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Biography

Kelly Lynn Ferron is a Partner and Business Unit Leader at Kelley Kronenberg, focusing her practice on all aspects of **general liability** and civil litigation defense. She is a part of the firm's Rapid Response Team and serves as a Team Lead on the firm's **Fraud Fighters Team**.

Admitted in Florida, Illinois, Michigan, and Wisconsin, Kelly brings over fifteen years of experience in handling high exposure, catastrophic injury, and wrongful death cases throughout the United States. She is uniquely skilled in defending cases involving fires and explosions, construction site and traffic maintenance issues, and those containing a criminal component such as negligent security and intentional tort matters.

Kelly also possesses the rare capability to take on, spearhead, and effectively prepare high stakes "parachute" cases for trial in a matter of weeks, by swiftly implementing solid, cohesive defense strategies designed to optimize the defense position and leverage, weaken plaintiff's case, and ultimately set the stage for a carefully planned and effective theme for trial. In addition, Kelly has a long track record of uncovering fraud, which has resulted in numerous case dismissals and other remedies. She has represented numerous Fortune 500 companies, as well as construction, manufacturing, and trucking companies throughout her career.

Prior to joining Kelley Kronenberg, Kelly worked for the Miami-Dade Public Defender's Office, followed by two boutique civil litigation firms in Miami, Florida. Thereafter, she served as a Partner at two highly regarded Chicago-based civil litigation defense firms.

Kelly earned her Juris Doctor from the University of Miami School of Law and received her Bachelor of Science in Legal Studies and Psychology from the University of Wisconsin-Madison.

Admissions

- Illinois
- Florida
- Michigan
- Wisconsin
- United States District Court, Northern District of Illinois
- United States District Court, Eastern District of Wisconsin
- United States District Court, Western District of Wisconsin

- United States District Court, Southern District of Florida
- United States District Court, Middle District of Florida

Education

- The University of Miami School of Law, J.D., cum laude, 2009
- University of Wisconsin-Madison, B.S., 2005

Awards

- Super Lawyers 2024 and 2025