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### What famous person would you like to meet and why?

I'm not really impressed with fame. I'm more intrigued by people who are masters of their craft - sometimes those same people are famous, most of the time they are not. Rachelle Ferrell is an amazingly gifted contemporary jazz singer with a six octave range. Six octaves! I would love to meet her and talk about music.

### When did you first become interested in working in finance?

I've always had a connection with the banking industry – I worked for Wells Fargo during college. And after law school, Iberiabank was my largest client litigation client. For some reason, I have the ability to understand financial documents and translate them to a judge or a jury. It's a very satisfying feeling to use numbers and financial documents to tell a compelling story.

### In 3 sentences, tell me about your role at the firm.

Think of me as a problem solver! I resolve legal issues before they become litigation matters, defend the company once an issue becomes a litigation matter, and draft agreements that (hopefully) anticipate and address potential litigation matters.

### What do you like to do in your spare time?

Spare time? What's that?

### What is one thing that most people would be surprised to learn about you?

I am a very good rollerskater (quads – not blades).

### If you could visit any place in the world, where would it be and why?

Dakar, Senegal. My aunt married a Senegalese dignitary and lived there for 20+ years. She died of cancer when I was too young to travel across the world and visit her. But I remember her as a smart, daring, and beautiful woman. I would love to visit the city and country where she made her home, meet people who knew her, and learn more about her life.