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## Macdonald R. I. Allen



### **Associate**

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Macdonald Allen practises in a range of commercial and civil litigation matters.

'Mac' is an associate in the firm's litigation group and has a general civil and commercial litigation practice with a focus on contract and shareholder disputes, sports law, and privacy issues. Mac also has experience litigating in the following areas: intellectual property law, employment law, directors and officers liability, and real property disputes including commercial leasing.

Mac summered in 2011 and articled with the firm before joining as an associate in 2013.

Outside of the law, Mac was a professional lacrosse player for 8 seasons in the National Lacrosse League ("NLL") and was a member of the executive committee that negotiated the NLL's collective bargaining agreement in place from 2013-2020.

Mac won an NLL Championship in 2014, has won three Canadian National Championships (the "Mann Cup") and represented Canada at the 2010 World Field Lacrosse Championships.

### **Publications**

Authored, "Sports and Safety inside and outside the stadium legal challenges (Canada)" for the Sports Law Subcommission of the International Association of Young Lawyers Congress in Prague, 2014.

Co-Authored, "Football – Funding and Re-Structuring in Today's Markets" for the Sports Law Commission of the International Association of Young Lawyers Congress in Buenos Aires, 2013.

### Awards & Recognition

2014 AIJA Past Presidents' Award for Best National Report

### **Affiliations**

Law Society of Upper Canada Ontario Bar Association Canadian Bar Association The Advocates' Society Professional Lacrosse Players Association

### **Practice Areas**

Commercial Litigation

Civil Litigation

Sports Law

### Called to the Bar

Ontario (2013)

### Education

University of Windsor J.D. 2012

Bishop's University B.B.A. 2007