



## JANET M. HIMMEL

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### Service Focus

- Class and Collective Actions
- Litigation and Trials

## OVERVIEW

A partner in the firm's Denver office, Janet Himmel draws on a background in human resources and eight years of broad-based litigation experience to counsel and defend employers in all areas of labor and employment law.

Janet represents employers in a variety of employment-related claims in both state and federal court while also advising clients on cost-effective measures to prevent problems from occurring or escalating, including through employee and HR training, employee handbooks, employment agreements, and policies that comply with federal and state employment laws and agency regulations.

Prior to joining the firm, Janet was a litigator and eDiscovery Counsel at an Am Law 100 firm, where she gained extensive experience in complex commercial, securities, and intellectual property litigation in addition to internal and government investigations. Janet also practiced at a boutique firm focusing on commercial litigation in state and federal court.

Before law school, Janet served in the U.S. Army as an Engineer Officer and deployed to Iraq and Afghanistan. Her leadership positions include Chief Human Resources Officer for a 550-soldier engineer battalion.

Janet earned her law degree from the University of Virginia School of Law, where she served on the *Virginia Journal of Social Policy and the Law*.

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## Credentials

### Education

- University of Virginia School of Law, J.D., 2014
- United States Military Academy, B.S., 2006

### Bar Admissions

- Colorado
- Texas

### Court Admissions

- U.S. Court of Appeals for the Fifth Circuit
- U.S. District Court for the District of Colorado
- U.S. District Court for the District of New Mexico

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## Recognitions

- Recognized in *The Best Lawyers in America*, Ones to Watch (2024-2026)

# INSIGHTS

News

Dec 18, 2024

Fisher Phillips Remains Steady With 25 Attorney Partnership Class

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**Dec 17, 2024**

Fisher Phillips Elects 25 Attorneys to 2025 Partnership Class

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**Aug 30, 2024**

Workplace Law Update: 10 Essential Items on Your September To-Do List

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**Aug 7, 2024**

Overtime Shockwaves: Federal Appeals Court to Decide Fate of Salary Basis Test in Wake of Groundbreaking SCOTUS Decision

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**Dec 5, 2022**

Top 10 Workplace Law Updates from November 2022

**Insights**

**Nov 17, 2022**

Colorado Update: What the 2022 Election Results Might Mean for Employers