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Areas of Expertise

Pension Fund Investments

Pensions and Benefits Litigation

Insolvency and Restructuring

Executive Compensation

Pensions and Benefits

Andrea is Chair of Osler’s Pensions and Benefits group. Her practice specializes in all areas of pensions and benefits, with a focus on pension administration, fiduciary duty and governance, and issues arising in the context of bankruptcy and insolvency.

She also advises clients on a full range of pension investment issues from both a fund and manager perspective, as well as on executive compensation matters and pension issues that arise in the context of mergers and acquisitions and lending arrangements. Andrea is often sought out for her expertise by government, in litigation matters, and for second opinions.

Andrea speaks and writes extensively on pensions related issues. She is the co-editor of Pensions and Benefits Law in Ontario and the long-time former editor of Canadian Cases on Pensions and Benefits. Andrea has also been an adjunct professor at Queen’s University Law School and is often a guest lecturer at the University of Toronto and Osgoode Professional Development.

Awards and Recognition

- **Chambers Canada: Canada’s Leading Lawyers for Business:** Recognized in Pensions and Benefits
- **Chambers Global: The World’s Leading Lawyers for Business:** Recognized in Pensions and Benefits
 - “she provides excellent service – she really understands our needs and is very adaptable.”
- **The Canadian Legal Lexpert Directory:** Recognized in Pensions & Employee Benefits – Employer
- **The Legal 500 Canada:** Recognized as a leading lawyer in Pensions and Benefits

- **The Best Lawyers in Canada:** Recognized in Employee Benefits
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Community Involvement

- Member of the Osler Community Law Committee
 - Counsel to UNEP on world legal survey for Responsible Investing, Canada
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Credentials

Education

- Queen's University, LL.B.
 - Queen's University, B.Comm.
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Languages

- English
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Professional Affiliations

- Canadian Bar Association, Pensions and Benefits Section Government Relations committee
- Ontario Bar Association, Pensions and Benefits Section Executive, Past Chair
- Association of Canadian Pension Management, Federal Council, Past Chair
- International Pension & Employee Benefits Lawyers Association