat, Bridging The Gap Between Inside And Outside Counsel: Next Generation Strategies For Collaborating On Complex Litigation Matters, October 2017

Panelist, Seattle GeekGirlCon, History Has Its Eyes on Hamilton: The Musical, The History, and the Impact, October 2016

"Murder in Manhattan!: Alexander Hamilton, Aaron Burr, and America's first recorded murder trial," Nerd Nite Los Angeles, August 2016

"Colleagues, Friends, and Frenemies: the New York Bar (1782-1804)," National Archives at New York City, July 2016

"Hamilton, Burr, and the Trial of Levi Weeks," Hamilton Grange National Memorial, January 2016

"A Bar Fight that Changed America: Alexander Hamilton, the Trespass Act, and the Case of *Rutgers v. Waddington*," Museum of American Finance, January 2015

"Alexander Hamilton and the Evolution of Free Speech in the Early Republic: from *Zenger* to *Crowell*," Federal Hall National Memorial, January 2011

### **BACKGROUND**

#### **Affiliations & Activities**

Ms. Nair runs the blog [www.itshamiltime.com](http://www.itshamiltime.com) and is the California Chapter President of the Alexander Hamilton Awareness Society. She is a member of the Young Professionals Board of the Los Angeles Music and Art School, and has served on the board of the Harvard Law School Women's Association.

#### **Honors**

Ms. Nair was named a Rising Star in 2017 by Southern California Super Lawyers, a Thomson Reuters business.

#### **Education**

University of California, San Diego (B.A., magna cum laude, 2008)

Harvard Law School (J.D., 2011), Harvard Human Rights Journal; Managing Technical Editor; South Asian Law Students Association, Executive Board Member; Harvard International Law Journal, Symposium Chair