

Tonesa Munnings

Tonesa is an Associate in the firm's Litigation Department having joined the Firm in January 2021. Her practice focuses on Litigation & Dispute Resolution, Insolvency & Restructuring, Corporate & Commercial, Trusts & Foundations. She works directly under Marco Turnquest and Sophia Rolle-Kapousouzoglou on a wide-range of civil and commercial litigation matters.

Recent work examples:

- UBS (Bahamas) Ltd (in voluntary liquidation) v. Junkanoo Estates Ltd et al. assisting and conducting research for lead counsel for UBS in the Supreme Court, Court of Appeal and Privy Council in this multimillion dollar property and share trading dispute.
- Bettas Ltd v HSBC (Bahamas) Ltd et al assisting and conducting research for lead counsel for Bettas Ltd in the Supreme Court and Court of Appeal in a breach of mandate claim against the defendants.
- Clico (Bahamas) Ltd (in liquidation) assisting lead counsel for the liquidator of a substantial insurance and property portfolio.
- Banque Havilland (Bahamas) Ltd v. Christophe Mazurier et al assisting lead counsel for Bank Havilland Bahamas Ltd in relation to its multi-million dollar claim against certain former directors for, inter alia, breach of fiduciary duties.
- Assisted lead counsel in relation to Quieting Petition involving multi-million-dollar property development.
- Assisted lead counsel in relation to excluded beneficiaries in complex trust dispute.
- Assisting senior attorney with the enforcement of a foreign judgment.
- Assisted senior attorney with company restoration application.

Practice Areas

- Litigation & Dispute Resolution
- Insolvency & Restructuring
- Corporate & Commercial
- Trust & Foundations

Background & Qualifications

Bachelor of Laws Degree (First Class Honors) from The University of the West Indies (Cave Hill), Barbados. – 2018 Completed Bar Training at The Eugene Dupuch Law School in The Bahamas in 2020. Recipient of several academic awards including: The Graham, Thompson & Co. Prize for Outstanding Year 2 Student, Council of Legal Education Price for Best Performing Year 2 Student, Most Outstanding Student in Legal Aid Clinic, Best Performing Student in Civil Procedure & Practice.

Memberships & Professional Affiliations

The Bahamas Bar Association