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Clerkships

Honorable Denise Cote, United States District Court, Southern District of New York, 2017 - 2018

Recent Publications

<u>Second Circuit Holds that Term Loan Is Not a Security</u>, in NYU Law School's Blog on Compliance and Enforcement, September 27, 2023.

<u>Corporate Bankruptcy and Restructuring: 2021-2022</u>, in Columbia Law School's Blog on Corporations and the Capital Markets, February 15, 2022.

<u>Corporate Bankruptcy and Restructuring: 2018-2019</u>, in Harvard Law School Forum on Corporate Governance and Financial Regulation, February 17, 2019.