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Carol Esselink is a Manager in Grant Thornton's Economic Advisory Services (EAS) practice located in Southfield (Detroit), Michigan. She specializes in providing economic and damage analysis as a litigation support consultant. Her background includes significant experience in both audit and litigation support.

Experience

Prior to joining the EAS practice, Carol was a senior audit associate. She was responsible for supervising audits for clients in the construction, manufacturing and financial services industries. She also supervised aspects of several litigation support engagements, including a CPA malpractice case, construction breach of contract case and a restatement for a health care provider.

Carol began her career in the Litigation Support practice at Ernst and Young. She spent 12 years at Ernst & Young and Equity Partners, Ltd. (a boutique litigation firm) as an associate involved in developing detailed financial models for use as trial exhibits in patent and trademark infringement, breach of contract, professional

malpractice, condemnation and other litigation cases.

Professional qualifications and memberships

Carol is a member of the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants and the Michigan Association of Certified Public Accountants. She is also a Certified Fraud Examiner.

Education

Carol earned both a Bachelor's and Masters degree in Accountancy from Walsh College.

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