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**INDUSTRIES**

Wind Energy  
Banking/Finance

**PRACTICE AREAS**

Project Finance

**EDUCATION**

JD, 2005, *magna cum laude*, University of Houston Law Center, Law Review, Notes and Comments Editor, Order of the Coif, Order of the Barons  
BS, 2001, *magna cum laude*, Law and Justice, College of New Jersey, Phi Kappa Phi Honor Society

**ADMITTED**

Texas 2005  
US District Court for the Eastern District of Texas  
US District Court for the Southern District of Texas

Lauren's practice focuses on business transactions matters and issues relating to project finance. She has experience representing developers in construction financing, letter of credit facilities and in drafting equity capital contribution agreements. Recently, Lauren's work is focused in the area of wind farm development financing.

**REPRESENTATIVE EXPERIENCE**

- project company in the development and financing of its 101MW wind generating facility located in Texas (total \$195 million financing)
- project company in the development and financing of its 283MW wind generating facility located in Texas (total \$590 million financing)
- project company in the development and financing of its 51MW wind generating facility located in South Dakota (total \$98 million financing)
- project company in the development and financing of its 150MW wind generating facility located in Texas (total \$279 million financing)
- project company in equity take-out for phase V of its wind generating facility located in Texas
- acquirer of a developer of an offshore wind farm

**PROFESSIONAL/CIVIC AFFILIATIONS**

**Member**

- Houston Bar Association
- Houston Young Lawyers Association
- American Bar Association