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### **Areas of Practice & Industry Specialties**

Appellate Law; Litigation

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Joshua Ostrer is a member of Buchalter's Appellate practice group in the Firm's Orange County office. Mr. Ostrer represents individuals and entities in a wide range of appellate matters.

During law school, Mr. Ostrer externed at the U.S. Office of Special Counsel, where he assisted in convening whistleblowers and federal agency general counsel for mediation. As a member of UCLA's First Amendment Amicus Clinic, he co-wrote amicus briefs in cases before the Iowa Supreme Court and Northern District of Texas, and in support of a petition for writ of certiorari to the U.S. Supreme Court.

Following law school, Mr. Ostrer served as a judicial clerk for the Honorable Patrick DeAlmeida on the New Jersey Superior Court, Appellate Division (New Jersey's intermediate appellate court) and went on to serve as a judicial clerk for the Honorable Karen E. Scott, U.S. Magistrate Judge in the U.S. District Court of the Central District of California.

### **Presentations**

- Speaker, "Benefits and lessons learned from state court clerkships," UCLA Law School State Court Clerkship Alumni, October 7, 2020

### **Education**

Mr. Ostrer earned his J.D. from the University of California at Los Angeles School of Law, where he was the Executive Articles Editor, for the *UCLA Law Journal of Law and Technology*. Mr. Ostrer earned his B.A. in Philosophy with a minor in Political Science from Union College.

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### **Bar Admissions**

- California

### **Court Admissions**

- United States Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit