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Gibson, Dunn & Crutcher

■ **What was the biggest challenge you faced in the past year and how did you adjust to it?**

A significant challenge was navigating a changing regulatory landscape and policy goals from the past and current administrations to resolve investigations for our clients and ensure that the settlement framework negotiated under one administration moved forward to conclusion with the incoming administration. Having credibility with regulators and a team with deep government experience and subject matter experience was critical to our success for clients.

■ **What is a significant case you have handled in the past year and how did it stand out?**

In the last year, we have represented clients for a wide range of sectors in many of the nation's highest profile criminal, congressional and regulatory investigations involving, among other topics, cryptocurrency, cybersecurity, data privacy, sanctions, and anti-money laundering. We are honored that top companies rely on us to represent them in bet-the-company enforcement matters.



**Stephanie Brooker, Partner and Co-Chair of the Global White Collar Defense and Investigations Practice Group
Gibson, Dunn & Crutcher**

■ **What makes your firm stand out in this practice area?**

The sheer breadth and depth of our experience. We have over 250 lawyers globally who regularly defend companies, senior executives, and public officials in a wide range of investigative and enforcement matters, and more than 75 lawyers with extensive government experience. We believe there is no other firm that can match our firsthand knowledge of how government agencies conduct investigations and how to successfully defend them.