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Larissa Cespedes-Yaffar participated in the firm's Summer Associate program in 2014.

Ms. Cespedes-Yaffar is a graduate of Cornell Law School, where she served as an Associate Editor for the Cornell Journal of Law and Public Policy. While at Cornell Law, Ms. Cespedes-Yaffar was an active member of the Latin American Law Student's Association and Women's Law Coalition. During her second and third year of law school, Ms. Cespedes-Yaffar worked as a research and teacher's assistant for the Business Law class at the Cornell University School of Hotel Administration.

Prior to law school, Ms. Cespedes-Yaffar worked as a Legal Assistant for Davis Polk and Wardwell LLP in New York. While at Davis Polk, Ms. Cespedes-Yaffar worked on several pro-bono matters including: Legal Aid Society Cases focusing on Violence Against Women, Immigration and Asylum cases and uncontested divorce clinics in association with the Brooklyn Bar's Volunteer Lawyers Project.

EDUCATION

Cornell Law School
JD, 2015

Dartmouth College
BA, 2011

PRACTICE FOCUS

Private Equity

Represents private equity funds and their portfolio companies with equity investments, fund formation, buyout transactions and dispositions.

Mergers & Acquisitions

Represents institutional investors, portfolio companies and management teams in negotiating and structuring leveraged buyouts, recapitalizations mergers and acquisitions.

Finance

Represents secured lenders, borrowers and equity sponsors in a range of financing transactions, including related real estate matters.

Business & Technology

Represents public and private companies in a variety of industries in mergers and acquisitions, securities law compliance issues, venture capital equity financings and general corporate work.

ADMISSIONS

Massachusetts

PRACTICE AREAS

Private Equity

Mergers & Acquisitions

Finance

Business & Technology

PROFESSIONAL AND COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

Ms. Cespedes-Yaffar is a member of the Boston Bar Association and the Women's Bar Association of Massachusetts.