

## ABBY L. BRIED, Partner

*Ms. Bried is co-chair of the firm's Aviation and Aerospace Practice. For more than 20 years, she has provided insight and legal counsel on virtually all of the major issues and developments in international aviation and a broad range of domestic issues affecting the aviation industry. Ms. Bried has established airline operations and managed the international legal affairs in more than 60 countries. Her global experience also includes structuring commercial and marketing alliances, joint ventures and strategic investments; as well as advising on complex antitrust issues, regulatory proceedings, slot and airport issues, government affairs, and compliance counseling on economic sanctions, privacy, consumer protection and ethics programs.*

Before joining the firm in 2017, she served as Associate General Counsel - Regulatory, Alliances, Government Affairs and Legal Administration for United Airlines, where she was a strategic legal partner for that company's senior executive team. Ms. Bried began her career at Northwest Airlines and later became associated with Continental Airlines, where she gained positions of increasing responsibility within the legal department and was part of the turnaround team. Her in-house career continued through that airline's merger with United and for several years after the merger integration.

Ms. Bried has an active pro bono practice that includes serving as pro bono advisor to CARPLS, Equal Justice Works, Equip for Equality and the Center for Disability and Elder Law (CDEL), organizations for people with physical and intellectual disabilities. She is also a mentor and coach throughout the legal and aviation communities.

### Awards

- Association of Corporate Counsel and the International Law Office's Regulatory Team Global Counsel Award, 2015
- *Legal 500*  
Transport: Aviation and Air Travel – Regulation, 2018

### Service to the Bar

- American Bar Association  
Member, Air & Space Governing Committee  
Diversity Chair, Air & Space Forum  
Member, Diversity & Inclusion Advisory Council
- Texas State Bar Association

### Industry

- International Aviation Women's Association  
Board member; former president
- International Air Transport Association  
Past Chair, Executive Legal Committee



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**PRACTICE GROUPS**  
Aviation and Aerospace

**EDUCATION**  
William Mitchell College of Law, J.D., 1993  
Southern Methodist University, B.A., 1989

**ADMISSIONS**  
District of Columbia  
Texas

- Women's In-House Counsel Leadership Institute  
Member
- United Airlines' Scholarship Fund  
Board member

## **Community**

- Equal Justice Works  
Fellowship sponsor and coordinator
- CARPLS – IL-AFLAN, Equip for Equality and the Center for Disability and Elder Law  
Pro bono advisor

## **Publications**

- Client Alert: Co-Author, TSA Cybersecurity Roadmap 2018 to Establish Priorities for Aviation Cybersecurity, January 24, 2019

## **Speaking Engagements**

- Jenner & Block's Washington, DC Office Hosts ABA's Space Law Symposium, June 07, 2018
- Moderator, "Aviation Infrastructure – Will the Trump Administration's Initial Climb Make It Over The Wall?" ABA Air & Space Forum 2017, September 17, 2017
- Panelist, ABA Air & Space Law Annual Meeting and Conference, September 14, 2017
- Panelist, Chicago Career Conference, PracticePro, June 22, 2017