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Susan Winkelman Joins Pacifica Law Group's Education and School Districts Practice

Seattle—Pacifica Law Group is pleased to announce that [Susan Winkelman](#) has joined the firm as an associate in its education and school districts group, where her practice will focus on representing school districts in special education, labor and employment, and student matters. Susan provides general counsel and advice regarding compliance with state and federal education laws, including issues related to students with disabilities, employee and student discipline, privacy, nondiscrimination, and records requests. She also represents school districts in administrative proceedings and other forms of dispute resolution.

Susan is a member of the Washington Council of School Attorneys and The National School Board Association's Council of School Attorneys.

Prior to becoming an attorney, Susan was a first grade teacher for the Ravenswood City School District in East Palo Alto, California.

Susan received her B.A. in American Studies from Stanford University, and her J.D. from the University of San Diego School of Law.

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