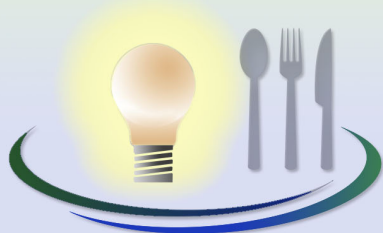


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Presenter— Gail Schnitzer Eisenberg, Partner
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Topic— *Family Responsibilities Discrimination Protections Under the Illinois Human Rights Act*

Biography

Gail Schnitzer Eisenberg is the New Trier Township Supervisor, mother of two young children, and civil rights attorney at Loftus & Eisenberg, Ltd., representing women, minorities, older workers, and the differently abled in employment matters. She frequently speaks on civil rights matters and has been recognized as one of 40 Under 40 “On the Rise” by the American Bar Association. Gail served as an ABA Labor & Employment Section Young Lawyer Fellow and was elected a fellow of the American Bar Foundation. She served two terms as Chairperson of the CBA Labor & Employment Committee and now serves as a Co-Chairperson of the Continuing Legal Education Committee. Gail also serves as the Vice President and Legislative Committee Chairperson of the National Employment Lawyers Association of Illinois, and was a long-time board member of the Decalogue Society of Lawyers, including as its legislative committee chairperson. Gail is active in the community, volunteering with organizations including Jewish United Fund, PersonalPAC, Triage Cancer, March of Dimes, Women Employed, her synagogue, and Girl Scouts.

Gail received her BA/MA in Political Science, summa cum laude, from the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign through Jim Nowlan’s Civic Leadership Program. After a fellowship with the Anti-Defamation League, Gail graduated magna cum laude from Northwestern Law where she studied local government under Dawn Clark Netsch, the first woman to hold statewide elected office in Illinois. During law school, Gail interned for the Illinois Attorney General’s Office, the United States Attorney’s Office, and the District Court for the Northern District of Illinois, and represented clients in immigration proceedings through the school’s legal clinic. After law school, Gail clerked for the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Seventh Circuit, taught appellate advocacy at Loyola Law School, and worked in both big and boutique law firms before starting her own practice.