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### ASSOCIATE

Ms. Horton is a member of the firm's International and First Amendment sections. Her practice focuses on appellate litigation, including drafting briefs for the U.S. Supreme Court and other courts of appeals. She also advises clients on constitutional rights, regulatory compliance, contracts management, records management, and responding to data breach incidents.

Ms. Horton also interacts with counsel in various countries, including Europe, Africa, the Middle East, and the Pacific Islands. In particular, she advises clients on cross-border business transactions, tax and regulatory compliance, funding, and entity management.

Prior to joining the firm, Ms. Horton served as a law clerk to Judge Jill N. Parrish of the U.S. District Court for the District of Utah.

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### EXPERIENCE

Judicial Clerk to Judge Jill N. Parrish of the U.S. District Court for the District of Utah, 2015–2016

Summer Associate, Kirton McConkie, 2014

Judicial Intern to Justice Jill N. Parrish of the Utah Supreme Court, 2013

Judicial Extern to Magistrate Judge Dustin B. Pead of the U.S. District Court for the District of Utah, 2013

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### EDUCATION

University of Utah, S.J. Quinney College of Law, J.D., with Highest Honors, 2015

Order of the Coif

Utah Law Review, Executive Footnote Editor

Stephen Pierre Traynor Legal Writing Award, 2015

National Moot Court Team

Traynor Moot Court Competition 2014, Second Place and Best Brief

Brigham Young University, B.A., English, summa cum laude, 2011

National Merit Scholarship, 2009–2011

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### ADMISSIONS & AFFILIATIONS

*Bar Admissions:* Utah, 2015

*Other Admissions:* United States District Court for the District of Utah

### PRACTICE AREAS

FIRST AMENDMENT  
AND RELIGIOUS  
ORGANIZATIONS  
INTERNATIONAL