



Todd & Weld LLP

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As a former prosecutor, Liana LaMattina has an in-depth knowledge of the criminal justice system.

Liana LaMattina concentrates her practice on government investigations and criminal defense, including defending clients at trial and in pre-indictment government investigations.

Prior to joining Todd & Weld, Ms. LaMattina was an Assistant District Attorney in the Suffolk County District Attorney's Office where she conducted grand jury investigations into major felony offenses and served as lead counsel at numerous trials.

As a prosecutor, Ms. LaMattina handled a high-volume caseload, including matters involving armed robbery, indecent assault and battery, arson, armed assault with intent to murder, motor vehicle homicides, and illegal drug and firearms possession. Ms. LaMattina also focused on alternative dispositions for defendants with substance use disorder and mental illness. She diverted many defendants to Drug Court and helped create the Services Over Sentences (S.O.S.) Program for dual diagnosis services based on individual need.

Prior to her legal career, Ms. LaMattina served as Legislative Aide to State Representative Adrian C. Madaro, where she managed constituent services, legislation, and state budget initiatives for the community of East Boston.

Ms. LaMattina is conversant in Spanish.

Practice Areas

- Government Investigations and Criminal Defense

Experience

- Todd & Weld LLP, 2024-present
- Suffolk County District Attorney's Office, Assistant District Attorney, 2019-2023
- Legislative Aide for Mass. Rep. Adrian C. Madaro, 2015-2018

Bar Admissions

- Massachusetts, 2019
- U.S. District Court, Massachusetts

Education

- Suffolk University Law School (J.D., 2019) Dean's List (2018)
- Boston University (B.S. in Business Administration, 2014) Dean's List (2013)
- Boston Latin School (2010)

In the Community

- Chair, Eastie Pride Day Committee
- Clerk, Board of Directors, East Boston Social Centers
- Member, Madaro Charity Community Fund
- Representative, Greater Boston Legal Services' Associates Drive

Publications/Presentations

- Guest lecturer, intersection of criminal law and family law, New England School of Law (2025)
- Presenter/prosecutor in mock criminal trial, MCLE (2024)

Honors and Awards

- Massachusetts District Attorneys Association Spotlight Award (2022)
- 2019 Restorative Justice Circle Training with Roca (2019)

News & Insights

- Women's History Month: Todd & Weld attorneys demonstrating leadership
- Liana LaMattina joins Todd & Weld as an associate