

Heather Smillie

ASSOCIATE

Corporate
Wilmington, DE

hsmillie@wsgr.com
302-502-8418

FOCUS AREAS

Corporate
Finance and Structured
Finance
Restructuring

EXPERIENCE

Heather Smillie is an associate in the Delaware office of Wilson Sonsini Goodrich & Rosati, where she focuses her practice on corporate restructuring. Her experience includes representing corporate debtors, creditors, lenders, independent fiduciaries, and special committees in complex chapter 11 cases, out-of-court restructurings, financial workouts, dissolutions, wind-downs, and cross-border insolvency proceedings. She has experience appearing before the U.S. Bankruptcy Court for the District of Delaware, counseling clients in all stages of in-court restructurings.

Prior to joining the firm, Heather practiced in the corporate restructuring groups of two prominent law firms in Wilmington, Delaware, where she advised a wide range of clients in a variety of stages of bankruptcy and other restructuring proceedings. Heather gained insightful experience and sharpened her analytical skills when she clerked for the Honorable Judge Karen B. Owens in the Bankruptcy Court for the District of Delaware.

CREDENTIALS

Education

- J.D., Villanova University Charles Widger School of Law, 2020
Cum Laude, Moot Court Executive Board Member
- B.S. Comprehensive Science and Spanish Studies (double major), Villanova University, 2016

Associations and Memberships

- Member, American Bankruptcy Institute
- Member, Turnaround Management Association
- Member, International Women's Insolvency & Restructuring Confederation
- Member, Delaware State Bar Association

Admissions

- State Bar of Delaware
- U.S. District Court for the District of Delaware