## DANIEL P. MARTIN

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### EXPERIENCE

**Complex Commercial Litigation:** From pre-suit negotiations to early-stage motion practice, through discovery, summary judgment, final hearings, and appeal, I have litigated matters in state and federal courts, arbitration, and mediation involving claims of trade-secret misappropriation, breach of contract and fiduciary duties, securities and antitrust violations, false advertising, and more. I have drafted substantive and discovery motions, taken and defended depositions, prepared witnesses for deposition and trial testimony, drafted affirmative and responsive discovery, and coordinated internal and external case teams. I quickly learn clients' technologies and business strategies—ranging from unique software platforms, self-driving cars, medical devices and treatments, solar-power solutions, online-advertising tools, cryptocurrencies, and more—to identify risks and develop, communicate, and execute litigation strategies consistent with clients' business interests. I have developed this wide-ranging experience, with a particular emphasis on brief writing, through work with a core common team at three law firms.

- Willkie Farr & Gallagher LLP, San Francisco, CA Associate, May 2022–Present
- **Baker Botts, LLP**, San Francisco, CA *Associate*, Oct. 2019–June 2021
- Taylor & Patchen, LLP (Closed Oct. 2019), San Francisco, CA *Associate*, July 2017–Oct. 2019

**Federal Judicial Clerkship:** Independently researched, analyzed, and drafted orders on substantive motions regarding complex legal issues in a range of civil matters. Managed a robust caseload consisting of a full trial docket, settlement conferences, and discovery disputes, and prepared for and assisted with all types of court hearings.

• The Honorable Laurel Beeler, Magistrate Judge United States District Court, Northern District of California, San Francisco, CA Law Clerk, Jan. 2016–July 2017

**Corporate M&A and Securities:** Researched and prepared transaction documents and conducted due diligence in connection with public and private securities offerings, including debt offerings and IPOs, and mergers and acquisitions. Researched and drafted legal memoranda and articles regarding general corporate and securities laws.

• Sullivan & Cromwell LLP, Palo Alto, CA Associate & Summer Associate, Summer 2014 & Sept. 2015–Jan. 2016

### EDUCATION

### University of California, Hastings College of the Law, San Francisco, CA

J.D., magna cum laude, 2015

- GPA: 3.958; Class Rank: 4/308
- Awards & Honors: CALI Award for highest grade in the class in Legal Writing & Research, Insurance, Business Bankruptcy and Corporate Reorganization, Mergers & Acquisitions, Remedies, Federal Taxation of Corporations and Partnerships, Negotiation & Settlement, Constitutional Law II, Financial Crises & Regulation, Wills & Trusts; Best Brief Award, First Year Moot Court Class
- Societies & Organizations: Order of the Coif, Thurston Society, Hastings Law Journal

### University of San Diego, San Diego, CA

- B.A., Biology, magna cum laude, 2011
- GPA: 3.75

# **INTERESTS, HOBBIES, & ADDITIONAL SKILLS**

- Fitness (running and weight training)
- NBA basketball (particularly my home-town team, the Portland Trail Blazers)
- Learning Arabic (attended Middlebury College Language Schools Summer 2021 Program)