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Practice Areas

Family Office Services Wealth Management

Education

Harvard Law School JD (2006) cum laude

Princeton University BA (2003) *summa cum laude*

Admissions

Massachusetts

Jennifer Ewing advises high net worth individuals, families, corporate executives, and entrepreneurs on a wide range of trusts and estates matters. She has experience with sophisticated estate planning, trust administration, and estate settlement and works with clients to create tax-efficient estate plans and deploy techniques to aid the accumulation, preservation, and transfer of wealth.

In addition, Jennifer serves as a trustee of many family trusts and works with donors and beneficiaries across multiple generations. As a fiduciary, she works closely with clients to ensure that trusts are administered in a way that is tax-efficient and responsive to their priorities and goals.

Representative Engagements

- Handled complex gift tax and GST tax reconciliation through the preparation of historical gift tax returns and the related division of trusts.
- Regularly implements GRATs, sales to intentionally defective grantor trusts and other tax-leveraged techniques involving irrevocable trusts.
- Works with multi-generational families (both wealth creators and beneficiaries) to coordinate effective transfers of wealth and foster educational understanding of long-term financial goals.
- Helps clients in private equity industry transfer carried interests and other business interests to trusts for descendants.
- Regularly serves as trustee and valued family advisor for clients during lifetime and after death for irrevocable trusts and shared investment vehicles.

Publications and Presentations

 "Ethics of Family Dynamics in Estate Planning," presenter, MCLE presentation, June 2018

Recognition

- Chambers High Net Worth (2023-2025)
- Best Lawyers in America (2018-2025)
- Massachusetts Lawyers Weekly: Go To Lawyer Trusts & Estates (2021)