

## Chase T. Rogers **Partner**

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## Overview

Chief Justice of the Connecticut Supreme Court Chase Rogers (Ret.), chair of the firm's Appellate Practice group, brings her vast knowledge and experience as a litigator, trial judge and Chief Justice to assist litigation clients in multiple areas of law. Clients benefit from her 20 years of experience presiding over bench and jury trials, and hearing, mediating and ruling on complex commercial disputes. She has also been a panel member on over 1000 appellate cases and the author of hundreds of decisions for the Connecticut Supreme Court. In addition, she has extensive experience in conducting investigations, including employment matters, discrimination, sexual assault and sexual harassment claims, police use of force, breach of contract and breach of fiduciary duty matters. She also has served as an expert witness regarding Connecticut law.

Chief Justice Rogers' career in the judiciary has spanned over two decades, starting when she was sworn in as a Connecticut Superior Court judge in January 1998. Her assignments included serving as a judge on the Complex Litigation Docket for four years in Stamford. In March 2006, Chief Justice Rogers was sworn in as an Appellate Court judge and a little over a year later, she was sworn in as Chief Justice of the Connecticut Supreme Court. Among her many accomplishments, she is credited with restructuring the civil justice system to reduce costs and embedding a culture of openness and transparency in the judicial branch.

Chase currently serves on the State Justice Institute's (SJI) Board of Directors, which she was appointed to by President Barack Obama in December 2010. She is also the chairperson of the national Civil Justice Implementation Steering Committee. She also currently serves on the board of the Center for Human Trafficking Court Solutions (CHTCS), and has provided consulting services to the Institute for the Advancement of the American Legal System (IAALS). In addition, she is an adjunct professor, teaching Connecticut civil procedure, at the University of Connecticut School of Law.

In 2012, Chase was appointed to the Federal-State Jurisdiction Committee of the Judicial Conference of the United States by U.S. Supreme Court Chief Justice John Roberts, where she served until January 2018. She also served as a member of the Board of Directors for the Conference of Chief Justices until January 2018.

### Practices & Industries

**Complex Commercial Litigation** 

**Energy Litigation** 

**Insurance & Reinsurance** 

**Insurance and Reinsurance Disputes** 

**Internal Investigations** 

Litigation

**Private Companies** 

**Private Equity & Venture Capital** 



## **Education and Credentials**

#### Education

University of Hartford, Honorary Doctor of Laws Degree, 2011

Quinnipiac University School of Law, Honorary Doctor of Laws Degree, 2010

Boston University School of Law, J.D.

Stanford University, B.A.

#### **Admissions**

State of Connecticut

U.S. District Court, District of Connecticut

U.S. District Court, Eastern District of New York

U.S. District Court, Southern District of New York

U.S. Court of Appeals for the Second Circuit

#### **Affiliations**

American Bar Association

Connecticut State Bar Association

Connecticut Judicial Branch, Jury Selection Task Force, Co-Chair

State Justice Institute, Board of Directors, 2016-present

Judicial Conference of the United States, Federal-State Jurisdiction Committee, 2012-2018

Connecticut Bar Foundation, Ex Officio Director, 2008-2018

Jury Selection Task Force, Co-Chair, 2020

# **Recognition and Community**

No aspect of this advertisement has been approved by the highest court of any state. Prior results do not guarantee a similar outcome. See Awards Methodology.

### Recognitions

Selected to the list of Connecticut Super Lawyers (Thomson Reuters), Appellate, 2024

Chosen for inclusion in The Best Lawyers in America (Woodward/White, Inc.), Appellate Practice, 2023-2025, Commercial Litigation, 2023-2025

Recipient of the Henry J. Naruk Judiciary Award for Integrity from the Connecticut Bar Association, 2018

Recipient of the John M. Bailey Award for Public Service from the Hartford Country Bar Association, 2018

Recipient of Bice Clemow Award from the Connecticut Council on Freedom of Information, 2018



### **Community Involvement**

Connecticut Governor-Elect Ned Lamont, Transition Team, Steering Committee

New York University School of Law, New Appellate Judges Seminar Administration, Faculty, July 2018

