**Christine M. Collins**

Associate

“The key to a great client relationship is keeping an open line of communication.”

**About Christine M. Collins**

Christine Collins joined Wilke Fleury as an associate in June 2015. She obtained her undergraduate degree in Legal Studies at the University of California, Berkeley in 2008. While in college, Christine worked at SkyWest Airlines where she handled ground operations as a Cross-Utilized Agent.

From 2009 to 2012, Christine attended University of the Pacific, McGeorge School of Law, where she earned her Juris Doctorate in December 2012. While in law school, Christine served as editor for *California Initiative Review*, and secretary of the McGeorge Animal Law Society. Additionally, Christine worked at the Sacramento County District Attorney’s Office as a Certified Legal Intern before being promoted to Legal Research Assistant.

Prior to joining Wilke Fleury, Christine worked for Blue Shield of California (“Blue Shield”). She began as a Product Operations Analyst at Blue Shield, then transitioned to a regulatory role as a Benefit Language and Regulatory Filing Analyst.

**Practice Areas**

* Healthcare

**Education**

* University of the Pacific: J.D. (2012)
* University of California, Berkeley: B.A. (2008)

**Professional Experience**

* Blue Shield of California
	+ Benefit Language and Regulatory Filing Analyst (2014-2015)
	+ Product Operations Analyst (2013-2014)
* Sacramento County District Attorney’s Office
	+ Certified Legal Intern (2010)
	+ Legal Research Assistant (2010-2011)

**Licenses and Admissions**

Christine is admitted to practice before the following courts:

* The State of California

**Professional Certifications**

* Six Sigma Green Belt Certified, 2014

**Presentations and Publications**

* *Primary Election Systems: A Look into Four Primary Election Systems*, CAL. INIT. REV., (Fall 2010).

**Personal**

* Christine enjoys cooking, kayaking, martial arts, learning and speaking German, and international travel.