

Tasha Schwikert Moser
2021 biography

Tasha Schwikert is an associate working in Munck Wilson Mandala's corporate and sports law practices. For her corporate work, Tasha supports clients in various matters, including her work on a complex company merger transaction that was over \$100 million in value. In sports law, Tasha represents athletes in various matters related to contracts, disputes, and name, image, likeness.

Tasha's passion is in advocacy and she is leading efforts in building a practice focused on athletes and the legal issues they face. Being an athlete for 25 years helps her understand the dynamic of what a high-level athlete goes through, and she has the experience of being both an Olympian and a collegiate athlete on the UCLA gymnastics team for four years on a full scholarship.

As a former Olympic gymnast, Tasha became an advocate for institutional change within USA Gymnastics and the United States Olympic & Paralympic Committee. Her passion motivated her to attend law school in her late 20s and she now serves as co-chair of the special committee for over 500 Larry Nassar survivors. Tasha and her sister Jordan are among those survivors.

In addition to co-chairing this special committee, Tasha is involved in ongoing efforts to advocate for sexual assault victims in all 50 states. In May 2019, Tasha was instrumental in the effort to extend the Texas statute of limitations for child sexual abuse victims as a result of her testimony before the Texas Senate State Affairs Committee.

Tasha is a frequent speaker to youth groups and women's leadership organizations. She served as a panelist for the 2019 S.H.E. Summit Dallas that assembled more than 500 attendees focused on diversity and inclusion and she has presented at various diversity and inclusion forums throughout Dallas.

Tasha has earned many honors over her Olympic and collegiate gymnastics career. Among her honors, Tasha was the youngest member of the 2000 U.S. Olympic gymnastics team and helped them win a bronze medal. In 2003, she was a member of the U.S. gymnastics team, winning a gold team medal in the World Gymnastics Championships. In 2008 and 2012, she was inducted into the USA Gymnastics Hall of Fame both for Team USA and as an individual, respectively. At UCLA, Tasha won the NCAA National all-around title in 2005 and she was the only gymnast that year to earn first-team All-American honors in all four events. In 2008, she won the NCAA National all-around title again, becoming the seventh woman ever to win multiple NCAA all-around titles. As a former collegiate athlete, Tasha was inducted into UCLA's Athletic Hall of Fame and named Pac12 Gymnast of the Century.

Tasha earned her J.D. from William S. Boyd School of Law at the University of Nevada where she was VP of community relations for the Sports and Entertainment Law Association and treasurer of the Black Law Students Association (awarded 2015 BLSA National Chapter of the Year). Prior to law school, Tasha earned her B.A. in sociology from the University of California Los Angeles.