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### **Experience**

Michelle Epstein is a Partner in the Professional Practices Group at Donovan Hatem specializing in the defense of architects, engineers, and other design professionals. She provides loss prevention and claims management services to design professionals on a nationwide basis. Michelle's experience also includes personal injury litigation and representing clients in front of the Social Security Administration.

### **Admitted to Practice**

- Massachusetts

### **Business and Professional Associations**

- Massachusetts Bar Association

### **Education**

- New England School of Law (*now known as New England Law Boston*) (J.D., 2002)
- University of New Hampshire (B.S., Political Science, 1999)

### **Articles and Publications**

*Threat of Tax Liability Enough to Hold Accountant Liable*, The Accountant/Attorney Liability Reporter, February/March 2010.

*California Supreme Court and New Mexico Court of Appeals Strictly Interpret the Defense Obligation Routinely Found in Indemnity Provisions*, The Design and Construction Management Professional Reporter, February 2010

*Agreement to Extend Time to Sue Upheld*, The Accountant/Attorney Liability Reporter, October 2009.

*Illinois Court Applies the Economic Loss Doctrine and Dismisses Claim by Homeowner Agreement*, The Design and Construction Management Professional Reporter, April 2006.

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**Additional Information**

- Michelle frequently conducts risk management seminars nationwide regarding contract terms and conditions, contract administration services, condominium risks, dispute prevention, mock mediations, document retention, and managing client expectations.

