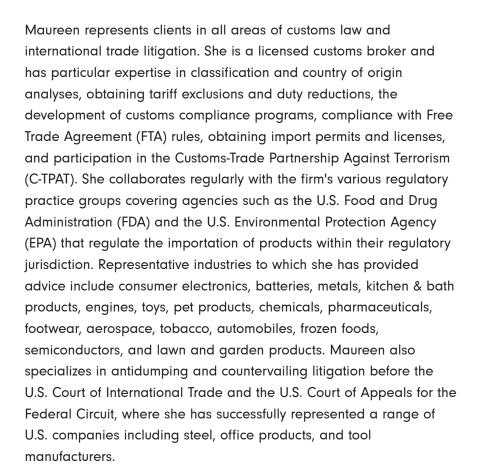
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Clients have described Maureen as "extremely knowledgeable about tariffs" and say that she "guides us through the process seamlessly" (Chambers USA 2021) while giving "practical and responsive" advice (The Legal 500 US 2016).

Representative Matters



Practice Areas

Customs Law and Compliance International Trade **National Security** Strategic Competition & Supply Chain

Credentials



Education

J.D., cum laude, Georgetown University Law Center

B.A., with distinction, University of Virginia; Phi Beta Kappa

Law Journals

Member, Law and Policy in International **Business**

Clerkships

Law Clerk for The Honorable Donald C. Poque, U.S. Court of International Trade (2003-2005)

Bar and Court Memberships

District of Columbia Bar

U.S. Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit

U.S. Court of International Trade

Certifications

Licensed U.S. Customs Broker

Languages

Spanish

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- Prepared successful customs compliance programs, prior disclosures, and protests for clients with a multinational manufacturing base.
- Obtained favorable rulings for clients in proceedings before U.S. Customs and Border Protection (CBP) regarding classification, origin, and applicability of special duties, and in antidumping/countervailing duty investigations, administrative reviews, and sunset reviews before the U.S. Department of Commerce (DOC) and the U.S. International Trade Commission (USITC).
- Obtained exclusions from Section 301 tariffs on consumer electronics, specialty textiles, sporting goods, and hardware products.
- Evaluated import transactions for FTA duty-free status, including preparation of successful responses to North American Free Trade Agreement (NAFTA) and U.S.-Korea FTA verification requests for U.S. metals, foods, and chemical producers, and obtaining NAFTA country customs rulings.
- Assisted firms across industries including chemicals, pesticides, pharmaceuticals, metals, and textiles in
 assessing country of origin labeling requirements and compliance for import and export sales, as well
 as determining eligibility for "Made in USA" claims under both federal and state law.
- Assisted companies in an array of industries, including foods, consumer electronics, metals, tools, and
 office products with CBP focused assessments and in obtaining ruling letters and statistical tariff
 breakouts.
- Represented companies before CBP in Enforce and Protect Act (EAPA) proceedings regarding antidumping and countervailing duty investigations.
- Assisted companies in industries as diverse as pesticides, pharmaceuticals, pet products, automobiles, and oil and gas surveying with obtaining import permits and complying with import regulations administered by agencies such as the USDA, the FDA, the U.S. National Highway Transportation & Safety Administration (NHTSA), the Federal Trade Commission (FTC), the U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service (FWS), and the EPA.
- Represented clients in trade litigation before the U.S. Court of International Trade and the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit, including challenges to tariff rates.

Professional Experience

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- Research Assistant, Harrison Institute for Public Law (2001-2003)
- Legal Clerk, U.S. Federal Trade Commission (2002)
- Legal Clerk, Electronic Privacy Information Center (2001)

Affiliations

• U.S. Court of International Trade, Advisory Committee (2012-Present)

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- · American Bar Association (ABA), Section of International Law
 - Co-Chair, International Trade Committee (2015-2017)
 - Customs Law Committee

Recognitions

- Listed by *Chambers USA* as one of "America's Leading Lawyers for Business" in International Trade: Customs, Export Controls, and Economic Sanctions (2021-2025)
- Recognized by Law360 as a "Rising Star" in International Trade (2015)
- Named one of DC's "Super Lawyers" (2019-2020, 2022-2023) and "Rising Stars" (2014-2018) for International by Super Lawyers magazine
- Recognized by The Legal 500 US as a "Recommended Lawyer" in International Trade (2015-2017, 2021-2025)

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