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Areas of Practice & Industry Specialties

Intellectual Property Litigation; Patent Law



Jose L. Patiño is a Shareholder in the Firm's San Diego office and a member of the Intellectual Property and Litigation practice groups. A patent litigator, Mr. Patiño represents companies in high-stakes intellectual property disputes and has argued before the courts of 20 different states. He has extensive experience with patent litigation-specific proceedings, including before the International Trade Commission, and as special intellectual property counsel in US Bankruptcy Court.

Mr. Patiño has represented companies in a variety of industries, including Atos, Dassault Systèmes Simulia Corporation, ESET, General Motors, Kyocera Corporation, and Lumen Technologies, Inc.

Following law school, Jose served as a law clerk to the Honorable Judith N. Keep, then the chief judge of the US District Court for the Southern District of California. Jose is a Master in the Clifford J. Wallace Inn of Court.

Awards and Honors

- Recognized by The Legal 500 United States in the area of Intellectual Property -Patent: Litigation (2023)
- Recognized as "Lawyer of the Year" by The Best Lawyers in America in the area of Litigation – Patent (2022, 2024)
- Recognized by The Legal 500 United States in the area of Patent: Patent Prosecution (2020)
- Recognized as a Fellow of the Litigation Counsel of America™ (2020-2024)
- Recognized in The Best Lawyers in America© in the areas of Litigation – Intellectual Property and Litigation – Patent (2011-2025)
- Selected for inclusion in the San Diego Super Lawyers® for Intellectual Property Litigation (2008-2024)
- Received the Pro Bono Publico Award from Casa Cornelia Law Center Inn of Court for contributions to its Asylum practice (2012)

Education

Mr. Patiño earned his J.D. from Harvard Law School. He earned his A.B., magna cum laude, in History and Political Science from the University of California, Davis.

Bar Admissions

- California
- Michigan

Court Admissions

- United States Supreme Court
- United States Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit
- United States Court of Appeals for the Fourth Circuit
- United States Court of Appeals for the Sixth Circuit
- United States Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit
- United States District Court for the Central District of California
- United States District Court for the Eastern District of California
- United States District Court for the Northern District of California
- United States District Court for the Southern District of California
- United States District Court for the Eastern District of Texas