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Robinson+Cole Lawyers Selected for *Rhode Island Lawyers Weekly* 2021 Excellence in the Law Recognitions

Dana Horton honored as a Leader in the Law and Kathryn Rattigan named an Up & Coming Lawyer

PROVIDENCE, RI (April 13, 2021) – Robinson+Cole Insurance + Reinsurance Group lawyer [Dana M. Horton](#) and Data Privacy + Cybersecurity Team lawyer [Kathryn M. Rattigan](#) were selected by *Rhode Island Lawyers Weekly* for recognitions presented as part of the publication's 2021 Excellence in the Law Awards. The honorees were each profiled in a [special issue](#) of the publication and celebrated during a virtual ceremony on April 8, 2021.

Horton was recognized as a Leader in the Law, which honors the current leaders of the bar, drawn from across the spectrum of the legal profession. She is an insurance litigation partner with over 20 years of experience representing and advising insurance companies in large loss property subrogation matters, complex property and liability insurance coverage disputes, and bad faith claims. Horton's experience includes handling proceedings from inception through resolution in state, federal, and appellate courts. She is a member of Robinson+Cole's Insurance + Reinsurance Group, and she serves as the co-chair of the firm's Women's Committee.

Horton also serves as an arbitrator in the RI Superior Court Court-Annexed Arbitration Program, and mediator during the Superior Court Settlement Week. She has held many leadership roles within the Rhode Island Bar Association and currently sits on the Executive Committee and is a member of the House of Delegates. Horton is also a member of the Local Rules Review Committee and the Pro Bono Committee for the U.S. District Court, District of Rhode Island. In addition, Horton sits on the Human Rights Committee for Perspectives Corporation, an organization providing services and support to children, youth and adults with disabilities in Rhode Island. She is the current Chairwoman of the Town of Westerly Board of Tax Assessment Appeals and President of her youngest child's elementary school PTO.

Rattigan was named an Up & Coming Lawyer. An honor saluting “the rising stars of the Rhode Island Bar” who “have been practicing and admitted to the RI Bar for 10 years or less yet, have already distinguished themselves in the practice of law.” She is Counsel in Robinson+Cole's Business Litigation Group and Data Privacy + Cybersecurity Team, where she assists clients in complying with state and federal regulations related to data privacy and cybersecurity and is a Certified Information Privacy Professional (CIPP) through the International Association of

Privacy Professionals (IAPP). Rattigan actively contributes to Robinson+Cole's widely-recognized [Data Privacy + Cybersecurity Insider](#) blog, where she focuses primarily on the topic of drones. Her work has been honored in the annual JD Supra Readers' Choice Awards where she has been awarded as a "Top Author" since 2016. Similarly, Rattigan was recognized as a 2020 National Law Review Go-To Thought Leader in the area of Cybersecurity Law. In addition to being an awarded blog author, Rattigan has been a keynote speaker for the annual Information Governance Conference (InfoGovCon), the ARMA (Association of Records Managers and Administrators) International Conference, and the Information Coalition's Information Governance Conference. She served as Chair of the Massachusetts Bar Association Health Law Section Council from 2018-2020 and is an adjunct professor at Roger Williams University.

In the community, Rattigan serves on the Advisory Board for Inner Explorer, a non-profit working to help students focus and succeed through mindfulness practice in the classroom, and College Visions, which helps low-income students pursue a college education. She also volunteers for and supports the Women's Fund of Rhode Island, an organization that invests in women and girls through research, advocacy, grant-making and strategic partnerships designed to advance gender equity through systemic change. Rattigan also serves as a member of the Stonehill College Board of Fellows and President's Advisory Council.

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