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Kristen D. Amond is an attorney in New Orleans, Louisiana, practicing in both federal and state courts, and she is a trained mediator. She represents businesses of all sizes in all forms of business disputes and enjoys collaborating with other lawyers on complex cases from inception to trial. She believes that to best navigate complex cases, lawyers should embrace the ingenuity of using creative partnerships to form legal teams.

Amond graduated magna cum laude from the Paul M. Hebert Law Center at Louisiana State University in 2016. In law school, she served as the Editor-in-Chief of the Louisiana Law Review, Chair of the SBA's Ethics Board, 3L Representative of the Diversity and Inclusion Committee, and team member of the greatest LSU Law Powderpuff Football team to grace PMH's halls. Before law school, she taught second and third grades in New Orleans charter schools and has been an advocate for public education ever since. She has a special commitment to Louisiana's economic development, its culture, and particularly its underserved communities. As a member of the civil pro bono panels for the Eastern and Middle Districts of Louisiana, she regularly volunteers her professional time to represent plaintiffs in civil rights cases.

Amond was elected to two terms as the District 1 representative for the Louisiana State Bar Association's Young Lawyers Division and now serves as the Council's Chair. She also serves on the board of the New Orleans Federal Bar Association Younger Lawyers Division and is an alumna of the New Orleans Regional Leadership Institute and a Council for a Better Louisiana's Leadership Louisiana program. She has given numerous CLEs and was an adjunct professor at Tulane University, teaching "The Media and the First Amendment," and teaches a course at LSU Law's Apprenticeship Week each year with Judge Susie Morgan.