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**Heather S. Heidelbaugh** is a Partner with Leech Tishman and a member of the Litigation Practice Group. An experienced trial lawyer, Heather is based in Leech Tishman's Pittsburgh office and has handled a wide variety of litigation matters for businesses and individuals. Heather focuses her practice on all types of litigation. She is a member of the Academy of Trial Lawyers and the Litigation Counsel of America, a national legal honorary society.

Heather is a well-known public commentator on issues related to politics, law and elections. She appears frequently on local television and radio regarding public affairs in Pittsburgh, and has been quoted by a number of national and local television shows and publications. Heather also served on the

Allegheny County Council as an At-Large Member.

### **Academics**

J.D., University of Missouri-Columbia School of Law  
B.A. in Economics and Political Science, University of Missouri-Columbia

### **Admissions**

Pennsylvania  
West Virginia  
Ohio  
Missouri  
Illinois

### **Professional Memberships**

Allegheny County Bar Association (Past President, Young Lawyers Section; Past Chair, Civil Litigation Section; Past Editor, Civil Litigation Newsletter)  
Allegheny County Bar Foundation (Fellow)  
Academy of Trial Lawyers  
Diversity Law Institute (Member, Board of Directors)  
Litigation Counsel of America (Senior Fellow; Past Co-Chair, Board of Directors)  
Republican National Lawyers Association (Former Co-Chair)

### **Professional Accolades**

Allegheny County Bar Association Pro Bono Award (First Recipient)  
Allegheny Health Network Woman of Achievement (2015)  
Martindale-Hubbell AV Preeminent Peer Review Rated Attorney  
Pennsylvania Super Lawyer, *Pennsylvania Super Lawyers Magazine* (2004, 2005, 2007, 2008, 2010-2017)  
Pennsylvania Super Lawyer, Business Litigation, *Pennsylvania Super Lawyers Magazine Corporate Counsel Edition* (2008, 2010, 2014)  
Republican National Lawyers Association Betty Murphy Award (2015)  
Top 50 Women Pennsylvania Super Lawyers, *Pennsylvania Super Lawyers Magazine* (2015-2016)  
Top 50 Pittsburgh Super Lawyers, *Pennsylvania Super Lawyers Magazine* (2015-2016)

**Publications**

Heidelbaugh, Heather S. "Protecting the Integrity of the Polling Place: A Constitutional Defense of Poll Watcher Statutes," Harvard Journal on Legislation, Logan S. Fisher & James D. Miller, Volume 46, Number 1, Winter 2009.

Author, "Product Liability for Off Label Use of Drugs or Medical Devices – Pennsylvania," State by State Survey of the Law Regarding Potential Liability for off Label Use of Drugs or Medical Devices, ABA Section of Litigation, 1999.

**Media Appearances/Quoted By:**

ABC World News Tonight

CNN

Fox News (The Factor with Bill O'Reilly)

Investor's Business Daily

Politico

The National Law Journal

The New York Times

The Wall Street Journal

The Washington Times

American Spectator

KDKA Radio

KQV Newsradio 1410 AM

WQED (Former Panelist on "4802" for 9 years)

**Community Involvement**

Allegheny County Council (At-Large Member, 2012-2015)

Allegheny Institute (Ex-Officio Board Member)

**Speeches & Presentations**

American Conference Institute, Food Regulation and Litigation

American Corporate Counsel Association

Conservative Political Action Conference (CPAC)

Harvard Law School

House Judiciary Subcommittee on the Constitution,

Civil Rights and Civil Liberties

Inns of Court Pittsburgh Chapter

National Business Institute