



Leslie Wargo is a seasoned trial lawyer with diverse expertise in general business, professional liability, construction, probate and landlord/tenant litigation. In over twenty years of practice, Leslie has represented individuals and both private and public companies in state and federal court, including in appellate issues. She has excelled in both bench and jury trials, as well as arbitrations. Leslie's significant and wide-ranging experience greatly benefits her practice as she provides thoughtful and practical solutions to her clients' legal conflicts in addition to risk management advice.

In addition to her role of counsel to Coakley Lammert, Leslie also serves as general counsel to a nationally active insurance company advising on compliance, employment, contractual, and other business matters.

### EDUCATION

- B.A. cum laude, University of Akron - 1997
- J.D. Case Western Reserve University - 2000

### COURT ADMISSIONS

- Ohio Supreme Court (2000)
- Supreme Court of the United States
- Sixth Circuit Court of Appeals
- U.S. District Court, Northern District of Ohio
- U.S. District Court, Southern District of Ohio

### COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

- Ohio Women's Bar Foundation
  - President - 2018-2019
  - Vice-President - 2017-2018
  - Co-Chair of Leadership Institute - 2017-2018; 2019-2020
  - Treasurer - 2016-2017
  - Secretary - 2015-2016
  - At-Large Trustee - 2014-2015
- Ohio Women's Bar Foundation - Leadership Institute Member - 2014-2015
- Cleveland Metropolitan Bar Association, Member
- Cleveland Metropolitan Bar Foundation
  - Fellow
  - Trustee – 2014-Current
- Eighth District Judicial Conference, Life Member
- Ohio State Bar Association, Member
- Huron High School Hall of Fame

### DISTINCTIONS

- AV Preeminent - Martindale Hubbell-highest possible rating in both legal ability and ethical standards
- Ohio Super Lawyer Rising Star
- Ohio Super Lawyer
- Best Lawyers of America
- American Society of Legal Advocates Top 40 Litigation Lawyer under 40