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**Publications**

- Co-author, "U.S. Department of Labor Proposes Amendments to 'Investment Duties' Regulation to Address ESG Investments," *Employee Relations Law Journal*, October 6, 2020
- Co-author, "What you need to know about IRS guidance on CARES Act retirement plan provisions," *Benefits Pro*, June 16, 2020
- Co-author, "IRS Issues Guidance on CARES Act Retirement Plan Distribution and Loan Provisions," *Stroock Special Bulletin*, May 11, 2020

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