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# Chamberlain Hrdlicka elevates Julie Offerman to Shareholder during First Virtual Shareholders Meeting

Julie Offerman elevated to Chamberlain Hrdlicka Shareholder March 2, 2021

Chamberlain Hrdlicka recently elevated Julie Offerman to income shareholder during the firm's virtual annual shareholders meeting. The firm has also promoted additional two shareholders to equity status and two attorneys to shareholder status in its offices in Atlanta, Houston, Philadelphia and San Antonio.

Named among the Up-and-Coming 50: 2020 Texas Women Rising Stars, Julie Offerman is an experienced litigation attorney in Chamberlain's Houston Labor & Employment practice. She has substantial experience defending employers nationwide in wage and hour class and collective action lawsuits, including matters involving allegations of misclassification of employees and failure to pay overtime.

Offerman has successfully defended employers in all aspects of employment litigation, including disputes over breach of contract, trade secret misappropriation, non-compete and non-solicitation agreements, discrimination, harassment, wrongful termination, and retaliation. In many cases, she has obtained complete dismissal for clients on summary judgment. In addition to handling state and federal cases, Julie represents clients in investigations by administrative agencies, including the EEOC, the Texas Workforce Commission, the National Labor Relations Board, and the Department of Labor.

Offerman graduated from University of Texas at Austin, with a bachelor's degree, summa cum laude, and received her law degree from Texas Tech University School of Law, summa cum laude as well. While there, she was an articles editor for the Texas Tech Law Review. Prior to joining Chamberlain Hrdlicka, she clerked for Justice Phil Johnson of the Texas Supreme Court. She has been named to Texas Super Lawyers in 2020 after being named Texas Rising Star in 2014, 2015, 2017, 2018, and 2019. She has also been named among *Houstonia Magazine* Top Lawyers in 2019 and 2020.