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PRACTICE FOCUS

Products Liability
Tobacco & Vapor
Consumer Products Liability
Litigation
Litigation

EDUCATION

University of South Florida,
B.S., 2008
Stetson University College of
Law, J.D., 2016, *cum laude*

- Law Review
 - Editor-in-Chief, 2015-2016
 - Research Editor, 2014-2015
 - Outstanding Associate Award
 - Outstanding Editor Award
 - Leadership Award
- Trial Team: Unequaled Brilliance Award
- National Association of Women Lawyers Outstanding Law Student Award

"Allison is a sophisticated legal strategist and a creative thinker who understands her clients and their business needs." Client quote, Chambers USA

Alli devotes her practice to working with product manufacturers and retailers to ensure they are protected against claims for personal injury, wrongful death, false or unfair marketing, and trade libel. She has successfully defended a diverse array of claims in state and federal courts, including in the cosmetics, medical device, tobacco, and home product litigation arenas.

Her academic research is devoted to issues involving pay equality and workplace diversity. She chairs the National Association of Women Lawyers Advocacy Committee, is a member of the board of directors of the Hillsborough Association for Women Lawyers, and has published and contributed to works centered on reducing the disparity in pay and mentorship among genders and ethnicities in a wide array of professions.

Outside of the office, Alli enjoys spending time with her family, CrossFit, traveling, and following collegiate football.

HONORS

- *The Best Lawyers in America*[®]: Ones to Watch (2022-2026)
- Chambers USA: Associates to Watch, Litigation: Product Liability (2024-2025)

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- Victor O. Wehle Award for Excellence in Trial Advocacy
- College of Law Honors Colloquium
- Research Assistant

BAR ADMISSIONS

The Florida Bar

COURT ADMISSIONS

Middle District of Florida

Northern District of Florida

Southern District of Florida

- Florida Super Lawyers Rising Star (2022-2025)
- National Association of Women Lawyers: Virginia S. Mueller Outstanding Member Award (2023)

COMMUNITY & PROFESSIONAL

- The Florida Bar
 - Constitutional Judiciary Committee (2024-2027)
 - William Reece Smith, Jr. Leadership Academy: Fellow
- National Association of Women Lawyers: Co-Chair, Advocacy Committee
- Hillsborough Association for Women Lawyers: Member, Board of Directors
- American Bar Association
- Federal Bar Association
- Hillsborough County Bar Association
- Defense Research Institute
- Florida Association of Women Lawyers

NEWS & INSIGHTS

Fifty-Eight Hill Ward Henderson Attorneys Named to 2025 Florida Super Lawyers List
Firm News, 6.26.25

Hill Ward Henderson Attorneys and Practices Receive 2025 Chambers Recognition
Firm News, 6.5.25

Hill Ward Henderson Elects Three New Shareholders
Firm News, 1.13.25

Eighty-Three Hill Ward Henderson Attorneys Cited in The Best Lawyers in America 2025 Publication
Firm News, 8.15.24

Allison Stevenson Appointed To The Florida Bar Constitutional Judiciary Committee
Firm News, 7.8.24

Fifty-Seven Hill Ward Henderson Attorneys Recognized in 2024 Florida Super Lawyers Listing
Firm News, 6.24.24

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Hill Ward Henderson Attorneys and Practices Receive 2024 Chambers Recognition
Firm News, 6.6.24

Eighty-Three Hill Ward Henderson Attorneys Cited in The Best Lawyers in America 2024 Publication
Firm News, 8.17.23

Allison Stevenson Receives NAWL Outstanding Member Award
Firm News, 7.25.23

Sixty-one Hill Ward Henderson Attorneys Recognized in 2023 Florida Super Lawyers Listing
Firm News, 6.27.23

Allison Stevenson Selected for The Florida Bar Association's William Reece Smith, Jr. Leadership Academy
Firm News, 5.11.23

Eighty-One Hill Ward Henderson Attorneys Cited in The Best Lawyers in America 2023 Publication
Firm News, 8.18.22

61 Hill Ward Henderson Attorneys Recognized in 2022 Florida Super Lawyers Listing
Firm News, 7.1.22

Allison Stevenson Appointed Co-Chair of the NAWL Advocacy Committee
Firm News, 9.16.21

Seventy Six Hill Ward Henderson Attorneys Cited in The Best Lawyers in America 2022 Publication
Firm News, 8.19.21

Allison M. Stevenson Appointed Co-Chair Of The FAWL Legislative And Lobby Days Committee
Firm News, 8.9.18

Allison M. Stevenson Joins Hill Ward Henderson
Firm News, 2.27.17

ARTICLES & PUBLICATIONS

- "FDA's Proposed Formaldehyde Ban Remains Unpublished as Industry Awaits Clarity", *Cosmetics Design USA*, Feb. 19, 2025.
- "FDA's Plan to Propose Ban on Formaldehyde in Hair-Straightening Products Remains in Limbo under Trump Administration", *CNN Health*, Feb. 11, 2025.

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- Stevenson, A., et al., "The Power of Advocacy: A Lasting Legacy", *The Women Lawyer's Journal* 2024 Vol. 104, No. 1 & 2.
- "FDA's Delayed Action on Formaldehyde Ban in Hair Relaxers Sparks Industry Uncertainty," *CosmeticsDesign*, Sept. 11, 2024
- "Understanding MoCRA with Rachel Raphael", NAWL Podcast, Jan. 22, 2024
- "New Federal Regulations on Cosmetics Industry Will Impact Fla.-Based Businesses," *Daily Business Review*, Dec. 7, 2023
- Stevenson, A., et al., "NAWL Pay Equity Connection: Sources of the 'Pay Gap,'" *The Women Lawyer's Journal* 2019 Vol. 104, No. 1 & 2.
- Pick Your Prejudice: The Pace Factors' Effect on a Plaintiff's Potential Claim Dismissal By Allison M. Stevenson and Trae S. Weingardt
- NAWL Pay Equity Connection: Sources of the "Pay Gap", Kimberly Gdula, Gigi Rollini, Allison Stevenson, and Elyse Velagic

NOTEWORTHY

Chambers USA ranks the leading lawyers and law firms across the USA. Legal rankings are based on in-depth market analysis and independent research, conducted by an experienced team of researchers. Individual lawyers are ranked in their practice area(s) based on legal knowledge and experience, ability, effectiveness and client service.

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"Allison is highly responsive and attentive to client service." Client quote, *Chambers USA 2025*

"She is very diligent and is always on top of matters." Client quote, *Chambers USA 2024*

"Allison is a very talented associate." Client quote, *Chambers USA 2024*