



## Diane Wozniak

Partner

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**A trusted, empathic advisor to high net worth individuals, Diane negotiates complex pre-marital agreements and guides clients through the legal and emotional upheaval of divorce.**

### PRACTICES

Private Client  
Trust and Estate Litigation

### EDUCATION

University of Houston Law Center, J.D.,  
2006

*Houston Journal of Health Law and  
Policy*, Member

University of Oklahoma, B.B.A., 1999  
*magna cum laude*

Management Information Systems

### BAR ADMISSIONS

Colorado

### COURT ADMISSIONS

U.S. District Court for the District of  
Colorado

Diane works with individuals, families, and family offices on a range of pre-marital agreements designed to protect generational wealth. She is an active listener, skilled at facilitating conversations about sensitive and difficult issues. She draws on her business acumen to negotiate arrangements involving complex financial matters including business assets, trusts, and significant separate property. Clients appreciate her consummate negotiation skills and ability to develop imaginative solutions that resolve differences while preserving relationship trust.

When clients face the emotionally painful experience of ending a marriage, Diane's goal is to create a legal and financial framework to set them on the best possible future path. Through strategic negotiation—including mediation—she achieves creative, practical solutions that holistically address her clients needs and avoid the increased stress, cost, and inflexibility of court litigation.

Diane also counsels individuals, families, beneficiaries, and corporate fiduciaries on complex trust and estate disputes, prioritizing negotiated resolutions. She is a tenacious courtroom advocate when disputes are intractable, or require court intervention.

Before joining Holland & Hart, Diane was a member at Sherman & Howard.

### EXPERIENCE

#### Pre-Marriage Arrangements

- Pre-marital agreements
- Cohabitation agreements
- Same-sex marriage
- Common law marriage

#### Marriage Dissolution

- Dissolution of marriage
- Legal separation

#### Parental Rights

- Allocation of parental responsibility
- Child custody
- Paternity
- Guardianship
- Child abuse and protection hearings

### Litigation

- Trust and estate disputes
- Temporary and permanent orders
- Protection orders
- Post-decree modifications

### SPEAKING ENGAGEMENTS

"Strategies to Creatively Utilize Neutrals, Such as Coaches and CDFAs, to Improve the Client Experience, Increase Efficiencies, Reduce Conflict, and Keep Families Out of Court," *CBA Family Law Institute*, August 8, 2024

"How to Thrive," *Colorado Women's Bar Association 47th Annual Convention*, May 18, 2024

"The Annual Advanced Family Law Conference, Kayden's Law & Julie's Law," *The American Academy of Matrimonial Lawyers*, December 1, 2023

"The New Era of Marital Agreements and Cohabitation Agreements," *CBA Family Law Section*, November 17, 2023

### RECOGNITION

- Colorado Super Lawyers®, Family Law, 2025
- *National Academy of Family Law Attorneys*, Top 10 Under 40 Family Law Attorney, 2016
- *Douglas / Elbert County Bar Association*, Best Young Lawyer, 2012

### PROFESSIONAL AND CIVIC AFFILIATIONS

- Colorado Bar Association
  - Family Law Section DEI Committee Co-Chair, 2019-present
  - Family Law Section Chair, 2022-2023
  - Family Law Institute Chair, 2022
  - Family Law Section Secretary, 2020-2021
  - Family Law Section Treasurer, 2019-2020
- Colorado Women's Bar Association, Board Member, 2014-2018
- Denver Country Bar Association, Member
- Arapahoe County Bar Association, Member
- Arapahoe County District Court, Domestic Relations Best Practices, Member, 2019-present

- Family Law Practicum, University of Denver, Former Law Student Coach
- Runners Roost Race Team