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Aviation Law

**Industries Served:** Dram Shop & Social Host Liability

**Educational Institutions Defense** Aviation **Employment Law** Education

General Civil Litigation Government & Public Entities Governmental Liability Homeowner Associations

Medical Liability & Health Care Insurance **OSHA** Defense Manufacturers

Premises Liability Medical Service Providers Product Liability Defense **Professional Service Providers** Professional Liability Recreation & Amusement

Transportation Defense Retail & Hospitality Wrongful Death & Personal Injury Defense Transportation

Ruth Shapiro is part of the General Liability Trial Group and our Utah Rapid Response Team. She brings a wealth of knowledge and experience in personal injury, wrongful death, transportation defense, product liability, employment, premises liability, professional liability, medical malpractice defense, government liability and other general civil litigation matters.

Over nearly 30 years of practice, Ruth has developed a strong litigation record, averaging two trials per year and obtaining significant defense jury verdicts. She is a current member of the American Board of Trial Advocates (ABOTA). Membership in ABOTA is by invitation only to trial attorneys who have demonstrated excellent trial skills while maintaining the highest levels of professionalism, integrity, honor, and courtesy. She has served as in-house counsel for a third-party administrator, and has worked with law firms in Massachusetts, New Hampshire, and Washington, D.C.

Prior to attending law school, Ruth played professional tennis. Now in her spare time she heads to the mountains to enjoy backcountry skiing, hiking, and backpacking.

## **EDUCATION**

Marquette University Law School, J.D. 1992 Lafayette College, B.A. History, 1986

## **BAR ADMISSIONS**

Utah State Bar Wyoming State Bar Federal District Court, District of Utah Idaho State Bar U.S. District Court for the District of Idaho U.S. District Court, District of Utah U.S. Tenth Circuit Court of Appeals Massachusetts State Bar