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Victoria Thornton handles a wide range of matters involving commercial and business tort litigation and medical malpractice litigation.

Prior to entering private practice, Victoria interned for The Honorable Jennifer B. Schiffer and served as a law clerk for The Honorable Barry G. Williams at the Circuit Court for Baltimore City. While in law school, Victoria served on the Editorial Board of the *Journal of Business and Technology Law* at the University of Maryland School of Law and was a research assistant for Professor Karen Czapanskiy.

Practice Areas

- Commercial and Business Tort Litigation
- Medical Malpractice

Court Admissions

- Maryland
- United States District Court for the District of Maryland

Education

- University of Maryland School of Law (J.D., *cum laude*, 2019)
 - *Journal of Business and Technology Law* – Editorial Board
 - Landlord/Tenant Clinic – Student Attorney
- University of Maryland College Park (B.A., 2016)

Professional Experience

- Astrachan Gunst Thomas, P.C. – Associate (2020-2022)
- Circuit Court for Baltimore City, The Honorable Barry G. Williams – Judicial Law Clerk (2019-2020)

Publications and Seminars

- Author, ["U.S. Copyright Law Protects Only Human Works,"](#) Goodell DeVries IP Blog (August 21, 2023)
- Contributor, ["Survival Tips for New Lawyers,"](#) *Maryland Bar Journal* (2023)
- Panelist, "Tips for Young Lawyers," Maryland State Bar Association Young Lawyers Section (2022)
- Panelist, Intellectual Property Section Career Panel, Maryland State Bar Association (2021)
- Author, *Is it All or Nothing?: Samsung Elecs. Co., Ltd. v. Apple Inc.*, 14 J. Bus. Tech. L. Proxy 21 (2019)

Honors and Awards

- Best Lawyers — Ones to Watch
 - Litigation — Intellectual Property (2026)
- Maryland Super Lawyers — Rising Star
 - Civil Litigation: Defense (2024)

Languages

- Japanese