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Maia advises multinational corporate clients in the areas of FCPA and regulatory compliance, complex civil litigation, product safety, and data strategy and security.

- Litigation, Arbitration and Investigations

She has represented clients in a wide range of high-stakes lawsuits, including breach of contract, business torts and insurance coverage disputes. She also has represented healthcare and pharmaceutical clients in government investigations and internal compliance matters.

REPRESENTATIVE MATTERS

- Represented two former executives of multinational corporation in multidistrict litigation, defeating on summary judgment claims asserted under the Torture Victim Protection Act.
- Represented multinational corporations in FCPA and compliance investigations and internal reviews in markets in the U.S., Europe and Asia
- Advised multinational automobile manufacturer on regulatory and compliance risks associated with data storage in the U.S. and in Europe
- Served as lead national counsel to chemical manufacturer in multimillion dollar class action and other complex multi-party litigation involving product liability and mass tort claims in the United States and Canada
- Obtained dismissal of class action complaint against national real estate developer brought by home owners who alleged failure to disclose that properties were subject to special assessments
- Managed global litigation of international domain name registrar, including supervising the work of local counsel in Asia, Latin America, and Europe
- Defended healthcare companies in member-initiated benefit coverage disputes
- Represented identity theft protection company in commercial disputes and in regulatory proceedings initiated by the Federal Trade Commission
- Represented global pharmaceutical company in DOJ investigation alleging violations of the False Claims Act and the Anti-Kickback Statute

CREDENTIALS

Admissions

- Florida
- Massachusetts
- New York

Prior Experience

Before joining DLA Piper, Maia clerked for the Honorable Bruce W. Kauffman of the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Pennsylvania.

Education

- J.D., Columbia University School of Law 2004
- B.A., Political Science, Barnard College 2000

PRO BONO

Maia is heavily involved in DLA Piper's pro bono practice.