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# Fawzeih H. Daher

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Fawzeih H. Daher represents a wide range of corporate clients in connection with resolving complex commercial and general business disputes. Specializing in appeals, Fawzeih has briefed, argued, and won high-stakes disputes in the Michigan Court of Appeals, Michigan Supreme Court, and Sixth Circuit Court of Appeals.

She has successfully represented clients in matters involving complex statutory interpretation and questions of first impression. Her practice areas include contractual disputes, tort, real property, shareholder disputes, construction, and general liability.

Fawzeih works closely with trial counsel on strategic issues such as identifying and framing key issues on appeal, preserving the trial court record, and developing a compelling litigation strategy. She regularly submits amicus curiae briefs in Michigan's appellate courts on behalf of industry and professional organizations whose interests will be affected by cases involving significant legal and policy issues.

#### practices & industries

Litigation and Alternative Dispute Resolution Appellate Law

### languages

**Arabic** 

#### education

Wayne State University Law School, J.D. Wayne State University, B.A., *magna cum laude* 

#### admissions

Michigan

Fawzeih also maintains a strong trial litigation practice, including drafting pleadings, discovery, motion practice, and trial preparation. Her diverse litigation practice helps clients navigate their most difficult issues at each level of the court system.

Fawzeih is deeply involved in the legal and business community. Since 2020, she has served on the Executive Council of the State Bar of Michigan Young Lawyers Section. She also serves on the Executive Council of the State Bar of Michigan Appellate Practice Section. On the Appellate Practice Section, Fawzeih is Chair of the Rules and Legislation Committee, overseeing the Section's comments on proposed court rule and legislative changes that may affect appellate practice.

As a student at Wayne State University Law School, Fawzeih earned several moot court awards and competed nationally. She was a regional and national finalist in the New York City Bar/American College of Trial Lawyers National Moot Court Competition. She also won the Outstanding Brief Award in the Duberstein Bankruptcy Moot Court Competition. She earned the Silver Key Award and the Warrior Pro Bono Award for providing volunteer services as a student attorney. She also served as Secretary of the Women's Law Caucus.

Fawzeih is admitted to practice before the U.S. District Courts for the Eastern and Western Districts of Michigan and before the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Sixth Circuit.

She is fluent in Arabic.

# HONORS, AWARDS, AND RECOGNITION

- The Best Lawyers: Ones to Watch in America, 2024-2026,
  Appellate Practice, Commercial Litigation
- Michigan Rising Stars 2022-2025, Business Litigation

#### court admissions

U.S. Ct. of Appeals, 6th Cir. U.S. District Ct., E.D. Mich. U.S. District Ct., W.D. Mich.



## PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

- State Bar of Michigan
  - Young Lawyers Section, Executive Council (2020-2025)
  - Appellate Practice Section, Executive Council (2022-2025)
    - Rules and Legislation Committee, Chair
- Eastern District of Michigan Bar Association
- National Arab American Bar Association
- American Bar Association
  - Young Lawyers Division
- ICLE New Lawyers Advisory Board
- Detroit Bar Association

#### SPEAKING ENGAGEMENTS

- Moderator, "Reply Briefs: The Last Word," Michigan Appellate Bench Bar Conference, (May 2022)
- Panelist, "Appellate Practice Post Pandemic: Surviving the New Normal," State Bar of Michigan Appellate Practice Section Annual Meeting (September 2021)