

Mira Baylson

Mira is an associate at Drinker Biddle & Reath LLP. She focuses her practice on white collar defense and investigations. She has extensive experience litigating in both federal and state court. Mira has counseled clients in conducting internal investigations and responding to alleged violations of federal regulations, including the Foreign Corrupt Practice Act, RICO conspiracy charges, whistleblower violations, insider trading, and fraud. She also handles class action litigation and is a member of the firm's Retail Class Actions initiative. Prior to joining the firm, Mira worked as a public defender in Philadelphia. She tried more than one hundred cases to verdict, including several successful jury trials.

Mira was the first recipient of the University of Pennsylvania Law School Fellowship for Social Justice in the Delaware Valley and served as a Developer and Inaugural Fellow for Project Dawn Court, the nation's first problem-solving court designed for women involved in prostitution. She is active in the community, having co-founded the University of Pennsylvania Law School Women's Re-entry Legal Services, a student-run clinic which focused on assisting women in Philadelphia with re-entry after incarceration. Mira is a founding member and primary architect of Mentors Empowering Now to Overcome Recidivism, a court-based program that provides a holistic and supportive re-entry experience through mentoring and case management. Mira has an active pro bono practice, in which she seeks out indigent clients in need of support and representation, such as her representation of Juvenile Lifer Norman Bryant, [recently released](#) after 32 years of incarceration.