



Ania Smeraldo

ASSOCIATE

EDUCATION

Seattle University
School of Law
J.D. 2025

University of Washington
Communications,
minor in Political Science
B.A. 2018

INDUSTRIES

Consumer Products & Services
Pharmaceuticals
Software & Internet

PRACTICES

Copyright
IP Agreements & Licensing
IP Litigation & Enforcement
Internet Policy & Law
Strategic Counseling
Trade Secrets
Trademark

BAR ADMISSIONS

Washington

BACKGROUND

Ania focuses her practice on intellectual property matters across a number of industries. In 2018, she earned a B.A. in Communications from the University of Washington. Ania received her J.D. from Seattle University School of Law in 2025.

EXPERIENCE

Ania has experience with trademark procurement in a variety of industries, including consumer products & services, pharmaceuticals, and software & internet. She has drafted numerous producer and side artist agreements, IP licensing & artist contracts, and master agreements. Ania also has researched rights of publicity laws, state-by-state. She has experience with generative AI technology and related litigation.

During law school, Ania helped launch the TILE (Technology, Innovation Law, and Ethics) Program as a research assistant. She earned the CALI Award for Excellence in Intellectual Property, and she was awarded the WSBA IP Section Scholarship Award for her work in IP, arts, and entertainment. Ania was also a 2022-23 Gregoire Fellow, a program that recognizes students for their academic and professional achievements, unique perspectives and experiences, and leadership potential.

Prior to joining Seed IP, Ania worked for Virgin Music/Universal Music Group, Amazon Global Media and Entertainment, Hughes Media Law Group, Pioneer Square Labs, two local law firms, and externed for the Washington State Supreme Court.

AFFILIATIONS

Ania is admitted to the Washington State Bar.