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ADMISSIONS

Delaware
1993

EDUCATION

Widener University
School of Law (J.D., 1993)

University of Delaware
(B.S., 1987)

ASSOCIATIONS & MEMBERSHIPS

American Bar Association

Delaware State Bar
Association

YEAR JOINED

2002

OVERVIEW

As a shareholder in the Workers' Compensation Department, Linda devotes her entire practice to representing employers in workers' compensation and unemployment matters. She also assists clients in handling matters pertaining to Medicare set-asides. Whether counseling clients, negotiating settlements or trying cases, Linda always seeks to minimize the client's exposure/expenditures.

Linda's extensive litigation experience began at the Delaware Department of Justice, where she prosecuted both criminal and civil matters. As a deputy attorney general, she represented various state agencies, including the Delaware Industrial Accident Board (IAB). Linda left the Department of Justice to become a workers' compensation hearing officer. Following her appointment to that position by the Delaware Secretary of Labor, Linda provided legal counsel to the IAB, wrote its decisions and, upon stipulation of the parties, sat in place of the IAB, hearing and deciding matters. That experience gave Linda the invaluable perspective of the tribunal, which is helpful in her current practice.

Today, Linda actively appears before the IAB on behalf of employers in a variety of matters. Her experience extends to practice before the Delaware Superior and Supreme courts with regard to workers compensation appeals. Linda also appears before Delaware Unemployment Insurance Referees and the Delaware Unemployment Insurance Appeal Board.

Linda received her B.S. in Economics from the University of Delaware and her juris doctor from Widener University School of Law, where she was a member of the Phi Delta Phi Honor Society. In her free time, Linda enjoys watching lacrosse and gardening.

THOUGHT LEADERSHIP

Delaware Supreme Court Again Reverses Judge, Litigants Still Pay

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May 1, 2026

In 2022, the Delaware Supreme Court, en banc, reversed a decision of Superior Court Judge Karsnitz in a pro hac vice matter, writing that “[b]oth the tone and the explicit language of the Superior Court’s memorandum opinio

Has the Board Misread Gilliard-Belfast for 25 Years?

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April 1, 2026

In the August 2025 What’s Hot publication, I wrote about a decision in UPS v. Smith.

Dual Jurisdiction Dispute Leads Delaware Board to Restore Claimant’s Disability Benefits

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March 1, 2026

In this case, the employer, Amick Farms, has offices in Maryland and Delaware. The claimant lives in Delaware and was hired to work out of employer’s Delaware office in February of 2020.

Delaware Supreme Court Affirms Ferrell v. City of Wilmington

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February 4, 2026

The May 2025 What’s Hot highlighted Ferrell v. City of Wilmington, 2025 WL 753378 (Del. Super Ct. Mar. 10, 2025), which addressed two incidents

involving one injury, and a recurrence versus aggravation.

Delaware Industrial Accident Board Orders Claimant to Produce Expert Report on Causation in Petition to Add Body Part

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January 1, 2026

The claimant suffered a work-related injury to his back on January 28, 2023, resulting in the parties entering into a “Medical Only” agreement acknowledging the back injury.

CLASSES/SEMINARS TAUGHT

Advanced Workers' Compensation, Sterling Education Services

PUBLISHED WORKS

“Attention, Contractors! That Subcontractor You Are Thinking of Using Might Cost You Much More Than You Anticipate,” *Defense Digest*, Vol. 22, No. 3, September 2016

“Special Delaware Workers' Compensation Alert - Preauthorization Needed for Non-Certified Provider,” *What's Hot in Worker's Comp*, November 22, 2013