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J.P. Harrington Bisceglia is a shareholder at Christian Dichter & Sluga, P.C. Her primary practice areas are insurance coverage and bad-faith litigation. She is a seven-time Super Lawyers Rising Stars selectee and has earned the Martindale-Hubbell AV-Preeminent Rating. She is a prime member of the Association of Defense and Trial Attorneys ("ADTA"). She is recognized by Best Lawyers in the areas of Insurance Law and Litigation-Insurance.

J.P. Harrington Bisceglia practices in Arizona and New Mexico State and Federal courts. She handles her clients' needs from case assessment, investigation, discovery, settlement, trial, and appeal. She has spent her entire legal career working in insurance defense litigation. She has represented clients in a broad range of cases including insurance coverage disputes relating to first- and third-party claims on personal and commercial lines, bad faith, medical and other professional liability claims, nursing home litigation, subrogation, and general civil litigation. Ms. Harrington Bisceglia was second chair at a trial on bad faith and breach of insurance contract claims which resulted in a unanimous defense verdict in favor of the insurance carrier. This verdict was designated a significant defense verdict by *Arizona Attorney Magazine*. Ms. Harrington Bisceglia has been involved in 12 trials over the course of her career, several of which were tried to verdict. She also has completed arbitrations on a variety of civil disputes, most recently obtaining a result with a dollar value less than the amount contemplated in settlement discussions and hundreds of thousands of dollars less than the amount demanded. In all litigation files, Ms. Harrington Bisceglia helps her clients navigate the risks presented in the litigation process and the challenges of jurisdictions and precedent. She provides frank assessments of the evidence and applicable law to endeavor to obtain the best result in a given matter.

J.P. Harrington Bisceglia is a member of the Executive Board of the Arizona Association of Defense Counsel and leads the group's Diversity and Annual Meeting Committees. She also serves as the firm's primary contact to NAMWOLF (National Association of Minority and Women Owned Law Firms), where she co-chairs the Insurance Practice Area Committee. She also serves on the diversity committees of the ADTA (Association of Defense Trial Attorneys) and the Maricopa County Bar Association. Ms. Harrington Bisceglia shares her love of law and the practice of law with each of these organizations and collaborates with them in a way to foster opportunities in law for all who seek it.

She has presented educational material to claims adjusters, managers, and corporate counsel in private in-house settings as well as at NAMWOLF meetings and PLRB Regional Conferences.

PRACTICE AREAS

- Insurance Coverage
- Civil Defense Litigation

BAR AND COURT ADMISSIONS

- Arizona, 2008
- New Mexico, 2020
- U.S. District Court, Arizona
- U.S. District Court, New Mexico
- U.S. Court of Appeals, Ninth Circuit
- United States Supreme Court, 2023

HONORS AND AWARDS

- The Best Lawyers in America®, Insurance Law, Litigation-Insurance, 2024-present
- AV-Preeminent® Rating, Martindale-Hubbell®
- Super Lawyers: Rising Stars, 2014-2020
- Super Lawyers 2023-present
- Arizona's Outstanding Young Lawyers, *Phoenix Magazine*, 2014

EDUCATION

- University of San Diego School of Law (J.D., May 2008)
- University at San Diego (B.A., May 2002)

PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS

- Arizona Association of Defense Counsel
 - Secretary, Executive Board of Directors 2024-present
 - Board of Directors, 2021-present
 - Chair, Annual Meeting Committee
 - Member, Diversity Committee
 - Member, ASU Closing Argument Competition Committee
- Maricopa County Bar Association
 - Equity, Diversity, and Inclusion Committee
- National Association of Minority & Women Owned Law Firms: Law Firm Member
 - Co-Chair, Insurance Practice Area Committee
 - Member, Cross-Marketing Committee
- Association of Defense Trial Attorneys (ADTA)
 - Member, Diversity Committee
- State Bar of New Mexico

COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

- Maricopa County Bar Association, Equity, Diversity, and Inclusion Committee, 2021-Present
- University of San Diego Phoenix Torero Club (fka Phoenix Alumni Chapter): Co-president, 2013-present
- SheLEADS: Arizona Women's Education and Employment, Member of 2016 Inaugural Class, January-June 2016
- Ladder Down, Arizona Association of Defense Counsel, Member of 2014 Class
- University of San Diego School of Law, President Arizona Alumni Board, 2015-Present