# **Insights**

Day Pitney White Collar Roundup – July 2023 Edition July 2023

Day Pitney White Collar Roundup – April 2023 Edition April 2023

Day Pitney White Collar Roundup – February 2023 Edition February 2023

Day Pitney White Collar Roundup – October 2022 Edition October 2022

Day Pitney White Collar Roundup – August 2022 Edition August 2022

Day Pitney White Collar Roundup - June 2022 Edition June 2022

Day Pitney White Collar Roundup - April 2022 Edition April 1, 2022

White Collar Roundup - February 2022 Edition February 2022

Day Pitney White Collar Roundup - December 2021 Edition December 30, 2021

Day Pitney White Collar Roundup - October 2021 Edition October 1, 2021

Day Pitney White Collar Roundup - August 2021 Edition August 1, 2021

Day Pitney White Collar Roundup - June 2021 Edition June 1, 2021

White Collar Roundup - March/April Edition march/april 2021

White Collar Roundup - January/February Edition january/february 2021

White Collar Roundup - November/December Edition november/december 2020

The New Title IX: A World of Uncertainty December 2, 2020



White Collar Roundup - September/October Edition september/october 2020

White Collar Roundup - July/August 2020

july/august 2020

White Collar Roundup - May/June Edition

may/june 2020

COVID-19 Update on Opening of Connecticut Courts

June 10, 2020

Tips From Connecticut's Pros: Getting High Court and Appellate Advocacy Right

May 15, 2020

White Collar Roundup - March/April Edition

march/april 2020

Tips for Remote Appellate Arguments During COVID-19 Pandemic

March 25, 2020

White Collar Roundup - January/February 2020

March 2, 2020

Giving Up on Impartiality: The Threat of Public Capitulation to Contemporary Attacks on Rule of the Law

September 26, 2019

Supreme Court Removes Obstacle for Plaintiffs Asserting Takings Claims in Federal Court

June 26, 2019

Talking, Walking, Running – A Call to Action for Women in the Legal Profession

June 27, 2018

## News

In Rare Feat, Law Firm Day Pitney Lands Two Former CT Supreme Court Chief Justices

October 28, 2024

Thomas J. O'Neill Takes Seat on Connecticut Superior Court Following Appointment by Governor Ned Lamont

May 5, 2023

Daniel Raccuia and Chase Rogers Obtain Appellate Victory on Behalf of The Hartford

April 8, 2022

Chase Rogers Selected by Connecticut Chief Justice to Co-Chair Jury Selection Task Force to Eradicate Racial Bias from

the Jury System July 21, 2020

Day Pitney Offers Virtual ADR Service

April 13, 2020

Chief Justice Chase Rogers (Ret.) and Stan Twardy Named to Connecticut Governor-Elect Transition Team

November 14, 2018

Chief Justice Chase Rogers (Ret.) Receives Bice Clemow Award from CCFOI

July 12, 2018

Chief Justice Chase Rogers (Ret.) Receives John M. Bailey Award for Public Service from HCBA

June 4, 2018



Chief Justice Chase Rogers (Ret.) and Daniel Raccuia Recognized by Connecticut Law Tribune April 11, 2018

Chase T. Rogers, Retired Chief Justice of the Connecticut Supreme Court, to Join Day Pitney as Litigation Partner March 19, 2018

## In The Media

"Conducting Effective Internal Investigations," Case Studies in Compliance Systems, UConn Law 2025 March 4, 2025

"Conducting Effective Internal Investigations," Case Studies in Compliance Systems, UConn Law February 19, 2024

The Portia Project Podcast with Chief Justice Chase T. Rogers The Portia Project Podcast, November 14, 2022

"Appellate Practice: What Not to Do, Lessons from the Bench and Bar," Connecticut Bar Association March 7, 2022

Day Pitney Secures Seventh Circuit Victory for Lloyd's of London Law360, August 23, 2021

Day Pitney Partner Rogers Talks Employment Law and Appellate Work Connecticut Law Tribune, August 13, 2021

Conn. Task Force Stresses Importance Of Jury Diversity Law360, April 26, 2021

4 Key Points in Conn. Judiciary's Proposal On Juries and Race Law360, Connecticut Law Tribune, Hartford Courant, February 5, 2021

Chief Justice Says Connecticut Will Move Swiftly on Justice-Reform Report Connecticut Law Tribune, January 14, 2021

Judicial task force says it can reduce jury bias Hartford Courant, January 12, 2021

2020's Title IX Overhaul: Views from the Bar and the Bench November 24, 2020

"Appellate Advice," Appellate Advocacy Section Meeting, Connecticut Bar Association October 1, 2020

Kudos to Supreme Court on Jury Selection Task Force Connecticut Law Tribune, January 3, 2020

State Supreme Court calls for commission to study whether jury selection system is unfair to minorities Hartford Courant. December 28, 2019

2019 Inauguration Day in Connecticut
Day Pitney Press Release, January 9, 2019

Chief Justice Chase Rogers (Ret.) Joins with Judge Robert Holzberg (Ret.) to Form Connecticut Lawyers for Immigration Justice Campaign

Hartford Courant, August 16, 2018

Best Practices for Appellate Judges July 15, 2018

